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GOVERNMENT NOTICES • GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWINGS

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT**NO. 1408****11 NOVEMBER 2016**

NATIONAL ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 93 OF 1996)

AMENDMENT OF THE NATIONAL ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

I, **Dipuo Peters**, Minister of Transport, acting in terms of section 75 (6) of the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996) herewith makes the regulations in the Schedule hereto.

**Dipuo Peters (MP)****Minister of Transport****SCHEDULE****Definition**

1. In this Schedule "the Regulations" means the National Road Traffic Regulations published in Government Notice No. R. 225 of 17 March 2000, as amended by Government Notice No's. R. 761 of 31 July 2000, R. 941 of 22 September 2000, R. 726 of 3 August 2001, R. 2116 of 5 October 2001, R. 779 of 4 June 2002, R. 1341 of 25 September 2003, R. 881 of 23 July 2004, R. 871 of 2 September 2005, R. 1066 of 23 November 2005, R. 1318 of 2 December 2005, R. 1319 of 2 December 2005, R. 891 of 4 September 2006, R. 964 of 29 September 2006, R. 404 of 4 May 2007 and R. 865 of 28 September 2007, R. 589 of 27 May 2009, R. 359 of 12 May 2010, R. 541 of 29 June 2011, R. 209 of 9 March 2012, R. 758 of 9 October 2013, R. 890 of 19 November 2013, R. 846 of 31 October 2014, and R.188 of 19 February 2016.

Amendment of regulation 250 of the Regulations

2. Regulation 250 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution for the regulation of the following regulation:

"250. School children and persons not to be conveyed in goods compartment of a motor vehicle for reward

(1) No person shall on a public road convey school children in the goods compartment of a motor vehicle for reward.

(2) No person shall convey any other person in the goods compartment of a motor vehicle for reward: Provided that the provisions of this subregulation shall not apply in respect of a vehicle which complies with the provisions of the NLTA."

Amendment of regulation 293 of the Regulations

3. Regulation 293 of the Regulations is hereby amended by-

(a) the deletion of the word "and" after subparagraph (i) and (ii) of paragraph (b) of subregulation (1);

(b) the substitution of the "." after subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (b) of subregulation (1) with a "; and"; and

(c) the addition of the following subparagraph after subparagraph (iii) of paragraph (b) of subregulation (1):

"(iv) (aa) a goods vehicle the gross vehicle mass of which exceeds 3 500 kilograms but does not exceed 9 000 kilograms; or

(bb) a combination of motor vehicles consisting of a goods vehicle, being the drawing vehicle, and one or two

trailers of which the sum of the gross vehicle mass of the goods vehicle and of the trailer or trailers exceeds 3 500 kilograms but does not exceed 9 000 kilograms.”.

Short title and commencement

4. (a) These Regulations are called the Twenty Fourth Amendment to the National Road Traffic Regulations, and shall come into operation on the date of publication in the Gazette, except for—

(b) Regulation 2 which shall come into operation 6 months from the date of publication in the *Gazette*.

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