

**L.N. 12 of 2008****ROAD TRAFFIC (PUBLIC SERVICE VEHICLES) (AMENDMENT  
OF SCHEDULE 5) REGULATION 2008**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 7(1C)  
of the Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374))

**1. Commencement**

This Regulation shall come into operation on 28 February 2008.

**2. Taxi fares**

Schedule 5 to the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Regulations (Cap. 374 sub. leg. D) is amended—

- (a) in item 1, by repealing “\$15.00” and substituting “\$16.00”;
- (b) in item 2a, by repealing “\$12.50” and substituting “\$13.50”;
- (c) in item 4(vi), in the Chinese text, by repealing “費” and substituting “費。”;
- (d) in item 4(via), in the Chinese text, by repealing “\$30” and substituting “\$30.00”.

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**Explanatory Note**

This Regulation amends Schedule 5 to the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Regulations (Cap. 374 sub. leg. D) to increase some of the fares specified in that Schedule. Accordingly—

- (a) for taxis licensed to operate in Hong Kong and Kowloon, the fare for the first 2 kilometres or any part thereof is increased from \$15.00 to \$16.00; and

- (b) for taxis licensed to operate in the New Territories, the fare for the first 2 kilometres or any part thereof is increased from \$12.50 to \$13.50.

2. The Regulation also rectifies two clerical errors in the Chinese text of Schedule 5.