

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR  
GAZETTE**

**No. 4249 of 24 March, 2016**

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LEGAL NOTICE NO. 67 OF 2016.

**TRANSPORT ACT 1998**

**TAXI (CITY SERVICE AND CRUISE TERMINAL) (AMENDMENT)  
REGULATIONS 2016**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him under section 69 of the Transport Act 1998, the Minister has made the following Regulations–

**Title and commencement.**

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Taxi (City Service and Cruise Terminal) (Amendment) Regulations 2016 and shall come into operation on the day of publication.

**Amendment to Regulations.**

2. (1) The Taxi (City Service and Cruise Terminal) Regulations 1999 (“the principal Regulations”) are amended in accordance with the provisions of these Regulations.

**Regulation 3.**

3. Regulation 3 of the principal Regulations is amended as follows–

(a) in subregulation (1) substitute “white, blue, red, black, buff, green or brown” with “coloured”;

(b) after subregulation (1) insert–

“(1A) The Minister may by notice in the Gazette amend the coloured discs set out in Schedule 1 and where the number of colours has been increased or decreased, the Commission shall re-issue discs as appropriate.”;

(c) for subregulation (2) substitute–

- “(2) All private hire vehicles shall carry a white disc in the form set out in Schedule 2 which indicates that the private hire vehicle is permanently on city service.”;
- (d) in subregulation (3) substitute “discs coloured blue, red, black, buff, green and brown” with “coloured discs”;
- (e) for subregulation (4) substitute—
- “(4)(a) The Commission shall prepare and introduce a roster for the purposes of indicating on which days a taxi shall operate a city service.
- (b) The roster shall be displayed at the offices of the Commission and may be amended from time to time by the Commission as they may direct in writing.”;
- (f) for subregulation (5) substitute—
- “(5(a) Save as provided in subregulation (b), a driver of a taxi whose disc corresponds to that set out on the roster may only offer a city service on that day.
- (b) Nothing in this regulation shall prevent any other taxi also offering a city service.”;
- (g) in subregulation 6 substitute ““City Service” means that the taxi may only ply for hire from taxi ranks (except the “Shuttle Service” rank at the Market Place) with “A taxi on “city service” means that the taxi may only ply for hire from taxi ranks (excluding the “Shuttle Service” rank at the Market Place)”;
- (h) for subregulation (7) substitute—
- “(7) A driver of a taxi who, on the day his disc corresponds to that set out on the roster (“a relevant day”)—
- (a) fails to display the disc issued;

(b) refuses to accept, without reasonable cause, a passenger who wishes to travel to another point within Gibraltar;

(c) enters any area prohibited to him under subregulation (6);

(d) fails, during the relevant day, to provide a city service as directed by the Commission; or

(e) fails to comply with any instructions given to him by a Transport Inspector in respect of how and where the city service is to be provided, such as, in particular, being required by a Transport Inspector to move to a different taxi rank or to attend a different area;

shall be deemed to have failed to comply with a condition of his licence, unless as regards paragraph (d), he makes up any shortfall by providing a city service for the period equivalent to that missed as directed by the Commission.”;

- (i) delete subregulation (8A).

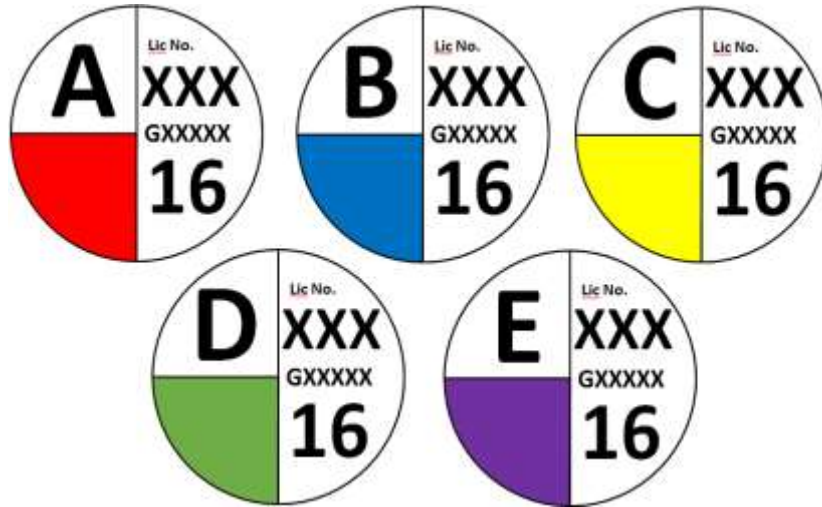
**Schedule 1.**

(4) For Schedule 1 substitute—

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**SCHEDULE 1**

Regulation 3



**SCHEDULE 2**

Regulation 3



Dated 24th March, 2016.

P J BALBAN,  
Minister with responsibility for Transport.

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