# SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

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### **NATURE PROTECTION ACT 1991**

## NATURE PROTECTION (UPPER ROCK NATURE RESERVE FEES) REGULATIONS 2018

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 23 of the Nature Protection Act 1999, the Minister has made the following Regulations—

#### Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Nature Protection (Upper Rock Nature Reserve Fees) Regulations 2018.

#### Commencement.

2. These Regulations come into operation on 1 April 2018.

## **Amendment of the Nature Protection Act 1991.**

- 3.(1) The Nature Protection Act 1991 is amended in accordance with this regulation.
- (2) For Schedule 10 substitute-

#### "SCHEDULE 10

Sections 24A and 24B

#### **Admission Fees.**

- 1.(1) Subject to paragraph 2, the fee for admission to the Upper Rock Nature Reserve shall be as follows—
  - (a) £5.00 per person entering by foot at Jews' Gate (Engineer Road and Lathbury Barracks), Willis's Road or Devil's Gap Battery, or any cable car station

- who otherwise have not paid a fee under subparagraph (1)(e) or (f);
- (b) £12.00 per person aged 12 years or over entering via Jews' Gate or Willis's Road;
- (c) £7.00 per person aged from 5 to 11 years inclusive entering via Jews' Gate or Willis's Road;
- (d) £7.00 per person for entry at Jews' Gate or Willis's Road in a taxi or as part of a tour group with a tour operator;
- (e) £12.00 per person aged 12 years and over for entry from any cable car station;
- (f) £7.00 per child aged from 5 to 11 years inclusive for entry from any cable car station;
- (g) £3.00 per person entering via O Hara's Battery (in addition to the relevant fee set out in (a) to (f) above).
- (2) Subject to section 24A(2), the fees for admission to the tourist sites within the Upper Rock Nature Reserve shall be as follows-
  - (a) £7.00 for each person aged 12 years and over who entered the Upper Rock Nature Reserve by foot at Jews' Gate, Willis's Road or Devil's Gap Battery (applicable to all tourist sites with the exception of lower St Michael's Cave and the World War II Tunnels);
  - (b) £2.00 for each child aged from 5 to 11 years inclusive who entered the Upper Rock Nature Reserve by foot at Jews' Gate, Willis's Road or Devil's Gap Battery (applicable to all tourist sites with the exception of lower St Michael's Cave and the World War II Tunnels);
  - (c) for entering lower St Michael's Cave-
    - (i) £25.00 per person;

- (ii) £15.00 per person holding a valid Gibraltar identity card or MOD identity document;
- (d) for entering the World War II Tunnels-
  - (i) £8.00 per person aged 12 years and over;
  - (ii) £4.00 per child aged from 5 to 11 years inclusive;
  - (iii) £4.00 per person holding a valid Gibraltar identity card or MOD identity document;
  - (iv) £4.00 per person in a taxi or forming part of a tour group with a tour operator.
- (3) Subject to section 24A(2), the fees in subparagraphs (1) and (2) are cumulative.
- (4) The fees set out in subparagraphs (1)(b) and (c) shall be reduced by £3.00 where the person concerned has previously paid £3.00 for entry to the 100 Ton Gun on that same day.
- 2.(1) A person holding a valid Gibraltar identity card relating to that person may enter the Upper Rock Nature Reserve and all tourist sites within the Upper Rock Nature Reserve, with the exception of lower St Michael's Cave and the World War II Tunnels (the fees for which are set out in paragraphs 1(2)(c)(ii) and (d)(iii) respectively), without paying a fee on production of that card.
- (2) A child aged under 5 years may enter the Upper Rock Nature Reserve and all tourist sites within the Upper Rock Nature Reserve without paying a fee.
- (3) Passengers in a taxi engaged for a city service journey shall be exempted from payment of the fee in paragraph 1(1)(d) and shall for the purposes of paragraph 1(2) be deemed to have entered the Upper Rock Nature Reserve by foot at Jew's gate or Moorish Castle.

- (4) In subparagraph (3) "city service journey" means a one-way fare which is either—
  - (a) to or from a specific residence in the Upper Rock Nature Reserve for a resident or visitor to that residence; or
  - (b) in respect of a public or private function occurring in the Upper Rock Nature Reserve which is not part of the general tourist attraction of the Upper Rock Nature Reserve and which does not involve a stop at or a visit to any part of the Upper Rock Nature Reserve except where the event is occurring.".

Dated 22nd March, 2018.

DR J CORTES Minister with responsibility for the Environment.

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## EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations amend the fees set out in Schedule 10 of the Nature Protection Act 1991.