

Disability Discrimination Ordinance

Resolution

(Under section 87(2) of the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487))

Resolved that the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 5) Notice 2014, made by the Chief Executive in Council on 9 December 2014, be approved.

Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 5) Notice 2014

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 87(2) of the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487) subject to the approval of the Legislative Council)

1. Disability Discrimination Ordinance amended

The Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487) is amended as set out in section 2.

2. Schedule 5 amended (further exceptions to this Ordinance)

(1) Schedule 5, item 4, column 2, paragraph (d)—

Repeal

“or”.

(2) Schedule 5, item 4, column 2, paragraph (e)—

Repeal

“(Cap. 104).”

Substitute

“(Cap. 104); or”.

(3) Schedule 5, item 4, column 2, after paragraph (e)—

Add

“(f) a public transport service operated by a person pursuant to a passenger service licence issued under section 27 of the Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374) in respect of a public light bus which is on a scheduled service (as defined by regulation 2(1) of the Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) Regulations (Cap. 374 sub. leg. D)).”.



Clerk to the Executive Council

COUNCIL CHAMBER

9th December, 2014

Explanatory Note

This Notice amends Schedule 5 to the Disability Discrimination Ordinance (Cap. 487) (*Ordinance*).

2. The effect of the amendment is that the provision of fare concessions to certain persons with a disability in respect of a public transport service operated by a holder of a passenger service licence issued in respect of a public light bus on a scheduled service is a further exception to Parts 4 and 5 of the Ordinance. Under section 60 of the Ordinance, the discrimination is not rendered unlawful by those Parts.