

**SUPPLEMENT** to the Solomon Islands Gazette

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[Legal Notice No. 37]

CIVIL AVIATION ACT 2008  
(ACT NO 7 OF 2008)

WITHDRAWAL OF COMMENCEMENT NOTICE

**WHEREAS** Gazette Notice No 141 published on the Solomon Islands Gazette No.40 dated 30th April 2009 purports to bring into operation the Civil Aviation Act 2008 (No. 7 of 2008);

**WHEREAS** the purported exercise of powers are contrary to section 1(2) of the Civil Aviation Act 2008 requiring two sets of commencement dates to be appointed pursuant to that section;

**WHEREAS** the purported exercise of bringing the Civil Aviation Act 2008 pursuant to Gazette No. 141 mentioned above is the incorrect section to bring the Act into operation;

**THEREFORE**, the Gazette Notice No 141 published on the Solomon Islands Gazette No. 40 dated 30th April 2009 is withdrawn.

Any performance of function or exercise of powers as a result of that notice is invalid and is hereby reversed as the Act had not been brought into operation, and in particular any civil aviation document issued before the 5th day of June 2009 pursuant to the Civil Aviation Act 2008 is void and of no effect.

DATED this 3rd day of June 2009.

**HON. VARIAN LONAMEI**  
Minister of Aviation and Communication

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[Legal Notice No. 38]

**TRAFFIC ACT****(CAP. 131)****TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2009**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 82(1) of the Traffic Act, I make these Regulations -

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Traffic (Amendment) Regulations 2009 and commence upon the date of publication in the Gazette.
2. Regulation 4 of the Traffic Regulations is amended in the First Schedule by revoking items 1, 2, 3 and 4 and substituted by the following items -

<b>1. VEHICLE LICENCE:</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>
(a) Heavy Public Service Vehicles	3,125.00
<b>(b) Light public service vehicles:</b>	
(i) Light Buses(13-26)	1,875.00
(ii) Light Buses (up to 12 seats)	1,250.00
(iii) Taxis	937.50
(iv) Other public service cars	937.50
<b>(c) Heavy Goods Vehicles Constructed or adapted to carry:</b>	
(i) Max, weight not exceeding 3 tons	1,250.00
(ii) Weights exceeding 3 tons but not exceeding 10 tons	2,500.00
(iii) Weights in excess of 10 tons	6,250.00
<b>(c) Light Goods Vehicles Constructed or adapted to carry:</b>	
(i) 6 to 8 passengers	750.00
(ii) Up to 12 passengers	937.00
(iii) Motor Tractors	375.00
(iv) Invalid Carriages	No charges
(v) Tracted Vehicle	6,250.00
(vi) Trailers	312.50

<b>(e) Private Motor cars:</b>	
(i) Less than 1100cc	312.50
(ii) 1100cc to 1500cc	500.00
(iii) 1501cc to 2000cc	750.00
(iv) Over 2000cc	1,250.00
<b>(f) Motor cycles:</b>	
(i) Less than 250cc	187.00
(ii) Over 250cc	312.50
(iii) Duplicate License (All classes)	62.50
(iv) Dealers General License	6,250.00
<b>2. DRIVING LICENCES:</b>	
(a) Driving Licenses for all classes	93.75
(b) Duplicate of replacement driving License	93.75
<b>3. DRIVING TEST FOR ALL CLASSES OF VEHICLES:</b>	125.00
<b>4. INSPECTION OF VEHICLES FOR LICENSING PURPOSES:</b>	
(a) All classes of vehicles first	125.00
(b) All re-tests	125.00

DATED AT HONIARA this 29th day of May 2009.

**HON JAMES TORA**  
Minister for Police, National Security and Correctional Service