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1977 No. 2174**ROAD TRAFFIC****The Heavy Goods Vehicles (Drivers' Licences) (Amendment)
Regulations 1977**

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The Secretary of State for Transport, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 119 of the Road Traffic Act 1972(a), and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with representative organisations in accordance with the provisions of section 199(2) of the said Act of 1972, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Heavy Goods Vehicles (Drivers' Licences) (Amendment) Regulations 1977, and shall come into operation on 24th December 1977.

2. The Heavy Goods Vehicles (Drivers' Licences) Regulations 1977(b) shall be amended by adding at the end of Regulation 29(1) thereof (Exemptions) the following sub-paragraph:—

“(w) vehicles which are designed for fire fighting or fire salvage purposes and which are the property of, or for the time being under the control of, the Secretary of State for Defence, when being driven by a member of the armed forces of the Crown”.

22nd December 1977

William Rodgers,
Secretary of State for Transport.

(a) 1972 c. 20.

(b) S.I. 1977/1309 (1977 II, p. 3770).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations amend Regulation 29 of the Heavy Goods Vehicles (Drivers' Licences) Regulations 1977 by adding to the list of heavy goods vehicles to which the provisions of Part IV of the Road Traffic Act 1972 about h.g.v. drivers' licences do not apply, fire fighting and fire salvage vehicles which are the property of, or are under the control of, the Secretary of State for Defence, when being driven by a member of the armed forces of the Crown.

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