

Transport (Scotland) Act 2001

PART

BUS SERVICES

Ticketing arrangements and ticketing schemes

31 Making of ticketing scheme

- (1) If, having complied with section 30 of this Act, the authority decide that it is appropriate to make a ticketing scheme, they may make it—
 - (a) in the form proposed; or
 - (b) subject to such modifications as they may specify.
- (2) The scheme shall specify the date (being a date not earlier than 3 months after the date on which the scheme is made) on which it is to come into operation.
- (3) Not later than 14 days after the date on which a scheme is made, the authority shall give notice of it—
 - (a) in at least one local newspaper circulating in the area to which the scheme relates;
 - (b) to all operators of local services who are, in the opinion of the authority, likely to be affected by it;
 - (c) to the traffic commissioner; and
 - (d) in such other manner, or to such other persons or class of person (if any), as the Scottish Ministers may prescribe by regulations.
- (4) The notice shall—
 - (a) set out the scheme and the date on which it is to come into operation; and
 - (b) identify the classes of local service which will be affected by it.