



Transport Act 1980

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- 13 In section 248 (power to hold inquiries) after “the London...
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LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1953 (c. 26)

In section 4 (power of local authority to provide bus...

*LOCAL GOVERNMENT (OMNIBUS SHELTERS AND
QUEUE BARRIERS) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1958 (c. 50)*

In section 7(1) (interpretation), after the definition of “local authority”...

TRANSPORT ACT 1962 (c. 46)

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FINANCE ACT 1965 (c. 25)

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1967 (c.76)

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TRANSPORT (LONDON) ACT 1969 (c.35)

ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1972 (c. 20)

ROAD TRAFFIC (FOREIGN VEHICLES) ACT 1972 (c. 27)

- 1 In section 4(2)(b) (circumstances in which drivers of foreign public...
- 2 In section 7 (interpretation), in the definition of “public service...
- 3 In Schedule I (enactments conferring functions on examiners), for “Section...

ROAD TRAFFIC ACT 1974 (c. 50)

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT 1976 (c. 57)

- 1 In section 63(3)(b) (hackney carriage stands not to be appointed...
- 2 In section 80(1) (interpretation of Part 11)—

ENERGY ACT 1976 (c. 76)

In Schedule I (permissible relaxations of road traffic and transport...

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PASSENGER VEHICLES (EXPERIMENTAL AREAS) ACT 1977 (c. 21)

MINIBUS ACT 1977 (c. 25)

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1 (1) Where any right, liability or obligation is transferred to...

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2 The transfer to the successor company by virtue of section...

Modification of agreements

3 Where immediately before the appointed day there is in force...

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4 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), no right, liability or obligation...

Compensation payments arising from earlier reorganisations

5 The obligations of the Corporation transferred by virtue of section...

Pensions of former members of the Corporation

6 The obligations of the Corporation transferred by virtue of section...

Pension schemes

7 (1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2), the provisions of section 74...

Grants in respect of certain capital expenditure

8 (1) The obligations of the Corporation transferred by virtue of...

Reimbursement for certain travel concessions

9 (1) The obligations of the Corporation transferred by virtue of...

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10 (1) The obligations of the Corporation transferred by virtue of...

SCHEDULE 7 — Amendments Consequential on Part II

TRANSPORT ACT 1968 (c. 73)

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- 3 In section 29(6) for the words from “subsection (2) of...
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- 5 In paragraph 4 of Schedule 16 for the words from...

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6 In paragraph 5 of Schedule 16— (a) in sub-paragraph (2),...

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PART II — REPEALS TAKING EFFECT ON PASSING OF THIS ACT

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- s. 62(2) repealed by [2004 c. 14 Sch. 1 Pt. 14](#)
- Sch. 4 repealed by [2004 c. 14 Sch. 1 Pt. 14](#)
- Sch. 6 para. 10 by [2000 c. 38 s. 274 Sch. 31 Pt. 4](#)