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ROAD TRAFFIC ACT (CHAPTER 276)

ROAD TRAFFIC (MOTOR VEHICLES, REGISTRATION AND LICENSING) (AMENDMENT NO. 7) RULES 2017

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 140 of the Road Traffic Act, the Minister for Transport makes the following Rules:

Citation and commencement

1. These Rules are the Road Traffic (Motor Vehicles, Registration and Licensing) (Amendment No. 7) Rules 2017 and come into operation on 1 January 2018.

Amendment of rule 3D

2. Rule 3D of the Road Traffic (Motor Vehicles, Registration and Licensing) (Amendment) Rules (R 5) (called in these Rules the principal Rules) is amended —

- (*a*) by inserting, immediately after the words "fuel economy" in paragraph (4)(*aa*), the words "and vehicular emissions"; and
- (b) by deleting the words "carbon dioxide emissions" wherever they appear in paragraph (7A)(b) and (c) and substituting in each case the words "vehicular emissions".

Amendment of rule 4A

3. Rule 4A of the principal Rules is amended by deleting paragraph (*b*) and substituting the following paragraph:

"(b) does not have recorded in the register of vehicles maintained by the Registrar under rule 12 —

- (i) for a vehicle registered before 1 January 2018, its carbon dioxide emission value; and
- (ii) for a vehicle registered on or after 1 January 2018, its vehicular emission values,".

Amendment of rule 9C

4. Rule 9C(1) of the principal Rules is amended by deleting the words "1st January 2013" in sub-paragraphs (*a*) and (*b*) and substituting in each case the words "1 January 2013 but before 1 January 2018".

New rule 10

5. The principal Rules are amended by inserting, immediately after rule 9C, the following rule:

"Vehicular emissions rebate for new or secondhand car or taxi registered on or after 1 January 2018

10.—(1) Subject to rule 8 —

- (a) where
 - (i) a new or secondhand vehicle is to be first registered in Singapore on or after 1 January 2018 as a motor car (other than a taxi); or
 - (ii) a new vehicle is to be registered in Singapore on or after 1 January 2018 as a taxi; and
- (b) each prescribed vehicular emission from the vehicle has a vehicular emission level that is in Band A1 or Band A2 for that emission,

then the registered owner of the vehicle may apply to the Registrar for a rebate on the fee payable under rule 7(1)(a) in respect of the vehicle.

(2) Subject to paragraphs (6) and (7), the amount of the rebate which the Registrar may grant upon an application under paragraph (1) is as follows: