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# ROAD TRAFFIC ACT (CHAPTER 276)

# ROAD TRAFFIC (DEALING IN POWER-ASSISTED BICYCLES) (AMENDMENT) RULES 2020

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34(1) of the Road Traffic Act, the Minister for Transport makes the following Rules:

#### Citation and commencement

1. These Rules are the Road Traffic (Dealing in Power-Assisted Bicycles) (Amendment) Rules 2020 and come into operation on 3 April 2020.

## New rule 6

**2.** The Road Traffic (Dealing in Power-Assisted Bicycles) Rules 2018 (G.N. No. S 244/2018) are amended by inserting, immediately after rule 5, the following rule:

# "Penalties

- **6.**—(1) A person who contravenes rule 3(1) or (2) or 5 shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction
  - (a) where the person is an individual
    - (i) to a fine not exceeding \$10,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or to both; but
    - (ii) where the individual is a repeat offender, to a fine not exceeding \$20,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 24 months or to both; and

- (b) in any other case
  - (i) to a fine not exceeding \$20,000; but
  - (ii) where the person is a repeat offender, to a fine not exceeding \$40,000.
- (2) A person who contravenes rule 4(1) shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction
  - (a) where the person is an individual
    - (i) to a fine not exceeding \$5,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or to both; but
    - (ii) where the individual is a repeat offender, to a fine not exceeding \$10,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 12 months or to both; and
  - (b) in any other case
    - (i) to a fine not exceeding \$10,000; but
    - (ii) where the person is a repeat offender, to a fine not exceeding \$20,000.
- (3) In these Rules, "repeat offender", in relation to any offence under these Rules, means a person who
  - (a) is convicted, or found guilty, of such an offence (called the current offence); and
  - (b) has been convicted or found guilty of the same offence, on at least one other earlier occasion within the period of 5 years immediately before the date on which the person is convicted or found guilty of the current offence."

# **Amendment of Schedule**

**3.** The Schedule to the Road Traffic (Dealing in Power-Assisted Bicycles) Rules 2018 is amended by deleting the warning notice and substituting the following warning notice: