

# **Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) (Vocational Licences and Conduct of Drivers, Conductors, Trishaw Riders and Passengers) Rules**

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**ROAD TRAFFIC (PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES) (VOCATIONAL LICENCES AND  
CONDUCT OF DRIVERS, CONDUCTORS, TRISHAW RIDERS AND  
PASSENGERS) RULES**

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**PART I**

**PRELIMINARY**

**Citation**

**1.** These Rules may be cited as the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) (Vocational Licences and Conduct of Drivers, Conductors, Trishaw Riders and Passengers) Rules.

*[S 572/2009 wef 20/11/2009]*

**Definitions**

**2.** For the purpose of these Rules —

*[Deleted by S 919/2020 wef 30/10/2020]*

*[Deleted by S 919/2020 wef 30/10/2020]*

“assessment report” means an assessment report prepared in accordance with rule 4(3) or 9(9) and (10), as the case may be;

*[S 204/2016 wef 06/05/2016]  
[S 651/2020 wef 30/07/2020]*

“authorised officer” means a person authorised by the Registrar to discharge any of the functions and duties or to exercise any of the powers of the Registrar under these Rules;

“authorised person” means —

- (a) the holder of a public service vehicle licence issued under section 102 of the Act;
- (b) an employee of the owner of a public service vehicle; or
- (c) a person acting as a driver or conductor of a public service vehicle while it is being used for the carriage of passengers for the purpose of gain;

*[S 313/2017 wef 20/06/2017]*

“certificate of fitness” means a certificate of fitness prepared in accordance with rule 4(3A) or 9A(3) or (4) (as the case may be) certifying that a person is physically and mentally fit to hold a licence to drive a vehicle or to be a conductor;

*[S 252/2012 wef 01/06/2012]  
[S 651/2020 wef 30/07/2020]*

*[Deleted by S 919/2020 wef 30/10/2020]*

“chauffeured private hire car” means a motor car that is the subject of a chauffeured private hire car licence granted under the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Rules;

*[S 313/2017 wef 20/06/2017]*

“chauffeured private hire car driver” means a person who is authorised by a licence to drive a chauffeured private hire car for reward (whether or not as an employee);

*[S 313/2017 wef 20/06/2017]*

“Class 3 bus” means a bus the weight of which unladen does not exceed 2,500 kilograms;

*[S 204/2016 wef 06/05/2016]*

“Class 4 vehicle” means a vehicle the weight of which unladen exceeds 2,500 kilograms;

*[S 651/2020 wef 30/07/2020]*