

GOVERNMENT NOTICE No. 96

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE, CH. 16. No. 3

ORDER

MADE BY THE MINISTER OF WORKS UNDER SECTION 9A(2) OF THE MOTOR
VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE, CH. 16. No. 3

THE MOTOR VEHICLES (REGISTRATION RESTRICTION)
ORDER, 1973

1. This Order may be cited as the Motor Vehicles (Registration Restriction) Order, 1973.

2. In this Order a reference to the transfer of a vehicle does not include the transfer of the vehicle on death or by operation of law.

3. After the making of this Order no vehicle shall be registered and licensed for use as a taxi except in accordance with the provisions of this Order.

4. Subject to paragraphs 5 and 6, a vehicle may be registered and licensed for use as a taxi only if—

- (a) it has not been on the register of motor vehicles for more than five years; and
- (b) the applicant for registration satisfies the Licensing Authority that the vehicle is intended as a replacement of another vehicle that was registered and licensed for use as a taxi.

5. (1) Within six months of the making of this Order, the Licensing Authority may, in its discretion, register not more than one thousand and eight vehicles in addition to those on the register on the 1st day of September, 1972, if the applicant for registration satisfies the Licensing Authority that the vehicle is intended for use by him as the sole means of support of himself and his family.

(2) No applicant shall be permitted to register more than one vehicle for use as a taxi under subparagraph (1).

6. (1) Where after the making of this Order, a vehicle that is registered for use as a taxi is transferred (in this subparagraph referred to as "the transferred vehicle"), no vehicle shall be registered as a replacement therefor unless the transferred vehicle was registered and licensed in the applicant's name for a continuous period of six months immediately before the date of the application for registration.

(2) No vehicle that has been registered as a replacement after the making of this Order may be transferred within six months of such registration.

(3) Notwithstanding subparagraphs (1) and (2) where a vehicle that has been registered and licensed for use as a taxi is rendered permanently unserviceable or is destroyed while so registered, the Licensing Authority may in its discretion register another vehicle as a replacement therefor, although—

- (a) the vehicle was not registered and licensed in the applicant's name for the period specified in subparagraph (1); or
- (b) the vehicle was transferred within the period specified in subparagraph (2).

7. (1) A fleet owner may be permitted to register for use as taxis a number of vehicles not exceeding half as much again of the total number of taxis owned by him immediately before the making of this Order.

(2) For the purposes of this paragraph a "fleet owner" means a person who is the registered owner of not less than five taxis which operate from a fixed address and do not ply for hire on any road.

8. The Motor Vehicles (Registration Restriction) Order, 1963 is revoked.

Made this 8th day of June, 1973.

G.N.
No. 57
of 1963
revoked

V. L. CAMPBELL
Minister of Works

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THE PENSIONS EXTENSION ORDINANCE, 1961
(No. 34 OF 1961)

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred on him by section 8 of the Pensions Extension Ordinance, 1961, the Governor-General hereby varies the Schedule to the said Ordinance by adding thereto the following Office:

WATER AND SEWERAGE AUTHORITY

Foreman I 1st January, 1970

Dated this 30th day of June, 1973.

G. M. CHAMBERS
Minister of Finance