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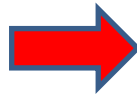
International Passenger Operations

Examination for Certificate of Professional Competence in International Passenger Operations

Date: 9th December 2020 Time: 09:30 to 12:00

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Please Note:

Section A contains 21 questions. Please answer **all** these questions. The format is as follows:

8 multiple choice questions of 5 marks each, &

13 short questions of 20 marks each.

Section B contains 3 questions, ***Question 1 is compulsory. One further question must be attempted.*** Each question carries 50 marks.

THE EXAMINATION PAPER IS COMPLETE, AND NO ADDITIONAL PAGES SHOULD BE APPENDED. SPACES ARE ALLOWED IN THE EXAMINATION PAPER FOR WRITTEN ANSWERS TO BE PROVIDED FOR EACH QUESTION.

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Paper One			
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Section A

5 Mark Questions

Q1. For an occasional international service, a document must be completed and returned to the National Transport Authority. What is this form called?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

A Licence

B Insurance details

C Journey Form

D Passenger manifest

(5 Marks)

Q2. Good repute is a requirement to be satisfied by applicants for a Road Passenger Transport Operator Licence. Where the applicant is a company, which ONE of the following describes who must satisfy the good repute requirement?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

A The company directors and the transport manager.

B The company directors, the company secretary, the transport manager and the company itself

C The company directors, the company secretary and the transport manager

D The company directors and the company secretary

(5 Marks)

Q3. A Public Bus Passenger Service Licence is issued by the National Transport Authority. Which ONE of the following operations requires a road passenger transport operator to have a Public Bus Passenger Service Licence in addition to their Road Passenger Transport Operator Licence?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

- A Carriage of passengers for private hire.
- B Carriage of passengers on international journeys.
- C Carriage of passengers along a specified route in accordance with a published timetable.
- D Carriage of passengers in connection with school transport.

(5 Marks)

Q4. Certain requirements must be met when you are applying to have a vehicle added on an existing Road Passenger Transport Operator Licence. Which ONE of the following requirements DOES NOT apply?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

- A Documentation for the vehicle to be added must be submitted with the application, i.e. copies of motor tax, insurance and certificate of roadworthiness.
- B Where the vehicle to be added is replacing a vehicle already on the licence, the licence documents for that vehicle should be returned with the application.
- C Where the application will lead to the overall number of authorised vehicles being increased and previous financial standing details do not support this increase, new financial standing documentation must be submitted with the application.
- D The vehicle to be added must be currently taxed and insured for hire or reward.

(5 Marks)

Please Turn Over

Q5. If a Driver holds both a Goods and Passenger CPC what is the minimum number of hours of periodic refresher training required in order to renew the CPC at expiry?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

A 42 Hours

B 7 Hours

C 18 Hours

D 35 Hours

(5 Marks)

Q6. A person performing “mobile road transport activities” shall mean?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

A All Bus and Coach Drivers subject to drivers' hours regulations.

B All Bus and Coach drivers.

C Any mobile worker or self-employed driver who performs such activities.

D Any full time Bus and Coach driver or self-employed Bus and Coach driver.

(5 Marks)

Q7. Which EC regulated drivers can opt out of the average weekly working time?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

A Drivers engaged on tours and private hire operations.

B Drivers with a collective agreement between the trade union and the employer.

C No drivers whatsoever.

D Term & part time drivers.

(5 Marks)

Q8. A bus or coach having more than two axles cannot exceed what length?

(Tick the correct answer at A, B, C, D)

A 13.5 M

B 14.0 M

C 14.5 M

D 15.0M

(5 marks)

20 Mark Questions

Q9. Please list the four licensing documents that are issued to an operator who has been granted a Road Passenger Transport Operator Licence with Community Licence for road passenger transport operations within the European Union.

(20 Marks)
Please Turn Over

Q10. The authorisation or control document must be carried on the vehicle and be presented at the request of any authorised inspecting officer. Carriers operating coaches and buses in international passenger transport must allow all inspections intended to ensure that operations are being conducted correctly as regards driving and rest periods. Outline what actions authorised inspecting officers are empowered to undertake.

(20 Marks)

**Q11. European Communities (Random Roadside Vehicle Inspection) Regulations 2003.
S.1. No 227 of 2003.**

(a) Please list five of the items laid down in the checklist for a vehicle at a roadside inspection.

(15 Marks)

(b) The regulations do not apply to vehicles owned or operated by whom?

(5 Marks)

Q12. Outline the application of driving hour regulations, regarding a driver who accompanies a vehicle on a ferry.

(20 Marks)

Please Turn Over

Q13. A Transport Manager is defined as a person who is engaged to effectively and continuously manage the transport operations of a road transport business.

(a) State three requirements to be a transport Manager.

(12 Marks)

(b) Outline two distinct types of transport Manager.

(8 Marks)

(Total 20 marks)

Q14. You have received a request from your local football club to take a group to an away match in Rome. Before you can accept the booking what documentation will you require for the following

(a) List four documents required for the vehicle.

(8 Marks)

(b) List **five** documents required on the international journey **for the driver**.

(10 Marks)

(c) List the document required to be carried on the vehicle **for the passengers**

(2 Marks)

Please Turn Over

(20 Marks)

Q20. Write an essay setting out the details regarding “12-day derogation” for coach drivers involved in international coach tour journeys.

(20 Marks)
Please Turn Over

Section B

Candidates must attempt Question 1 and one other question –

PLEASE NOTE - Question No. 1 is compulsory

(Please use a separate page for each answer. You may also use the back of each page).

Compulsory

Q1. Your company Express Coaches, with bases in Dublin and London, has decided to operate a daily overnight scheduled coach service in each direction between Dublin and London for the summer months June to August. This is to serve student holiday travel.

You are the transport manager of Express Coaches and you have been asked to bring forward operating proposals for the services. The nightly service from Dublin will depart Dublin city centre at 20:00 to board the Dublin Holyhead ferry in Dublin Port at 20:15. The service will leave Holyhead at 01:00 and arrive in London by 7:30. The nightly departure from London will leave London at 18:30 to board the ferry in Holyhead at 00:30, arriving into Dublin city centre at 06:00.

You have already ascertained that Holyhead to London is 300km, which is a driving time of 5 hours, allowing for traffic in London. Journey time must also take account of a comfort stop for passengers and a driver's break. You are allowing one hour at both the start and end of each journey, in Dublin and London, to cover for the driver to sign on, for the vehicle to travel to the departure point and load its passengers and on arrival, to unload and travel to the company's depot for the vehicle to park and driver to sign off.

Draft a short report to your CEO covering the following points.

- a. Documentation, authorisations, licences, etc. required to operate the service. **(10 marks)**
- b. Draft timetable (Departure and arrival times) for the services during the day and from this outline drivers' duties and schedule for a day. **(10 marks)**
- c. How many drivers and vehicles are required to operate the service and explain why? **(10 marks)**
- d. Outline how the proposed drivers' schedules are in accordance with Driving hour regulations. **(10 marks)**
- e. The type of vehicle to be used and its facilities, given the nature of the work involved. Explain the fuelling and cleaning arrangements to be put in place. **(10 marks)**

Please Turn Over

**Please attempt One, and only one of the following questions.
Marks will not be allotted to more than one answer.**

Q2. Write an essay on Regular International Services and covering the following points:

- a) Nature of the Authorisation
- b) Details on the Authorisation
- c) Authorisation procedure
- d) Reasons why an Authorisation may not be granted
- e) Transport tickets.

(50 Marks)

Q3. Regulation 14 of Statutory Instrument No. 265 of 2018 European Union (Occupation of Road Transport Operator) Regulations 2018, which gives effect to Regulation (EC) 1071 of 2009 requires transport operators to hold a list documents at their business address. Please list 10 of the documents that must be kept at transport operator's business address.

(50 Marks)

ANSWER QUESTION NUMBER: _____



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Lined area for writing the answer to the question.

