

PART VII  
CHANGE OF CONDITIONS OF VEHICLES

29.-(1) Where a registered motor vehicle is traded to a new owner, a notification of such change of ownership shall be brought to the attention of the Registrar within seven days after the change.

Change of  
ownership

(2) Notification of change of ownership of the vehicle to the Registrar shall be made at the same time by both the old owner and the new owner.

(3) Where the change is notified to the Registrar, he shall issue a new registration card in favour of the new owner and the old registration card surrendered to the Registrar for cancellation.

30. Notwithstanding Regulation 29, any change in address of the owner or change of ownership be it from individual, joint, family ownership or otherwise, shall be notified to the Registrar by the person whose name appears on the registration card within seven days after the change.

Change of  
name  
address

31.-(1) The owner of the vehicle shall be under obligation to inform the Registrar of any change in the use of the vehicle.

Change of  
condition,  
technical  
particulars  
etc. of  
vehicle

(2) Where change of the use of the vehicle resulted in the change of the conditions of the vehicle as regards to the model, engine and chassis numbers and other technical matters, the owner shall notify the Registrar accordingly.

PART VIII  
DE-REGISTRATION

32.-(1) De-registration of motor vehicle may be done upon application made in writing to the Registrar by the owner.

De-  
registra-  
tion of  
Motor  
Vehicle

(2) An application for de-registration shall be accompanied by a certificate that the vehicle:

(a) has been scrapped; or

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- (b) has been destroyed by fire or as a result of accident; or
- (c) had been exported and is not likely to be re-imported; or
- (d) was lost due to crime; or
- (e) there is no longer an obligation to register it.

Condi-  
tions for  
de-  
registra-  
tion

33.-(1) Notwithstanding Regulation 32, the Registrar may de-register a motor vehicle without application by the owner if he is satisfied that any particulars of the motor vehicle had been a subject of the events specified under Regulation 32 (2), or is otherwise satisfied that any particular motor vehicle is beyond reasonable doubt to return to the road.

(2) De-registration under this Regulation shall be done only when special circumstances exist requiring the keeping of the Register correct.

Conse-  
quences of  
de-  
registra-  
tion.  
reporting  
to police  
etc.

34.-(1) Upon de-registration, the Registrar shall enter both into the registration card and the register information to that effect.

(2) De-registration shall wherever possible be done in the presence of the owner and verified by a police officer after which the owner shall return both the registration card and registration plates to the Registrar to enable him to effect necessary entries in the register.

(3) Where the Registrar de-registers a motor vehicle in respect of which licence has not expired, he shall refund to the owner the balance of money sufficient to cover the period remaining before the motor vehicle licence expires.

(4) The Registrar shall maintain a refund account.

PART IX

SPECIAL RULE FOR MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS

Motor  
Vehicle  
dealers  
may  
apply for  
motor  
vehicle  
licence

35.(1) Any person, being a motor vehicle dealer, may apply to the Registrar for registration of each motor vehicle kept by him.

(2) Where application has been made to the Registrar in a prescribed form, the Registrar shall subject to any conditions as are provided for under section 12 of the Act, issue to such motor vehicle dealer a general certificate of registration in respect of all motor vehicles used by him.

(3) The provisions of Regulations 7, 8 and 9 shall apply with necessary modifications in relation to the granting of application for registration by vehicle dealers.

(4) The Registrar may cancel a general certificate of registration where he is satisfied that conditions in respect of which it was issued have ceased to exist or is being abused.

36.-(1) Subject to these Regulations, the Commissioner for Customs and Excise may issue foreign motor vehicle permit in favour of any motor vehicle.

Issue of foreign motor vehicle permit

(2) A foreign vehicle permit shall be issued for use of a newly imported motor vehicle pending the processing of application for registration.

(3) The Registrar may make reference to the Commissioner for Customs and Excise in relation to a specific or general information relating to any motor vehicles or class of motor vehicles.

(4) This regulation shall not apply to motor vehicles in transit.

#### PART X

#### SCRAPPING OF VEHICLES

37.-(1) All de-registered motor vehicles shall be scrapped by authorised scrappers.

Scrapping of motor vehicles by motor vehicle scrappers

(2) Every person, whose vehicle has been de-registered due to any of the reasons stipulated under Regulation 31 or due to any other reason, shall cause that vehicle to be scrapped.

