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2024 No. 375 (C. 26)

TRANSPORT

The Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement No. 8) Regulations 2024

Made - - - -	*10th December 2024*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament	*12th December 2024*
Coming into force - -	*26th December 2024*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the power conferred by section 130(2) of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019(**a**).

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement No. 8) Regulations 2024 and come into force on 26 December 2024.

Appointed Day

2. The day appointed for the coming into force of section 37 of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019, in so far as it is not already in force, is 26 December 2024.

JIM FAIRLIE
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

St Andrews House,
Edinburgh
10th December 2024

(**a**) 2019 asp 17.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations appoint 26 December 2024 as the date for the coming into force of section 37 of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 ("the 2019 Act") for all remaining purposes. The Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 (Commencement No. 7) Regulations 2023 previously brought section 37 into force only to provide the Scottish Ministers with the power to make regulations under inserted section 6M of the Transport Act 1985.

Section 37 makes a number of changes to the Transport Act 1985 to deal with the implications to the registration of local services and the functions of the traffic commissioner of a bus services improvement partnership plan and scheme being in place. This includes provision about the registration of partnership service standards, as well as new powers for the traffic commissioner to refuse to register new bus services which cannot meet those services standards, to cancel existing registrations and to investigate local transport authorities' compliance with their obligations under partnership schemes.

NOTE AS TO EARLIER COMMENCEMENT REGULATIONS

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

The following provisions of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019 have been brought into force by commencement regulations made before the date of these Regulations.

Provision	*Date of Commencement*	*S.S.I. No.*
Part 1	15 January 2020	S.S.I. 2019/428
Section 25	15 January 2020	S.S.I. 2019/428
Part 2 (except section 25)	14 January 2021	S.S.I. 2020/429
Section 34	24 June 2022	S.S.I. 2022/204
Section 35	4 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 36	4 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 37 (for the purpose of enabling the Scottish Ministers to make regulations under inserted section 6M of the Transport Act 1985)	4 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 38	4 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 39	28 November 2022	S.S.I. 2022/332
Section 43	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 49	14 January 2021	S.S.I. 2020/429
Section 50	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 51	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 52	14 January 2021	S.S.I. 2020/429
Section 53	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 54	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 55	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 56	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 57	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 58 (for the purpose of enabling the Scottish Ministers to make regulations under section 58(4)(b) and (5)	22 September 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 58 (for all other purposes)	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 59	22 September 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 60	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 61	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 62	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250

Section 63	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 64	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 65	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 66	2 September 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 67	14 January 2021	S.S.I. 2020/429
Section 68	14 January 2021	S.S.I. 2020/429
Section 69	11 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Part 7	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 109	14 January 2021	S.S.I. 2020/429
Section 110	1 April 2024	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 111	1 April 2024	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 113	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 114	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 115	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 116	25 January 2023	S.S.I. 2022/332
Section 117	25 January 2023	S.S.I. 2022/332
Section 118 (for the purpose of enabling the Scottish Ministers to make regulations under section 130C(2) of the New Roads and Street Works Act 1991)	25 January 2023	S.S.I. 2022/332
Section 118 (for all other purposes)	1 April 2023	S.S.I. 2022/332
Section 119	1 April 2024	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 120	1 October 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 121	1 October 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 122(1)(a), (2) and (3)	19 March 2020	S.S.I. 2020/68
Section 122(1)(b)	1 April 2020	S.S.I. 2020/68
Section 123	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Section 125	22 September 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 126	22 September 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Section 127	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Schedule, paragraphs 1, 2(2), 3(3), (4), (5), (7), (8) and (9) and 4(2)(b) and (c)	4 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Schedule, paragraph(s) 2(1) and (3)	28 November 2022	S.S.I. 2022/332
Schedule, paragraphs 3(1) and (6)(a)(v)(A) and 4(1) and (2)(a)	24 June 2022	S.S.I. 2022/204
Schedule, paragraph 3(6)	4 December 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250
Schedule, paragraphs 5, 6(1), (2), (6), (7) and (8) and 7(1) and (3)	10 January 2022	S.S.I. 2021/428
Schedule, paragraph 6(3)	25 January 2023	S.S.I. 2022/332
Schedule, paragraphs 6(4), (5), (9) and (10) and 7(4)	1 April 2024	S.S.I. 2023/250
Schedule, paragraph 7(2)	22 September 2023	S.S.I. 2023/250

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