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An Act to amend the Road Transport Act 1987.

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ENACTED by the Parliament of Malaysia as follows:

Short title and commencement

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Road Transport (Amendment) Act 2016.

(2) This Act comes into operation on a date to be appointed by the Minister by notification in the *Gazette*.

Amendment of section 2

2. The Road Transport Act 1987 [Act 333], which is referred to as the "principal Act" in this Act, is amended in section 2-

(a) by inserting after the definition of "certificate of insurance" the following definition:

' "Chairman of a Municipal Council" means the Chairman of a Municipal Council referred to in section 2 of the Local Government Ordinance 1961 [Sabah No. 11 of 1991] and subsection 2(1) of the Local Authorities Ordinance 1996 [Sarawak Cap. 20] and includes the Deputy Chairman of the Municipal Council;'; (b) in the definition of "traffic warden"-

- (i) by substituting for the words "or the Perbadanan Putrajaya" the words ", the Perbadanan Putrajaya, the President of a Municipal Council or the Chairman of a Municipal Council"; and
- (ii) in the national language text, by substituting for the full stop a semicolon; and
- (c) by inserting after the definition of "President" the following definition:

' "President of a Municipal Council" means the President as defined in section 2 of the Local Government Act 1976 [*Act 171*].'.

Amendment of section 3

- 3. Section 3 of the principal Act is amended—
 - (a) in the national language text, in subsection (4), by substituting for the word "beberapa" the words "sekian bilangan"; and
 - (b) by inserting after subsection (4A) the following subsection:

"(4B) The President of a Municipal Council or the Chairman of a Municipal Council may appoint such number of persons in the service of the Municipal Council as he considers necessary or expedient for the purposes of this Act to be traffic wardens and may, after consultation with the Inspector General of Police, prescribe uniforms for such officers.".

Amendment of section 3A

- **4.** Section 3A of the principal Act is amended—
 - (a) by substituting for the shoulder note the following shoulder note:

"Authorization to Mayor, President of a Municipal Council, Chairman of a Municipal Council, officers of City Council or Municipal Council, *etc.*";