

ROAD TRAFFIC (PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES) REGULATIONS (Chapter 374, sub. leg. D)

TAXI DRIVER IDENTITY PLATE AND
TAXI DRIVER IDENTITY PLATE HOLDER

In exercise of the powers vested in me under regulation 51(6)(a) and 51(7)(a) of the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Regulations, Chapter 374, sub. leg. D, I hereby specify respectively for the taxi driver identity plate and the taxi driver identity plate holder the size, design, form and construction, and position for display as follows:—

(I) TAXI DRIVER IDENTITY PLATE

(A) Size and Construction

- (i) The taxi driver identity plate shall be made of the blank taxi driver identity plate form (with the size of 108 mm in width and 75 mm in height) as shown in the Transport Department Form Number TD 592R (Rev. 2018) or TD 592R (Rev. 2024).
- (ii) The taxi driver identity plate shall be plastic laminated.

(B) Design

- (i) The taxi driver identity plate shall show the driver's full name as shown in the identity card in English and, where appropriate, in Chinese.
- (ii) The taxi driver identity plate shall show the date of issue and date of expiry in the format of 'DD/MM/YYYY' where 'DD', 'MM' and 'YYYY' are the date, month and year respectively.
- (iii) The taxi driver identity plate shall bear the driver's photograph that is recent as at the date of issue.
- (iv) The taxi driver identity plate shall not show or bear any thing or matter that is not specified in (i), (ii) and (iii) above, or that is not in accordance with the form specified in (C) below.

(C) Form

- (i) For the name of the taxi driver, the English letters shall be in block type and black colour and 4.5 mm in height. The Chinese characters shall be in black colour and 10 mm in height.
- (ii) For the date of issue and date of expiry, the numbers shall be in black colour and 3 mm in height and in Arabic numerals.
- (iii) For the photograph of the taxi driver, it shall be in colour and printed on the white background space provided at the right part of the blank taxi driver identity plate form. The size of the photograph shall be 28 mm in width and 33 mm in height.

(D) Position for Display

The taxi driver identity plate shall be inserted in the plate holder as specified in (II) and displayed with the side bearing the photograph facing the passengers.

(II) TAXI DRIVER IDENTITY PLATE HOLDER

(A) Size and Construction

- (i) The taxi driver identity plate holder shall enable the taxi driver identity plate to be inserted in without obstructing the display of any information and logo shown on both sides of the taxi driver identity plate.
- (ii) The overall size of the taxi driver identity plate holder together with the taxi driver identity plate inserted inside shall not exceed 120 mm in width and 110 mm in height.

(B) Design

The taxi driver identity plate holder shall show the registration mark of the taxi at its middle lower part facing the passenger. The display of the registration mark of the taxi shall not be obstructed after insertion of the taxi driver identity plate.

(C) Form

For the registration mark of the taxi being shown on the taxi driver identity plate holder, the English letters and numbers shall be in black colour and 10 mm in height.

(D) Position for Display

The taxi driver identity plate holder shall be mounted securely on the dashboard to the left of the taximeter.

This Notice shall take effect on 6 April 2024. At the same time, G.N. 7438 gazetted in 2018 shall be revoked.

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