



PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
ÎLE-DU-PRINCE-ÉDOUARD

HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT FEES REGULATIONS

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HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT
Chapter H-5
FEES REGULATIONS

Pursuant to sections 31, 65 and 312 of the *Highway Traffic Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. H-5, Council made the following regulations:

1. Definitions

In these regulations

- (a) “**Act**” means the *Highway Traffic Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. H-5;
- (b) “**apportioned vehicle**” means a vehicle that has been issued apportioned registration under the IRP by the base jurisdiction of the vehicle;
- (c) “**base jurisdiction**” means, in respect of an apportioned vehicle, the jurisdiction that, as a member of the IRP, issues an apportioned registration under the IRP for the vehicle;
- (d) “**CAB card**” means, in respect of an apportioned vehicle, the document that is issued, by the base jurisdiction that registers the vehicle under the IRP, to the registrant of the vehicle as evidence of the registration;
- (e) “**IRP**” means the International Registration Plan;
- (f) “**PRP**” means a prorated apportioned license plate issued under the Act in respect of an apportioned vehicle;
- (g) “**public vehicle**” means a vehicle owned by
 - (i) a municipality or a provincial Crown Corporation or commission, or
 - (ii) the Government of Prince Edward Island. (*EC200/12; 766/18*)

2. Registration private passenger vehicle, taxicab, truck

- (1) The annual registration fee payable for a private passenger vehicle, a taxicab or a truck with a gross weight of less than 4,100 kg is,
 - (a) where the vehicle, taxicab or truck is electric or a plug-in hybrid electric, \$0;
 - (b) where the vehicle, taxicab or truck is a non-plug-in hybrid electric, \$50; and
 - (c) where a fee is not otherwise set out in these regulations for the vehicle, taxicab or truck, \$100.

Personalized plate renewal

- (2) The renewal fee payable for a vehicle with a personalized license plate is the registration fee for the vehicle under these regulations plus \$30. (EC200/12; 766/18; 806/19)

3. Registration fee, period other than twelve months

- (1) In respect of the registration of a vehicle specified in section 2, 4 or 7 for a period other than twelve months, the registration fee shall be determined by dividing the appropriate annual registration fee by twelve and multiplying the result by the number of months for which the vehicle is registered for use, including the month of expiry of the registration.

Application

- (2) Subsection (1) does not apply to motorcycles or motorscooters. (EC200/12)

4. Idem, miscellaneous vehicles

The annual registration fee for a vehicle of a type listed in column 1 of Table 1 is the fee set out opposite that type of vehicle in column 2 of the Table.

TABLE 1

ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEES FOR MISCELLANEOUS VEHICLES

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
TYPE OF VEHICLE	ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE
Vehicle with a dealer plate	\$100
Vehicle with a motorcycle or motorscooter plate	40
Vehicle with a Moped plate	20
Truck-tractor used to haul trailer transporting special mobile equipment	150
Vehicle used as a hearse or ambulance	24
Service truck with permanently mounted device, mobile crane and special mobile equipment	68
Motorhome	150

(EC200/12; 515/12; 138/15; 766/18; 806/19)

5. Public vehicle fees

- (1) The annual registration fee for a vehicle of a type listed in column 1 of Table 2 is the fee set out opposite that type of vehicle in column 2 of the Table.

TABLE 2

ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEES FOR PUBLIC VEHICLES

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
TYPE OF PUBLIC VEHICLE	ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE
Vehicle owned by a municipality or a provincial Crown Corporation or commission	\$15
Vehicle owned by the Government of Prince Edward Island	No charge

Refund

- (2) No refund is payable under section 11 in respect of the registration fee paid for a public vehicle referred to in Table 2 or a vehicle owned by the Government of Canada. (EC200/12; 766/18; 806/19)

6. Trailer registration

- (1) Trailers are registered for five years, and the registration fee payable for a trailer of a type listed in column 1 of Table 3 is the fee set out opposite that type of vehicle in column 2 of the Table.

TABLE 3
TRAILER REGISTRATION FEES

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
TYPE OF TRAILER	REGISTRATION FEE
Utility trailer, gross weight of less than 450 kg	\$75
Commercial trailer	
(a) With a gross weight of 4,100 kg or less	150
(b) With a gross weight of 4,101 kg or more	300
(c) semi-trailer with truck-tractor	100
Recreational trailer	
(a) under 18 feet	100
(b) 18 feet and longer	200

Refunds

- (2) A refund in respect of the fee paid for the registration of a trailer shall be made by the Registrar, on the surrender of the license plate issued for the trailer, for each twelve-month period remaining of the term of the registration in an amount equal to one-fifth of the fee paid. (EC200/12; 138/15)

6.1 Registration

- (1) A farm vehicle may be registered on an annual basis or on a non-expiring basis.

Farm vehicle fees

- (2) The annual registration fee for a farm vehicle listed in column 1 of Table 3.1 is the fee set out opposite that type of vehicle in column 2 of the Table.

Idem

- (3) The non-expiring registration fee for a farm vehicle listed in column 1 of Table 3.1 is the fee set out opposite that type of vehicle in column 3 of the Table.

TABLE 3.1

FARM VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2	COLUMN 3
TYPE OF FARM VEHICLE	ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE	NON-EXPIRING REGISTRATION FEE
(a) Farm truck, straight or tandem	\$10	\$100
(b) Highway tractor trailers	10	100
(c) Trailer, 4,100 kg or less gross weight	20	40
(d) Trailer, over 4,100 kg gross weight	30	60

Refunds

- (4) A refund in respect of the fee paid for the non-expiring registration of a farm vehicle shall be made by the Registrar, on the surrender of the license plate issued for the farm vehicle, in an amount equal to one-tenth of the fee paid for each unused twelve-month period remaining in a term of ten years from the date of issuance. (EC138/15; 766/18; 806/19)

7. Truck and bus registration

- (1) The annual registration fee for
- (a) a truck, including a truck-tractor; or
 - (b) a public passenger bus,

with gross weight equal to or greater than 4,100 kg is set out in Table 4.

Public passenger bus, determination of gross vehicle weight

- (2) For the purposes of this section, the gross weight of a public passenger bus is equal to the sum of the unladen weight of the bus and the weight of its maximum load, as determined by multiplying the number of seating positions on the bus by 64 kg.

Truck-tractor, determination of gross weight

- (3) For the purposes of this section, the gross weight of a truck-tractor is equal to the sum of
- (a) the weight of the truck-tractor;
 - (b) the weight of the unladen trailer; and
 - (c) the weight of the maximum load that the trailer is registered for.

IRP truck registration

- (4) The annual registration period for vehicles registered under the IRP is set in accordance with the registration year of the plate jurisdiction.

TABLE 4
REGISTRATION FEES FOR TRUCKS, INCLUDING TRUCK-TRACTORS, AND
PUBLIC PASSENGER BUSES

GROSS WEIGHT OF VEHICLE	ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE
Equal to or greater than 4,100 kg and less than 4,500 kg	\$108
Equal to or greater than 4,500 kg and less than 5,499 kg	125
Equal to or greater than 5,499 kg and less than 6,500 kg	162
Equal to or greater than 6,500 kg and less than 7,500 kg	198
Equal to or greater than 7,500 kg and less than 8,500 kg	268
Equal to or greater than 8,500 kg and less than 10,000 kg	306
Equal to or greater than 10,000 kg and less than 11,000 kg	369
Equal to or greater than 11,000 kg and less than 12,000 kg	485
Equal to or greater than 12,000 kg and less than 13,500 kg	537
Equal to or greater than 13,500 kg and less than 15,000 kg	628
Equal to or greater than 15,000 kg and less than 16,000 kg	682
Equal to or greater than 16,000 kg and less than 17,000 kg	717
Equal to or greater than 17,000 kg and less than 18,000 kg	772
Equal to or greater than 18,000 kg and less than 19,000 kg	826
Equal to or greater than 19,000 kg and less than 20,500 kg	880
Equal to or greater than 20,500 kg and less than 21,500 kg	934
Equal to or greater than 21,500 kg and less than 22,500 kg	970
Equal to or greater than 22,500 kg and less than 23,500 kg	1,041
Equal to or greater than 23,500 kg and less than 24,500 kg	1,077
Equal to or greater than 24,500 kg and less than 25,500 kg	1,132
Equal to or greater than 25,500 kg and less than 26,500 kg	1,165

Equal to or greater than 26,500 kg and less than 27,500 kg	1,202
Equal to or greater than 27,500 kg and less than 29,500 kg	1,275
Equal to or greater than 29,500 kg and less than 31,500 kg	1,345
Equal to or greater than 31,500 kg and less than 34,000 kg	1,437
Equal to or greater than 34,000 kg and less than 36,000 kg	1,562
Equal to or greater than 36,000 kg and less than 37,000 kg	1,634
Equal to or greater than 37,000 kg and less than 38,500 kg	1,705
Equal to or greater than 38,500 kg and less than 39,500 kg	1,758
Equal to or greater than 39,500 kg and less than 40,500 kg	1,794
Equal to or greater than 40,500 kg and less than 41,500 kg	1,849
Equal to or greater than 41,500 kg and less than 42,500 kg	1,885
Equal to or greater than 42,500 kg and less than 44,000 kg	1,957
Equal to or greater than 44,000 kg and less than 45,000 kg	2,011
Equal to or greater than 45,000 kg and less than 48,000 kg	2,047
Equal to or greater than 48,000 kg and less than 50,000 kg	2,173
Equal to or greater than 50,000 kg and less than 52,000 kg	2,279
Equal to or greater than 52,000 kg and less than 53,500 kg	2,418
Equal to or greater than 53,500 kg and less than 55,000 kg	2,441
Equal to or greater than 55,000 kg and less than 57,000 kg	2,819
Equal to or greater than 57,000 kg and less than 59,000 kg	2,926
Equal to or greater than 59,000 kg and less than 61,000 kg	3,034
Equal to or greater than 61,000 kg and less than 62,500 kg	3,134
Equal to or greater than 62,500 kg	3,213

Reduced fee

- (5) Trucks, including truck-tractors, of a gross weight over 4,100 kgs may be registered for a reduced annual registration fee equivalent to one-third of the annual fee for such vehicles. (EC200/12; 766/18; 806/19)

8. Driver's license

- (1) The fee for a driver's license issued for a five-year period is \$116.

Refund on driver's license fee

- (2) A refund in respect of the fee paid for a driver's license shall be made by the Registrar, on the surrender of the license, for each twelve-month period remaining of the term of the license in an amount equal to one-fifth of the fee paid. (EC200/12; 766/18; 806/19; 856/22)

9. Service and document fees

The fee payable for a service or a document set out in column 1 of Table 5 is the fee set out opposite that service or document, as the case may be, in column 2 of the Table.

TABLE 5
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE AND DOCUMENT FEES

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Driving instructor's license	
(a) Application	\$15
(b) Issue	15
(c) Renewal	10
Instruction permit	20
Test for instruction permit	20
Novice driver course	100
Driver's handbook	20
Test for driver's licenses	
(a) classes 5 and 6	20
(b) classes 3 and 4	40
(c) classes 1 and 2	60
Transfer of	
(a) vehicle ownership (without number plate attached)	20
(b) vehicle ownership (with number plate attached)	20
(c) number plate	20
Driver's license class update	20
Duplicate driver's license	20
Duplicate registration permit	10
Basic abstract of driver record	25
Premium abstract of driver record	50
Transit permit	10
Temporary registration issued by dealers	10
Vehicle number plate, new, issuance	5
Replacement number plate, issuance	10
Personalized number plates (two)	100
Replacement personalized number plates	30
Amateur Radio plate	20
Replacement Amateur Radio plate	20
Dealer's trade license	
(a) initial license	250
(b) Renewal	150
(c) reinstatement of license after suspension or cancellation	250
Replacement dealer plate, issuance	10

Record search	10
Front axle assessment and issuance of decal	20
Special permit, non-conforming vehicle configuration	200
Vehicle work permit - (30 day) - out of province vehicles only	
(a) two or three axle	300
(b) truck-trailer combination	400
Special permit, for exceeding standard dimensions	
(a) per trip	50
(b) Annual	200
Driver license reinstatement after suspension or cancellation	
(a) under s. 261 of the Act	750
(a.1) under ss. 262(1) of the Act	500
(b) under s. 276(2) of the Act	100
(c) under ss. 273(1) or 277(1) of the Act	75
(c.1) under ss. 277.1(3.2), (3.3) or (3.5) or 277.2(1) of the Act	100
(d) under the Demerit Point System Regulations, except s. 12(1), (2) and 13(5) thereof	100
(e) under s.12(1) of the Demerit Point System Regulations	25
Photographic identification issued under ss. 6.1(1) of the Act for a one-year period	20
Photographic identification issued under ss. 6.1(1) of the Act for a five-year period	50
Photographic identification issued under ss. 6.1(1) of the Act to a qualifying person without a valid driver's license, whose driver's license has not been suspended or cancelled	No charge
Duplicate photographic identification issued under ss. 6.1(1) of the Act	20

(EC200/12; 515/12; 140/13; 467/15; 766/18; 806/19)

10. Administrative charges

The administrative charge for a service or a document provided under the IRP that is set out in column 1 of Table 6 is the fee set out opposite that service or document, as the case may be, in column 2 of the Table.

TABLE 6
ADMINISTRATIVE CHARGES (IRP)

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Administrative charge (IRP)	
(a) An original or renewal CAB-CARD	\$50
(b) A duplicate CAB-CARD	10
A new PRP plate	5

A replacement PRP plate	10
Trip permit	
(a) For a truck with two or three axles	150
(b) For a truck-trailer combination	300
(c) For any unladen truck	30

(EC200/12)

11. Refunds

- (1) A refund in respect of the fee paid for any PRP plate, annual registration or CAB card shall be made by the Registrar for any unused month of the term of such plate, registration or card for which the refund is requested if the plate, permit or card is surrendered to the Registrar.

Amount of refund

- (2) Subject to subsection 5(2), the amount of any refund payable under subsection (1) shall be calculated by dividing the total amount of the required fee for the relevant plate, registration or card, by twelve, multiplying the result by the number of unused months remaining in the registration period or the term of the plate or card, as the case may be, and subtracting an administration charge of \$10 in the case of vehicles referred to in section 2, 4 or 7.

Minimum refund

- (3) A refund, in respect of the annual registration fee for a vehicle referred to in section 7, shall not be made under subsection (1) for any amount less than \$10.

Application

- (4) A refund, in respect of the annual registration fee for a motorcycle, shall not be made under subsection (1). (EC200/12; 466/13; 766/18)

12. Inspection fees

The fees for motor vehicle inspections and related services and documents set out in column 1 of Table 7 are as set out in column 2 of the Table.

TABLE 7
MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION FEES

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
INSPECTION LICENSES	
(a) Official Inspection Station License	\$150
(b) Renewal of Official Inspection Station License	50
(c) Reinstatement of Official Inspection Station License	150
(d) Authorized Inspection Mechanic License (one time only)	100
INSPECTION STICKERS	
(a) Car/truck approval stickers (to official inspection stations)	4

(b) Trailer/motorcycle approval sticker (to official inspection stations)	4
(c) Replacement car/truck and trailer/motorcycle approval stickers (to public)	10
(d) Reject stickers (to official inspection stations)	4
(e) Unsafe stickers (to official inspections stations)	No charge
INSPECTION FEES	
(a) Motor vehicles including passenger cars, taxicabs, station wagons and any truck, bus or motor home having a single rear axle designed for two wheels	30
(b) Trailers and semi-trailers not equipped with brakes	18
(c) Motorcycles	30
(d) Reinspection (if repair work not done by station that conducted initial inspection)	18

(EC200/12; 466/13)

13. Fee charged for commercial vehicles

- (1) The fee for the inspection of commercial vehicles of a type set out in column 1 of Table 8 is calculated by using the following formula:

$$\frac{A}{60} \times B$$

where

A is the lesser of

- (i) the number of minutes of shop time taken to conduct the inspection,
- (ii) the maximum number of minutes of shop time chargeable for the vehicle; and

B is the hourly shop labour rate charged by the motor vehicle inspection station when the commercial vehicle is inspected.

Maximum minutes of shop time

- (2) The maximum number of minutes of shop time chargeable for the inspection of a commercial vehicle of a type set out in column 1 of Table 8 is the amount of shop time set out in column 2 of the Table.

Posting hourly shop labour rate

- (3) The owner or operator of a motor vehicle inspection station shall post and make clearly visible, for customers, the hourly shop labour rate.

TABLE 8
MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTIONS OF COMMERCIAL VEHICLES
Maximum Chargeable Shop Time

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
INSPECTION OF COMMERCIAL VEHICLES	Shop Time
(a) Trucks, buses or motor homes equipped with hydraulic brakes and having one or two rear axles, each designed for four wheels (maximum allowable shop time)	90 minutes
(b) Trailers or semi-trailers equipped with electric or hydraulic brakes (maximum allowable shop time)	45 minutes
(c) Trucks, buses or motor homes equipped with air brakes and having a single rear axle designed for four wheels or two rear axles (maximum allowable shop time)	90 minutes
(d) Trailers or semi-trailers or A, B or C trailer dollies equipped with air brakes (maximum allowable shop time)	60 minutes
(e) Farm Trucks (maximum allowable shop time)	45 minutes

(EC200/12)

14. Fees for a review of a prohibition or impoundment

- (1) The prescribed fee for a review, without an oral hearing, of
- (a) an impoundment pursuant to section 255.5, 255.8, or 255.9 of the Act; or
 - (b) a driving prohibition pursuant to section 277.5 of the Act,
- is \$50.

Fee for review with an oral hearing

- (2) The prescribed fee for a review, with an oral hearing, of an impoundment or prohibition referred to in subsection (1) is \$100.

Fee, release

- (3) The prescribed fee for the release of a vehicle pursuant to subsection 255.9(4) of the Act is \$50. *(EC200/12)*

15. Revocation

The *Highway Traffic Act Fees Regulations (EC309/93)* are revoked. *(EC200/12)*