

## **Parking Places (Parking of Heavy Vehicles) Rules**

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## **PARKING PLACES ACT (CHAPTER 214, SECTION 8)**

# PARKING PLACES (PARKING OF HEAVY VEHICLES) RULES

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## Citation

1. These Rules may be cited as the Parking Places (Parking of Heavy Vehicles) Rules.

## Definitions

2. In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires —

“designated parking space” means a parking lot or other space in a parking place or a private parking place in which the registered owner of, or the person who has purchased, a heavy vehicle is authorised by the Superintendent or licensee, as the case may be, to park the heavy vehicle;

“officer” means an officer authorised by the Superintendent;

“parking lot” means the space marked out in a parking place or a private parking place for the parking of one heavy vehicle;

“private dwelling-house” means any building, flat or tenement wholly or principally used or occupied for residential purposes;

“private parking place” means a private parking place that is licensed for the parking of one or more heavy vehicles under the Parking Places (Licensing and Control of Private Parking Places for Heavy Vehicles) Rules (R 1);

“registered owner”, in relation to a heavy vehicle, means the person who is registered under the Road Traffic Act (Cap. 276) as the owner of the heavy vehicle;

“registration”, in relation to a heavy vehicle, means the registration of the heavy vehicle under section 10 of the Road Traffic Act;

“vehicle licence” means a vehicle licence issued under section 13 of the Road Traffic Act;

“vehicle parking certificate” means a vehicle parking certificate issued under these Rules.

### **Restriction of parking of heavy vehicles**

3. No person who maintains or operates a parking place which is used in connection with private dwelling-houses shall at any time allow a heavy vehicle to be parked in the parking place.

### **Vehicle parking certificate**

4.—(1) Every person who is the registered owner of, or who has purchased, a heavy vehicle shall, subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), procure a designated parking space for the parking of the heavy vehicle.

(2) Every person who is the registered owner of, or who has purchased, 2 or more trailers may procure one designated parking space for the parking of not more than 3 such trailers.

(3) Notwithstanding paragraph (2), every person who is the registered owner of, or who has purchased, 2 or more 20-foot trailers may procure one designated space for the parking of not more than 6 such trailers.

(4) Every person who is the registered owner of, or who has purchased, a heavy vehicle shall, upon compliance with paragraph (1), (2) or (3) as the case may be, apply for a vehicle parking certificate in respect of the heavy vehicle.

(5) An application for a vehicle parking certificate by a registered owner, or by a person who has procured one designated space under paragraph (3) for the parking of not more than 6 20-foot trailers shall be accompanied by a declaration made by the registered owner or person in such form as the Authority may require.

(6) Every vehicle parking certificate shall be in such form and shall state such particulars as may be required by the Superintendent.

### **Application for vehicle parking certificate**

5.—(1) Every application for a vehicle parking certificate shall be made to the officer or a licensee from whom the applicant has procured a designated parking space for the parking of his heavy vehicle.

(2) Every application for a vehicle parking certificate shall be in such form as the Superintendent may require and shall be accompanied by the fee specified in the Schedule.

(3) The officer or licensee shall issue a vehicle parking certificate to the applicant in respect of the heavy vehicle for which the application is made upon the applicant having complied with paragraph (2).

(4) The Superintendent may, in his discretion, waive in whole or in part the fee