

**Reprint
as at 1 August 2013**



Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012

(SR 2012/145)

Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012: revoked, on 1 August 2013, by regulation 3.

Jerry Mateparae, Governor-General

Order in Council

At Wellington this 11th day of June 2012

Present:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council

Pursuant to section 90(1)(a), (b), and (c) of the Road User Charges Act 2012, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting on the advice and with the consent of the Executive Council, makes the following regulations.

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Note

Changes authorised by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 have been made in this reprint.

A general outline of these changes is set out in the notes at the end of this reprint, together with other explanatory material about this reprint.

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Regulations

- 1 Title**
These regulations are the Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012.
- 2 Commencement**
These regulations come into force on 1 August 2012.
- 3 Expiry**
These regulations expire and are deemed to be revoked with the close of 31 July 2013.
- 4 Interpretation**
In these regulations,—
Act means the Road User Charges Act 2012
former Act means the Road User Charges Act 1977.
- 5 Modifications to section 5(1) of Act**
(1) This regulation applies during the transitional period beginning on 1 August 2012 and ending with the close of 31 July 2013.

- (2) During that transitional period, section 5(1) of the Act must be read as if it were modified in the manner set out in the rest of this regulation.
- (3) *[Revoked]*
- (4) *[Revoked]*
- (5) Section 5(1) is modified by inserting in their appropriate alphabetical order:

“**road controlling authority** has the same meaning as in section 2(1) of the Land Transport Act 1998

“**trade plate** has the same meaning as in section 233(1) of the Land Transport Act 1998”.

Regulation 5(3): revoked, on 28 February 2013, by the Notice in relation to Notice of Motion to Disallow Regulations 5(3), 5(4), and 8 of the Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012 (SR 2013/32).

Regulation 5(4): revoked, on 28 February 2013, by the Notice in relation to Notice of Motion to Disallow Regulations 5(3), 5(4), and 8 of the Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012 (SR 2013/32).

6 Modification to section 96 of Act

- (1) This regulation applies during the transitional period beginning on 1 August 2012 and ending with the close of 31 August 2012.
- (2) During that transitional period, section 96 of the Act must be read as if the following subsection were inserted after subsection (2):
 - “(2A) On and from the commencement of section 17 of this Act, a supplementary licence issued under section 10 of the former Act and in force immediately before that commencement—
 - “(a) continues in force until the close of 31 August 2012; and
 - “(b) must be treated as if it were issued under section 17.”

7 Transitional and savings provision relating to exemption granted in respect of heavy vehicles

- (1) This regulation applies during the transitional period beginning on 1 August 2012 and ending with the close of 31 August 2012.
- (2) During that transitional period, the Act must be read as if the following section were inserted after section 97:

“97A Transitional and savings provision relating to exemption granted in respect of heavy vehicles

Despite the commencement of Part 2 of this Act, an exemption in respect of a heavy motor vehicle granted under section 4(c) of the former Act and that applies immediately before that commencement—

- “(a) continues to apply until the close of 31 August 2012; and
- “(b) the heavy motor vehicle must, during the period for which the exemption continues to apply, be treated as if it were an exempt vehicle within the meaning of that term in section 5(1) of the Act.”

8 Transitional and savings provision relating to exemption granted in respect of certain farmers’ vehicles

[Revoked]

Regulation 8: revoked, on 28 February 2013, by the Notice in relation to Notice of Motion to Disallow Regulations 5(3), 5(4), and 8 of the Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012 (SR 2013/32).

9 Transitional and savings provision relating to exemption granted in respect of hubodometers

- (1) This regulation applies during the transitional period beginning on 1 August 2012 and ending with the close of 30 June 2013.
- (2) During the transitional period, the Act must be read as if the following section were inserted after section 97B (as inserted by the modification in regulation 8):

“97C Transitional and savings provision relating to exemption granted in respect of hubodometers

Despite the commencement of section 8 of the Act, a notice given by the Secretary under regulation 6(6)(a) of the Road User Charges Regulations 1978 that a RUC vehicle need not be fitted with a hubodometer continues in force until the close of 30 June 2013.”

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**Road User Charges (Transitional Matters)
Regulations 2012**

Michael Webster,
for Clerk of the Executive Council.

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Notes**1 General**

This is a reprint of the Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012. The reprint incorporates all the amendments to the regulations as at 1 August 2013, as specified in the list of amendments at the end of these notes.

Relevant provisions of any amending enactments that contain transitional, savings, or application provisions that cannot be compiled in the reprint are also included, after the principal enactment, in chronological order. For more information, see <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/reprints/>.

2 Status of reprints

Under section 16D of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989, reprints are presumed to correctly state, as at the date of the reprint, the law enacted by the principal enactment and by the amendments to that enactment. This presumption applies even though editorial changes authorised by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 have been made in the reprint.

This presumption may be rebutted by producing the official volumes of statutes or statutory regulations in which the principal enactment and its amendments are contained.

3 How reprints are prepared

A number of editorial conventions are followed in the preparation of reprints. For example, the enacting words are not included in Acts, and provisions that are repealed or revoked

are omitted. For a detailed list of the editorial conventions, see <http://www.pco.parliament.govt.nz/editorial-conventions/> or Part 8 of the *Tables of New Zealand Acts and Ordinances and Statutory Regulations and Deemed Regulations in Force*.

4 Changes made under section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989

Section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 authorises the making of editorial changes in a reprint as set out in sections 17D and 17E of that Act so that, to the extent permitted, the format and style of the reprinted enactment is consistent with current legislative drafting practice. Changes that would alter the effect of the legislation are not permitted. A new format of legislation was introduced on 1 January 2000. Changes to legislative drafting style have also been made since 1997, and are ongoing. To the extent permitted by section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989, all legislation reprinted after 1 January 2000 is in the new format for legislation and reflects current drafting practice at the time of the reprint.

In outline, the editorial changes made in reprints under the authority of section 17C of the Acts and Regulations Publication Act 1989 are set out below, and they have been applied, where relevant, in the preparation of this reprint:

- omission of unnecessary referential words (such as “of this section” and “of this Act”)
- typeface and type size (Times Roman, generally in 11.5 point)
- layout of provisions, including:
 - indentation
 - position of section headings (eg, the number and heading now appear above the section)
- format of definitions (eg, the defined term now appears in bold type, without quotation marks)
- format of dates (eg, a date formerly expressed as “the 1st day of January 1999” is now expressed as “1 January 1999”)

- position of the date of assent (it now appears on the front page of each Act)
- punctuation (eg, colons are not used after definitions)
- Parts numbered with roman numerals are replaced with arabic numerals, and all cross-references are changed accordingly
- case and appearance of letters and words, including:
 - format of headings (eg, headings where each word formerly appeared with an initial capital letter followed by small capital letters are amended so that the heading appears in bold, with only the first word (and any proper nouns) appearing with an initial capital letter)
 - small capital letters in section and subsection references are now capital letters
- schedules are renumbered (eg, Schedule 1 replaces First Schedule), and all cross-references are changed accordingly
- running heads (the information that appears at the top of each page)
- format of two-column schedules of consequential amendments, and schedules of repeals (eg, they are rearranged into alphabetical order, rather than chronological).

5 *List of amendments incorporated in this reprint (most recent first)*

Notice in relation to Notice of Motion to Disallow Regulations 5(3), 5(4), and 8 of the Road User Charges (Transitional Matters) Regulations 2012 (SR 2013/32)

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