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## PART IV (A) — PROVINCIAL COUNCILS

#### **Provincial Councils Notifications**

## NORTHERN PROVINCE ROAD PASSENGERS TRANSPORT AUTHORITY STATUTE No. 01 OF 2016

REGULATIONS amended by the Chief Minister and Minister of Finance & Planning, Law & Order, Lands, Electricity, Housing & Construction, Tourism, Local Government, Provincial Administration, Rural Development, Road Development, Motor Traffic & Transport under Section 62 of the Northern Province Road Passengers Transport Authority Statute No.01 of 2016

JUSTICE C.WIGNESWARAN,
Chief Minister and Minister of Finance & Planning, Law & Order, Lands, Electricity,
Housing & Construction, Tourism, Local Government,
Provincial Administration, Rural Development, Road Development,
Motor Traffic & Transport
Northern Provincial Council.

Northern Provincial Council A9 Road, Kaithady, Jaffna

#### Regulations

The Northern Province Road Passengers Transport Regulations published in the *Extraordinary Gazette*, No. 2019/5 of 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 2017 are amended as follows with effect from 01.02.2018.

1. By placing the following Schedule II instead of the Schedule II which complies with its Regulation 3,



#### SCHEDULE II

#### FEES DETERMINED BY THE AUTHORITY

The fees payable for any operation specified in Column I of this Schedule, shall be the amounts shown in the corresponding entries in Column II of this Schedule.

	Column I	Column II
	Amount of fees payable	Rs. Cts.
1.	Application fee for a permit	1,000.00
2.	Converting new Route Permit issued by the Authority into permanent	
	i. From 1 Km to 25 Km	50,000.00
	ii. From 26 Km to 50 Km	75,000.00
	iii. From 51 Km to 75 Km	100,000.00
	iv. From 76 Km to 100 Km	125,000.00
	v. More than 101 Km	150,000.00
3.	Issuing of a new permit – subject to the tender procedure of the Authority	
4.	Renewal fee for Passengers Service Permit	
	i) Renewal fee (within due date)	7,500.00
	ii) Renewal fee (within 7 days from the date of expiry)	10,500.00
	iii) Renewal fee (after 7 days from the date of expiry and within one month)	12,500.00
	iv) Renewal fee (after one month from the date of expiry and	
	within two months)	17,500.00
	v) Renewal fee (after two months from the date of expiry and	
	within three months)	22,500.00
	vi) Renewal fee (after three months from the date of expiry and	
	up to six months) At the rate of Rupees 5,000.00 per month	
5.	Obtaining copy of Passengers Service Permit (if damaged)	2,500.00
6.	Obtaining copy of Passengers Service Permit (if lost/missing)	5,000.00
7.	Obtaining copy of Passengers Service windscreen label (if damaged)	2,000.00
8.	Obtaining copy of Passenger Service windscreen label (if lost/missing)	2,500.00
9.	Special Hire Permit – per day	200.00
10.	Temporary Permit – per day	200.00
11.	Ownership Transfer of Route Permit	100,000.00
12.	If a Permit holder deceases transferring that Permit to the lawful heir	
	(wife or husband or children)	Nil
13.	Transfer of Permit amongst family members	
	(wife or husband or children)	50,000.00
14.	Distribution of the duplicate of timetable in an omnibus	100.00
15.	Amendment of timetable on the request of owners	
	(if the Authority agrees) for an omnibus	250.00
16.	Distribution of additional schedule of fares	50.00
17.	Fees for changing omnibus	10,000.00
18.	Fees for changing route	25,000.00
19.	Issuing of monthly running chart (within the province)	750.00
20.	Issuing of entry schedule of fares (between the provinces)	1,500.00
21.	Delay in obtaining the monthly running chart	
	(a surplus of 30% to be paid per month)	
22.	Inspecting omnibus by the Authority	2,000.00
23.	Alteration in Permit	1,000.00
24.	Obtaining Operating Permit for Driver and Conductor	2,500.00

- 20.1. Any person who violates the confirmed offences mentioned in the Schedule V given hereinafter shall subject to the penalties shown against them.
- 20.2. Any person who violates the provisions of other Regulations which are not mentioned in 20.1 that in Schedule V committing an offense shall on conviction be liable to pay a fine not exceeding Rupees Ten Thousand or to imprisonment not exceeding two years or to both such fine and imprisonment.

### 3. By adding the following new Schedule V SCHEDULE V

No.	Detail of offence	1 <sup>st</sup> attempt	2 <sup>nd</sup> attempt	3 <sup>rd</sup> attempt	4 <sup>th</sup> attempt	5 <sup>th</sup> attempt
1	Serving without unlimited passengers insurance certificate	Cancelling the Passengers Service Permit				
2	Serving with expired (more than one month) Route Permit	Along with warning penalty of Rupees 2,500.00 shall be paid	Cancelling the Passengers Service Permit			
3	Charging over fare					
4	Not displaying the bus fares in the omnibus					
5	Operating the bus which is not suitable for passengers service					
6	Insulting the authorized officer					
7	Severely contradicting with passengers					
8	Serving with expired (within one month) Route Permit	shall be paid	Along with warning penalty of Rupees 3,000.00 shall be paid			
9	Not following the time schedule					
10	While the respective officers request the documents for inspection, refusing it			Cancelling the Passengers Service Permit		
11	Serving in a route without relevant Route Permit					
12	Charging more than the ticket fare					
13	Serving of Driver and Conductor who are not registered					
14	Not maintaining the fitness and cleanness of vehicle					
15	Contradicting with passengers					

#### SCHEDULE V (Contd.)

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No.	Detail of offence	1 <sup>st</sup> attempt	2 <sup>nd</sup> attempt	3 <sup>rd</sup> attempt	4 <sup>th</sup> attempt	5 <sup>th</sup> attempt				
16	Serving in a route which is not permitted	Along with warning penalty of Rupees 500.00 shall be paid	Along with warning penalty of Rupees 1000.00 shall be paid	Along with warning penalty of Rupees 2,500.00 shall be paid						
17	Not serving until the endpoint in a particular route									
18	Performing special service without obtaining Special Permit									
19	Not keeping relevant documents in the vehicle									
20	Not displaying the commencement point, endpoint and route number in the vehicle									
21	Serving with seats lower than or higher than the approved seats									
22	Absence of bell or in out of order									
23	Not displaying the instruction stating that smoking is prohibited within the vehicle									
24	Not assigning seats for clergies, handicapped and pregnant mothers									
25	Other minor offences									
26	Picking up more passengers higher than the approved number	Rupees 500.00 for 1-3 passengers, Rupees 1,000.00 for 4-6 passengers, Rupees 200.00 per a passenger for more than 6 passengers	Along with warning one and a half time of the penalty of first attempt	Along with warning two times of the penalty of first attempt	Cancelling the Passengers Service Permit					

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