

ROAD TRAFFIC (REGISTRATION AND LICENSING OF VEHICLES)
REGULATIONS (Chapter 374E)

(Notice under regulation 3(c))

To expedite the process of delivering supplies from the Mainland to Hong Kong *via* road transport during the COVID-19 epidemic period, with the agreement of the Mainland Government, the Mainland goods vehicles (the 'Vehicles') will be deployed by the Mainland Government for the transportation of supplies to designated places *via* designated routes with prior approval by the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government (the 'Duties').

Pursuant to regulation 3(c) of the Road Traffic (Registration and Licensing of Vehicles) Regulations (Chapter 374E), I hereby exempt the Vehicles from the Road Traffic (Registration and Licensing of Vehicles) Regulations while being used in Hong Kong with effect from the time of publication of this Gazette notice on 1 March 2022 (the 'Effective Date'). The exemption will expire on the 60th day counting from the Effective Date (excluding the Effective Date), or an earlier date when the Duties are no longer required.

The above exemption does not affect the application of other laws of Hong Kong (including but not limited to the Road Traffic Ordinance (Chapter 374) and its subsidiary legislation (except Chapter 374E)) to the Vehicles when they are being driven on a road in Hong Kong.

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