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It is hereby notified that the President has assented to the following Act, which is hereby published for general information:-

No. 26 of 2006: National Land Transport Transition Amendment Act, 2006.



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Art	No. 26, 2006		NATIONAL LAND TRANSPORT TRANSITION AMENDMENT ACT, 2006
GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE:			
ł]	Words in hold type in square brackets indicate omissions from existing enactments.
			Words underlined with a solid line indicate insertions in existing enactments.

(Englishtext signed by the President.) (Assented to 25 March 2007.)

ACT

To amend the National Land Transport Transition Act, 2000, so as tu define expressions and to amend certain definitions; to extend the information that may be included in the notice containing the national land transport policy; to provide anew for the co-ordination of the planning process of provincial planning authorities; to reduce the number of plans required by the Act; to empower the Minister to designate the planning authorities that must supply transport plans to the relevant provincial board; to provide anew for the preparation of a national land transport strategic framework and provincial land transport strategic frameworks; to repeal provisions in respect of current public transport records, operating licence strategies, rationalisation plans and public transport plans; to provide anew for the preparation of integrated transport plans; to extend certain time limits; to pmvide anew for the type of vehicles that may be used for public transport services: to extend the disqualifications for the holding of operating licences; to extend the duties of holders of operating licences or permits; to provide anew for the amendment of operating licences; to empower the Minister to set standards for scaled meters for metered taxis and to empower MECs to determine fare structures for metered taxi services; to provide anew for the temporary replacement of specified vehicles; to create new offences; and to effect textual corrections and to repeal absolete provisions; and to provide for matters connected therewith.

 \mathbf{B}^{E} IT ENACTED by the Parliament of the Republic of South Africa, as follows:—

Amendment of section 1 of Act 22 of 2000

1. Section 1 of the National Land Transport Transition Acl, 2000 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), is hereby amended by—

(a) the substitution Cr the definition of "bus" of the following definition: "bus" means a motor vehicle designed[,] or [lawfully adapted, by a registered manufacturer in compliance with the Road Traffic Act, 1989 (Act No. 29 of 1989), to carry] modified far the conveyance of more than [35] <u>34</u> persons, [excluding] including the driver, subject to 10 section 31.

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(b) the substitution for the definition of "contracting authority" of the following definition:

" **'contracting authority'** means the Department, any provincial department, transport authority[,] <u>or</u> municipality [or any core city,] bound to a contract or concession agreement concluded with a public transport operator;";

- (c) the substitution for the definition of "midibus" of the following definition: "midibus" means a motor vehicle designed[, or lawfully adapted by a registered manufacturer in compliance with the Road Traffic Act, 1989 (Act No. 29 of 1989), to carry from 19 to 35 seated] or modified 10 solely or principally for the convevance of more than 16 but less than 35 persons, [excluding] including the driver and for the purposes of the National Road Traffic Act, 19% (Act No. 93 of 1996), is a sub-category of a bus;";
- (d) the substitution for the definition of "minibus" of the following definition:
 "minibus" means a motor vehicle designed[,] or [lawfully adapted by a registered manufacturer in compliance with the Road Traffic Act, 1989 (Act No. 29 of 1989), to carry from nine to 18] modified solely or principally for the conveyance of more than nine but not more than 16 seated persons, [excluding] including the driver;"; 20
- (e) the substitution for the definition of "motor car" of the following definition: "motor car' means a motor vehicle, other than a motor cycle, motor tricycle or motor quadrucycle as defined in the <u>National Road Traffic Act</u>, [1989 (Act No. 29 of 1989)] <u>1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996)</u>, designed or [lawfully ndapted by a registered manufacturer to carry not mom than eight] modified solely or principally for the conveyance of not more than nine persons, [excluding] including the driver;";
- (f) the insertion after the definition of "municipality" of the following definition: "**'municipal public transport service'** means any public transport <u>service that is rendered for a consideration within the area of a planning</u> 30 authority;";
- (g) the insertion after the definition of "registered" of the following definition: "**registered builder**' means a builder registered under section 5 of the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 19%);";
- (h) the insertion after the definition of "unregistered constitution" of the 35 following definition:

" **'registered importer'** means an importer registered under section **5** of the National Road Traffic Acl. 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996);"; and

(*i*) the substitution for the definition of "registered manufacturer" of the following definition: 40

"registered manufacturer" means a manufacturer[, importer or builder of motor vehicles] registered under section 5 of the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996).".

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Amendment of section 5 of Act 22 of 2000

2. Section 5 of the principal Act is hereby amended by—

- (a) the deletion in subsection (2) of the word "and" at the end of paragraph (b), the addition of the word "and" to paragraph (c) and the addition to that subsection of the following paragraph:
 - "(*d*) target dates for the transformation of the land-basedpublic transport sector."; and
- (b) the substitution in subsection (5)(g) for subparagraph (i) of the following subparagraph:
 - "(i) may do so only in consultation with the Minister of Education and 10 the Minister of Labour with a view to ensuring that education and training in subjects or training courses relating to land transport, are directed towards complying with the National Qualifications Framework defined in section 1 of the South African Qualifications Authority Act, 1995 (Act No. 58 of 1995), and with the Skills 15 Development Act, 1998 (Act No. 97 of 1998);".

Amendment of section 6 of Act 22 of 2000

- 3. Section 6 of the principal Act is hereby amended by—
 - (a) the substitution in subsection (2)(a) for the words preceding subparagraph (i) of the following words: 20
 "Every MEC, every transport authority[, every core city] and every

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"Every MEC, every transport authority[, every core city] and every municipality must provide the Minister, in the manner and at the times as prescribed by the Minister, with the information so prescribed about their actions or position with regard to matters so prescribed that are relevant to--";

- (b) the substitution for subsection (3) of the following subsection:
 - "(3) Despite subsection(2), the Minister may at any time by notice in writing require a particular transport authority[, **core city**] or municipality to provide the Minister with any information about its actions or position with regard to any non-prescribed matter of the nature 30 mentioned in subparagraph (i), (ii) or (iii) of subsection (2) (a).";
- (c) the substitution for subsection (5) of the following subsection:
 "(5) The information required for the purposes of paragraph (a) of subsection (2) may be prescribed only after consultation with the MECs, all transport authorities [and core cities,] and organised local govern- 35 ment."; and
- (d) the substitution for subsection (8) of the following subsection:

"(8) Where a province, transport authority[, **core city**] or municipality fails to provide any information in compliance with [subsections] <u>subsection</u> (2) or (3), the Minister may withhold any payment to that 40 province, transport authority[, **core city**] or municipality, until it has provided the information."

Amendment of section 9 of Act 22 of 2000

- **4.** Section 9 of the principal Act is hereby amended by the substitution in subsection (2) for the words preceding paragraph (*a*) of the following words:
 - "Every MEC must, by notice in the *Provincial Gazette*, from time to time and after consultation with transport authorities [and core cities] in the province and the relevant provincial organisation contemplated in section 2(1)(b) of the Organised Local Government Act, 1997 (Act No. 52 of 1997). publish provincial land transport policy, including, but not limited to—"

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Amendment of section 13 of Act 22 of 2000

5. Section 13 of the principal Act is hereby amended by the substitution for subsection (4) of the following subsection:

"(4) A transport authority, in awarding contracts for goods and services. must apply a system which is fair, equitable. transparent, competitive and cost-effective, and which is in accordance with the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act, 2000 (Act No. [4] 5 of 2000), and [relevant provisions of the Local Government Transition Act, 1993 (Act No. 209 of 1993), which will apply with the changes required hy the context] any relevant local government laws.".

Amendment of section 18 of Act 22 of 200

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- 6. Section 18 of the principal Act is hereby amended by-
 - (a) the substitution in subsection (1) for paragraphs (a) and (b) of the following paragraphs, respectively:
 - "(a) where the relevant planning authority is a municipality contemplated in section 20(1)(c), the plans mentioned in [paragraph (c) 15] to (g) of subsection (1) of section 19(1)(g) must form the transport component of the integrated development plan of the municipality;
 - (b) where the jurisdictional area of a municipality falls wholly or partly in a transport area [or MTAI, the plans mentioned in [paragraphs (c) to (g) of that subsection] section 19(1)(g) constitute the 20 transport component of the inlegrated development plans of such municipality in respect of that part of its jurisdictional areas that falls within the transport area [or MTA].", and
 - (h) the substitution for subsection (6) of the following subsection:
 - (6) The MEC must ensure the co-ordination of the planning 25 processes of all planning authorities under lhe jurisdiction of the province [and, in so doing, must ensure that all plans address-
 - (a) public transport services operating across the boundaries of the areas of planning authorities; (b) road and rail networks

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- (c) freight movements,
- (d) the needs of special categories of passengers;
- (e) rivalry between neighbouring planning authorities that may result in the duplication or over supply of transport facilities and infrastructure in the region; 35
- the integration of transport and land use planning within the **(f)** context of the Development Facilitation Act, 1995 (Act No. 67 of 1995), or any other similar provincial law].".

Amendment of section 19 of Act 22 of 2000

7. Section 19 of the principal Act is hereby amended by-

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- (a) the deletion in subsection (1) of paragraphs (c), (d), (e) and #.
- (b)the substitution in subsection (2) for the words preceding paragraph (a) of the following words:

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"The [relationship and sequence of transport plans which are illustrated in Figures 1 and 2, are] responsibility for the preparation of transport plans is as follows:";

- (c) the deletion in subsection (2) of paragraph (c);
- (d) the substitution in subsection (2) for paragraph (d) of the following paragraph:
 "(d) transport authorities and [core cities, and other] all municipalities
 [requested by the MEC,] must prepare an integrated transport plan
 [of which the public transport plan forms a component] dealing
 with such matters as may be prescribed by the Minister: Provided
 - that the Minister may prescribe different matters for different types 10 or categories of municipalities;
- (e) the substitution in subsection (4) for paragraph (b) of the following paragraph "(b) The date for [each of] the integrated transport plans mentioned in subsection (1)[(c) to] (g) must he linked to the provincial land transport framework and must be as agreed upon by the MECs."; 15 and
- (f) the substitution for subsection (7) of the following subsection:
 - "(7)The content of <u>the frameworks and plans</u> mentioned in subsection (1)(b) [to] and (g), respectively, must be as required hy this Act, hut the Minister may, in consultation with the relevant MEC or MECs, modify 20 the requirements for those plans, in the prescribed manner, in relation to rural areas in particular provinces."

Amendment of section 20 of Act 22 of 2000

- 8. Section 20 of the principal Act is hereby amended by-
 - (a) the substitution in subsection (1) for the words preceding paragraph (a) of the 25 following words:

"[Plans] The integrated transport plans contemplated in [section 19(1)(c) and (d) and, where appropriate, section 19(1)(e), (f) and (g),] section 19(1)(g) must be prepared by the following authorities, to he known as planning authorities, subject to subsections (4) and (5), and 30 these plans may he different in respect of rural planning authorities except for those that have subsidised public transport services:";

- (b) the deletion in subsection (1) of paragraph (b),
- (c) the substitution in subsection (1) for paragraph (c) **d** the following paragraph: 35
 - "(c) other municipalities, where their jurisdictional area have not been included wholly or partly in transport areas [or MTAs], in respect of their jurisdictional areas and, where such areas are partly included in a transport area [or MTA], in respect of that part of such area that is not so included.";
- (b) the substitution for subsection (3) of the following subsection:
 - "(3) Every planning authority required to do so in terms of section 19(2)(d) must supply the relevant transport plans to the board and make recommendations to that board about the conversion of permits to operating licences, and about applications for new operating licences, as 45 required by Part 9;."; and
- (c) the deletion of subsection (6).

Amendment of section 21 of Act 22 of 2000

9. Section 21 of the principal Act is hereby amended by the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection: 50

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"(1)(a) The Minister must, [annually,] hy a date to be determined by the Minister after consultation with the MECs and published by notice in the Government Gazette, prepare a five-year national land transport strategic framework for the country [for a five-year period corresponding with the Department's financial years, with due regard to subsection (3)].

(b) The Minister must update the national land transport strategic framework every two years.".

Amendment of section 22 of Act 22 of 2000

10. Section 22 of the principal Act is hereby amended by—

(a) the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection:
 (1)(a) Every MEC must [annually] prepare <u>a five-year</u> provincial land transport framework [for a five-yearperiod] in accordance with the maximum at a maximum state of the second state of the

requirements prescribed by the Minister after consultation with all the MECs and must publish it in the *Government Gazette* on a date determined by the Minister.

(b) An MEC contemplated in paragraph (a) must, subject to section 21(1)(b), update his or her provincial land transport framework at least once every two years.

(c) When preparing the provincial land transport framework, the MEC must be guided by the national land transport strategic framework."; and 20

(b) the insertion in subsection (3) after paragraph (g) of the following paragraph: "(gA) set out a strategy for travel demand management in lhe

province;".

Repeal of sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 of Act 22 of 2000

11. Sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 of the principal Act are hereby repealed.

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Amendment of section 27 of Act 22 of 2000

12. Section 27 of the principal Act is hereby amended by-

(a) the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection: "(1) Transport authorities[, core cities] and [other] all municipalities

[required by the MEC to do so,] must prepare and submit to the MEC 30 [annually] hy the date determined by the MEC, inlegrated transport plans [which comply with subsection (2)] for their respective areas lor the five-year period commencing on the first day of that financial year.";

- (b) the deletion of subsection (2);
- (c) the substitution for subsections (4) and (5) of the following subsections, 35 respectively:

"(4) The [plan] integrated transport plans must hy the date [so] determined in terms of subsection (1) be submitted to the MEC for approval, which approval must relate only to [the matters mentioned in section 24(4)(b)]___

(a) procedures and financial issues that affect the province;

(b) provincial policy and principles regarding transport across the boundaries of the areas of planning authorities;

(c) interprovincial transport; and

(d) any other matter provided for in the relevant provincial laws.
(5) A person may not transport hazardous substances contemplated in section 2(1) of the Hazardous Substances Act, 1973 (Act No. 15 of 1973), in the area of a planning authority, except on [a route determined under paragraph (h) of subsection (2), where such a route has been determined and published under section 29(1), and any person who 50 does so is guilty of an offence] a designated route indicated in an integrated transport plan contemplated in section 29(1), that is in accordance with the general strategy or plan contemplated in section 22(3)(1)."; and

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(d) the addition of the following subsection:
 "(6) Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with subsection (5) is guilty of an offence."

substitution of section 28 of Act 22 of 2000

13. The following section is hereby substituted for section 28 of the principal Act: 5

"Appmval of commuter rail components of transport plans

28. Until the function of commuter rail is devolved from the national to another sphere of government, the transport <u>framework and</u> plans contemplated in section 19(1)(b) [to] <u>and</u> (g), respectively, must be submitted to the Minister for approval of the commuter rail component of 10 such <u>framework and</u> plans, within the prescribed manner and time.".

Amendment of section 29 of Act 22 of 2000

14. Section 29 of the principal Act is hereby amended by—

- (a) the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection:
 - "(1) On approval of the national land transport strategic framework, a 15 provincial transport framework[, a public transport plan] or an integrated transport plan, the Minister or planning authority, as the cme may he, must publish, in the *Provincial Gazette*, or, in the case of the national land transport strategic framework, in the *Government Gazette*, the prescribed particulars of such plans, which must include particulars 20 of routes [determined] designated under section [27(2)(h)] 27(5).";
- (b) the substitution in subsection $\overline{(2)}$ for paragraph (d) of the following paragraph:
 - "(d) no action may be taken that would have the result **of** substantially decreasing the quantity or availability of land transport infrastructure or services, unless the owner of the land on which the 25 infrastructure is situated, or the holder of the relevant operating licence, **[as the case may be,]** has notified the relevant planning authority in writing not less than **[30]** <u>90</u> days before the action is taken.";
- (c) the substitution in subsection (4) for the words preceding paragraph fa) of the 30 following words:
 - "The planning authority must, within [28] 90 days —"; and
- id) the substitution in subsection (5) for paragraph (a) of the following paragraph:
 "(a) prior to the expiry of the [28-day] 90-day period referred to in subsection (4); or"

Amendment of section 31 of Act 22 of 2000

15. Section 31 of the principal Act is hereby amended by-

(a) the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection:

"(1) Despite this Act or any other law, from a date to be determined by

the Minister hy notice in the Government Gazette, [which may not be 40

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enrlicr than 1 October 2004,] operating licences may, only he issued for vehicles designed or lawfully [adapted] MOOIIEO hy a registered manufacturer. registered builder or registered importer in compliance with the National Road Traflic Act, [1989 (Act No. 29 of 1989)] 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996), according to acceptable safety standards, lo 5 carry[---

- (a) fewer than nine persons, excluding the driver; or
- (b) 18 persons, excluding the driver; or
- (c) 35 persons, excluding the driver; or
- (e) 46 or more persons, excluding the driver,] such number of 10 persons as may he determined by the Minister in the said notice, unless the Minister, in consultation with the MECs, provides otherwise for special categories of vehicles by notice in the Government Gazette, to cater for exceptional cases in rural areas, or exceptional cases in relation to tourist or courtesy services."; 15

(b) the substitution for subsection (3) of the following subsection:

"(3) (a) [A midibus] After a relevant integrated lransport plan has been approved and published under section 29(1), a motor vehicle may not be used for the operation of an unscheduled commuter service [only] where I—

(a)] there are **[no]** existing scheduled services on the same route or on another route in the same corridor, unless the operation of such unscheduled commuter service on those routes is allowed hy that transport plan.

(b) If there are any existing permits or operating licences allowing 25 such unscheduled commuter services iii coiitravention of the transport plan contemplated in paragraph in), the board must cancel or amend those permits or licences accordingly[; nnd

(b) relevant transport plans allow for its use].";

(c) the substitution for subsection (5) of the following subsection: (5) No standing passengers may he carried in a motor car, minibus or midibus, unless the vehicle is a midibus king used for a scheduled feeder or distribution service and the planning authority concerned has specifically authorised the use of such vehicle for such a service in writing ", and 35

(d) the addition of the following subsection:

(6) fa) An adapted light delivery vehicle may he used for public passenger road transport services in a particular area if-

- (i) there is no appropriate public transport available in that area; 40 and
- (ii) the services are rendered under such conditions as may he determined by the MEC concerned.

(b) For the purposes of this subsection, an "adapted light delivery vehicle" means a light delivery vehicle that has heen manufactured or modified by a registered manufacturer, registered builder or registered 45 importer in compliance with the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996), for the conveyance of persons.".

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Amendment of section 38 of Act 22 of 2000

16. Section 38 of the principal Act is hereby amended by the addition of the following paragraph:

"<u>(f) operating or working at a testing station in terms of the National Road Traffic</u> Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996)."

Amendment of section 43 ofAct 22 of 2000

17. Section **43** of the principal Act is hereby amended by the addition of the following paragraph:

"(c) inform the board in writing of the sale or any other change of ownership of the vehicle to which the operating licence or permit relates within seven days after such sale or change has taken place".

Amendment of section 41 of Act 22 of 2000

18. Section 47 of the principal Act is hereby amended by—

in) the substitution in subsection (?) for the words preceding paragraph (*a*) of the 15 following words:

"Only a provincial department, a transport authority and a **[core city]** <u>metropolitan municipality</u> may enter into a subsidised service agreement with a public transport operator, and, subject to subsection (3), only if—";

- (b) the substitution in subsection (3) for paragraph(d) of the following paragraph:
 "id) the contract to be negotiated complies with all requirements prescribed under subsection (4)(a), is substantially in the form of the model contract documents contemplated in subsection (4)(b) and has a maximum validity period of [five] seven years."; and 25
- (c) the substitution in subsection (3)(e) for the words preceding subparagraph (i) of the following words:

"the provincial department, transport authority or **[core city]** <u>metropoli-</u> <u>tan municipality</u>, as the case may be, prepares a business plan that—";

- (d) the substitution in subsection (4) for paragraph (b) of the following paragraph: 30
 - "(b) provide model tender and contract documents, and publish them in the *Government Gazette*, for subsidised service contracts as a requirement for contracting authorities, who may not deviate therefrom—
 - (i) except in the case of a municipality using its own funds in 35 terms of section 49(4); or
 - (ii) unless lhis is agreed to by the Minister;"; and
- (e) the deletion in subsection (3) of paragraph (f)

Amendment of section 62 of Act 22 of 2000

19. Section 62 of the principal Act is hereby amended by—

in) the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection:

"(1) Only registered or provisionally registered associations, memhers and non-members may receive financial assistance from any organ of state in any sphere of government or from any transport authority [or core city,] for the purposes of establishing or operating a co-operative for minibus taxi operators."; and

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(b) the substitution for subsection (3) of the following subsection: "(3) An organ of state[,] and a transport authority [and a core city] may not render financial assistance for any purpose relating to public transport to any operators of minibus taxi-type services who are not registered or provisionally registered members or non-memloers, or to any associations that are not so registered, except assistance relating to training or instruction.".

Amendment of section 78 of Act 22 of 2000

20. Section **78** of the principal Act is hereby amended by the substitution in subsection (4) for paragraph (b) of the following paragraph:

"(b) have the prescribed particulars of each operating licence, which includes, for the purposes of this paragraph, an operating licence as renewed, amended or transferred from time to time. and of its holder and the vehicle to which it relates, entered on [the Land Transport Permit] such Information System as may be prescribed by the Minister."

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Substitution of section 90 of Act 22 of 2000

21. The following section is hereby substituted for section 90 of the principal Act:

"Amendment of operating licence: Replacement of specified vehicle

90. (1) Where the holder of an operating licence for the operation of any public transport service wishes to replace the vehicle that is specified in that 20 operating licence for the operation of that public transport service with another vehicle **[with the same passenger capacity,]** the holder must apply for the replacement, in the manner prescribed by the MEC, to a member or official of the hoard whom the hoard has authorised in writing to dispose of the matter, provided the nature of the replacement. 25 standard of the service are iiot affected by the replacement.

(2) The authorised member or official of the hoard must allow the replacement and issue an amended operating licence to the holder, if **[satisfied that]** the replacing vehicle—

- (a) [the replacing vehicle] has the same passenger capacity or less. land 30 is of the same nature] as the vehicle which it replaces, and [that] the quality and standard of the service which is authorised by the operating licence [will] is not likely to be affected by the replacement; and
- (b) [the replacing vehicle] is otherwise suitable for the operation of the 35 public transport service authorised by that operating licence, has a national information system model number allocated to it, has been certified as roadworthy in compliwce with road traffic laws and is properly licensed[; and
- (c) the applicant for replacement has provided the information 40 necessary to establish the requirement-of this section].

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(2A) The national information system model number contemplated in subsection (2)must be linked to the registered builder who built α modified the body of the vehicle in question.

(3) Where a subcontractor operates any part of the public transport service to which an operating licence relates, on behalf of the holder of the 5 operating licence, the subcontractor may rely on the provisions of this section to replace any vehicle of which the latter is the registered owner and which is specified in that operating licence, in all respects as if the subcontractor were the holder of that operating licence.

(4) For the purposes of this section 'national information system' means 10 the national information system contemplated in section 6(1)."

Amendment of section 91 of Act 22 of 2000

22. Section 91 of the principal Act 1s hereby amended by the addition of the following subsections:

"(3) The Minister must set standards for sealed meters for metered taxis in 15 accordance with standards set by the South African Bureau of Standards in terms of the Standard5 Act, 1993 (Act No. 29 of 1993).

(4) The MEC. in consultation with the board, may determine a fare structure for metered taxi services and the MEC must publish such fare structure in the *Provincial Gazette*."

Amendment of section 94 of Act 22 of 2000

23. Section **94** of the principal Act is hereby amended by the substitution in subsection (3) for paragraph (b) of the following paragraph:

"(b) The replacing vehicle must he suitable for the operation of that public transport service and, except in so far as this section provides otherwise, must 25 comply in all otherrespects with the requirements and conditions that apply and are in force in terms of this Act and the National Road Traffic Act, 1996 (Act No. 93 of 1996), with regard to the vehicle so specilied in the operating licence."

Amendment of section 115 of Act 22 of 2000

24. Section 115 of the principal Act is hereby amended by-

- (a) the substitution in subsection (1) for paragraph (h) of the following paragraph:
 "(h) if requested thereto by any organ of state[,] or transport authority
 [or corc city] which has rendered financial assistance to the
 - association or its members for a particular purpose, supply the requested information as to the application of the funds received **35** from that source.": and
- (b) the substitution in subsection (2) for paragraph (b) of the following paragraph:
 "(b) if requested thereto by any organ of state[,] or transport authority
 - [or core city] which has rendered financial assistance to the non-member for a particular purpose, supply the requested infor- 40 mation as to the application of the funds received from that source."

Amendment of section 122 of Act 22 of 2000

25. Section 122 of the principal Act is hereby amended hy the substitution for subsection (1) of the following subsection:

"(1) In addition to the measures provided for in this Act with regard to law enforcement, the **MECs**, transport authorities and municipalities[, including municipalities in their capacity as core cities of their **MTAs**,] must lake active steps lo develop systems to improve land transport law enforcement in their respective jurisdictions."

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Amendment of section 127 of Act 22 of 2000

26. Section 127 of the principal Act is hereby amended by the addition to subsection (1) of the following paragraphs:

- "(r) if the person operates an adapted light delivery vehicle in contravention of section 31(6);
- (s) if, being a metered taxi operator, the person contravenes or fails to comply with a fare structure contemplated in section 91(4).

Amendment of section 134 of Act 22 of 2000, as amended by section 11 of Act 31 of 2001

27. Section **134** of the principal Act is hereby amended by—

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- (a) the substitution in subsection (2) for paragraph (a) of the following paragraph: "(a) Wherever this Act requires regard to be had to any transport plan, a board, contracting authority, transport authority[, core city] or municipality may proceed with the relevant matter, with the approval of the relevant MEC in consultation with the Minister, despite the fact that the relevant transport plan has not been prepared or has not been submitted for required approvals, м has not been published under section 29 (I)."; and
- (b) the substitution in subsection (2) for paragraph (c) of the following paragraph:
 "(c) The board, contracting authority, transport authority[, core city] 20 or municipality must, however, have regard to any available transport planning or other matter which is relevant."

Repeal of Figures 1 and 2 in Act 22 of 2000

28. The principal Act is hereby amended by the repeal of Figures 1 and 2.

Short title

29. This Act is called the National Land Transport Transition Amendment Act, 2006