



**THE HEAVY MOTOR VEHICLE REGULATIONS 1974,
AMENDMENT NO. 8**

CATHERINE A. TIZARD, Governor-General

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At Wellington this 1st day of July 1992

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. D. C. MCKINNON PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to sections 77 and 199 of the Transport Act 1962, Her Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

REGULATIONS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Heavy Motor Vehicle Regulations 1974, Amendment No. 8, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Heavy Motor Vehicle Regulations 1974* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the 1st day of July 1992.

2. Classification of roads—Regulation 3 (18) (a) of the principal regulations (as substituted by regulation 3 (1) of the Heavy Motor Vehicle

*S.R. 1974/218

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1974/309

Amendment No. 2: *Revoked by S.R. 1989/179*

Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1985/145

Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1987/206

Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1988/325

Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1989/179

Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1989/309

Regulations 1974, Amendment No. 5) is hereby amended by inserting, before the words “traffic officer”, the words “constable or”.

3. Road construction zones—(1) Regulation 12 (2) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (b), and substituting the following paragraph:

“(b) Be forwarded to the nearest office of the Ministry of Transport; and”.

(2) Regulation 12 of the principal regulations is hereby amended—

(a) By omitting from subclause (2) (d) the words “said Regional Director”, and substituting the words “nearest office of the Ministry of Transport”;

(b) By omitting from subclause (5) the words “Regional Director”, and substituting the words “nearest office of the Ministry of Transport”.

4. Devices to alter axle weights—Regulation 13 (2) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting, before the words “traffic officer”, the words “constable or”.

5. Powers of constables and traffic officers—Regulation 17 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by inserting, before the words “traffic officer” wherever they occur, the words “constable or”.

JAMES OLSON,
Acting for Clerk of the Executive Council.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.

These regulations, which come into force on 1 July 1992, amend the principal regulations to empower constables to exercise the same powers as traffic officers under those regulations. The amendment is consequential upon the transfer to the Police of Ministry of Transport traffic officers.

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