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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

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DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT, 2002**AMENDMENT OF THE DIRECTIONS ISSUED IN TERMS OF REGULATION 10(7) OF THE REGULATIONS MADE IN UNDER SECTION 27(2) OF THE DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT, 2002 (Act No. 57 of 2002): MEASURES TO PREVENT AND COMBAT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19 IN THE PUBLIC TRANSPORT SERVICES**

I, Fikile Mbalula, MP, Minister of Transport, hereby in terms of regulation 10(7) (b) of the Regulations issued in terms of the Disaster Management Act, 2002 (Act No. 57 of 2002) amends Government Notice No. 412 published in Government Gazette No. 43157 of 26 March 2020 by addition of Direction 6 (4) of the following:

“6 (4) Buses and taxis shall be permitted to operate from 05h00 until 20h00 in order to cater the transportation needs of South Africans most vulnerable which is effective from 30 March 2020 until 03 April 2020”.

This amendment Notice shall come into effect on the date of publication in the *Government Gazette*.

**MR F.A. MBALULA, MP****MINISTER OF TRANSPORT****DATE:** 20th / 03 / 2020

NATIONAL ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1996**NATIONAL ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 93 OF 1996)
DETERMINATION OF EXTENTION FOR THE VALIDITY PERIOD OF A
LEARNER'S LICENCE, DRIVING LICENCE CARD, LICENCE DISC
,PROFESSIONAL DRIVING PERMIT AND REGISTRATION OF A MOTOR
VEHICLE: FOR PURPOSES OF LOCKDOWN (COVID-19)**

I, Fikile Mbalula, MP, Minister of Transport, acting in terms of section 18 (7) of the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996), hereby extend the licensing and registration period as set out hereunder:

- a) During the lock-down, the validity period for learner's licence, driving licence, motor vehicle licence disk, temporary permit, professional driving permit and road worthy certificates shall be deemed to be valid and shall be extended for a further grace period of 30 days from the date of expiry of a lock-down period, unless determined otherwise by the Minister.
- b) The validity period for the renewal of a motor trade number licence during the lock-down, shall be deemed to be valid and shall be extended for a further grace period of 6 months from the date of expiry of a lock-down period, unless determined otherwise by the Minister.
- c) Driving licence testing centres and vehicle testing stations will remain closed during lock-down period.

This Notice shall become effective from the date of publication in the *Government Gazette*.



**MR F.A. MBALULA, MP
MINISTER OF TRANSPORT**

DATE: 30/03/2020

DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT, 2002**THE DIRECTIONS ISSUED IN TERMS OF REGULATION 11C (3) OF THE REGULATIONS MADE IN UNDER SECTION 27(2) OF THE DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT, 2002 (ACT NO. 57 OF 2002): DECLARATION OF ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR PURPOSES OF COVID-19**

I, Fikile Mbalula, MP, Minister of Transport, hereby, in terms of regulation 10(7) (b) of the Regulations issued in terms of the Disaster Management Act, 2002 (Act No. 57 of 2002) hereby issue directions set out hereunder:

- 1) For the purpose of these directions the following services are declared as essential services:
 - a) Tollgate operators
 - b) Road emergency operators
 - c) Employees responsible for safe operation of the roads
 - d) Rail logistic operators

This Notice shall become effective from the date of publication in the *Government Gazette*.



**MR F.A. MBALULA, MP
MINISTER OF TRANSPORT**

DATE:

30/03/2020