

SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GIBRALTAR GAZETTE

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TRAFFIC ACT 2005

TRAFFIC (LICENSING AND REGISTRATION) (MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS) REGULATIONS 2025

In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Government under section 15(2), 57 and 101 of the Traffic Act 2005, and all other enabling powers, the Government has made the following Regulations-

Title.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Traffic (Licensing and Registration) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 2025

Commencement.

2. These Regulations come into operation on the day of publication.

Amendments to the Traffic (Licensing and Registration) Regulations.

3.(1) The Traffic (Licensing and Registration) Regulations are amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In regulation 16A, for “Subject to regulation 16AC or 16AD, in respect” substitute “Subject to regulation 16AC, 16AD or 16AE, in respect”.

(3) In regulation 16AZ, for “Subject to regulation 16AC or 16AD, in respect” substitute “Subject to regulation 16AC, 16AD or 16AE, in respect”.

(4) In regulation 16AC, in subregulation (2) for “Subject to regulation 16AD, in respect” substitute “Subject to regulation 16AD or 16AE, in respect”.

(5) In regulation 16C, in subregulation (1) for “regulations 16, 16A, 16AZ, 16AC or 16AD” substitute “regulations 16, 16A, 16AZ, 16AC, 16AD or 16AE”.

(6) In regulation 16C, in subregulation (4) for “regulations 16, 16A, 16AZ, 16AC or 16AD” substitute “regulations 16, 16A, 16AZ, 16AC, 16AD or 16AE”.

(7) After regulation 16AD, insert-

“G-less personalised registration numbers.

- 16AE.(1) The licensing authority may issue G-less personalised registration numbers.
- (2) In respect of a motor vehicle registered with a G-less personalised registration number, the registration mark shall be exhibited on a flat rectangular plate or on a flat unbroken rectangular surface forming part of the external motor vehicle. In each case the registration mark shall be constructed of reflex reflecting material made to British Standard BS AU 145d and in compliance with the provisions of Schedule 3F or Schedule 3G.
- (3) In respect of a motor vehicle which is an eligible vehicle registered after 1 March 2025 with a G-less personalised registration number the registration mark assigned to that motor vehicle shall be exhibited on a flat rectangular plate or on a flat unbroken rectangular surface forming part of the vehicle. In each case the registration mark shall be constructed of reflex reflecting material made to British Standard BS AU 145d and in compliance with the provisions of Schedule 3H or 3I.
- (4) Subject to regulation 18, a motor vehicle that is not an eligible vehicle must not display a green distinguishing sign for Gibraltar.
- (5) An owner or a registered keeper of a motor vehicle in contravention of subregulation (3) is guilty of an offence under the Act.
- (6) In this regulation, an “eligible vehicle” means a vehicle which cannot produce any tailpipe emissions.”
- (8) In regulation 96B, in the definition of “certificate of ownership”, substitute “96D(7)” with “96D(12)”.
- (9) In regulation 96B, include the following definitions after the definition of “certificate of ownership”-
- ““G-less personalised registration number”, in relation to a motor vehicle, means a registration number issued by the licensing authority pursuant to regulation 16AE and shall include G-less premium personalised registration numbers;
- ““G-less premium personalised registration number”, in relation to a motor vehicle, means a G-less registration number that does not follow the same number plate convention as G-less personalised registration numbers and which, in the sole discretion of the licensing authority would have a high value due to its exclusivity, rarity, resemblance to words, names or initials, the desirability of specific character combinations, limited availability and popularity of certain sequences.”;
- (10) In regulation 96B, in the definition of “personalised registration number”, include “or 16AE” after “regulation 16AC”.

(11) In regulation 96B, in the definition of “personalised registration number”, include “and G-less personalised registration numbers” after “premium personalised registration numbers”.

(12) In regulation 96D(4) include, “, not being a G-less personalised registration number,” after “personalised registration number”.

(13) In regulation 96D, insert the following subregulations after subregulation (4A)-

“(4B) The fee payable to the licensing authority for the purchase of a G-less registration number is-

1 letter	£50,000
1 letter and 1 digit in any order	£20,000
2 letters	£20,000
1 letter and 2 digits in any order	£10,000
2 letters and 1 digit in any order	£10,000
2 letters and 2 digits in any order	£5,000
3 letters and 1 digit in any order	£5,000
3 letters and 2 digits in any order	£5,000
2 letters and 3 digits in any order	£5,000
2 letters and 4 digits in any order	£5,000
3 letters and 3 digits in any order	£5,000
4 letters and 2 digits in any order	£5,000
G Less Premium Personalised Registration Number	Price on a case by case basis/auction

.”.

(14) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (5), include “or subregulation (4B), as the case may be” after “subregulation (4)”, both times it appears.

(15) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (5), substitute “or as a premium number” after “by way of auction” with “as a premium number or as a G-less personalised registration number”.

(16) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (5), substitute “shall not apply to such auction or premium number” with “shall not apply to such auction, premium number or G-less personalised registration number”.

(17) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (6), include “or subregulation (4B), as the case may be” after “subregulation (4)”.

(18) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (8), remove the “.” after “having been so made” and insert “or from the insertion of the name of the new owner on the certificate of ownership.”

(19) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (9) remove the “.” after “having been so made” and insert “or from the insertion of the name of the new owner on the certificate of ownership.”

(20) In regulation 96D, after subregulation (9), insert-

“(9A) A person who subsequently sells a G-less personalised registration number (whether bought at auction or otherwise) shall pay the licensing authority a fee equivalent to 10% of the profit made by that person on the sale of the G-less personalised registration number, within 30 days of the profit having been so made or from the insertion of the name of the new owner on the certificate of ownership.”.

(21) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (10), substitute “or a G+1 letter personalised registration number” with “, a G+1 letter personalised registration number or a G-less personalised registration number”.

(22) In regulation 96D, in subregulation (14), include “or subregulation (4B), as the case may be” after “subregulation (4)”.

(23) After Schedule 3E, insert the following Schedules-

“SCHEDULE 3F

G-LESS PERSONALISED REGISTRATION NUMBER PLATES

PART 1

ILLUSTRATED REQUIREMENTS AS TO REGISTRATION MARKS

Where the licensing authority issues a registration mark under regulation 16AE(2), the registration mark shall consist of letters and numbers enclosed by a black border. On the left-hand side there shall be distinguishing mark for Gibraltar and on the extreme right the reference “BS AU 145d”. The registration mark shall consist of any combination of numbers and letters with a minimum of 1 character, or a maximum of 6 characters in total.

The licensing authority must not allocate a combination –

- (a) if it has already been allocated to, or is held on behalf of another person;
- (b) if the licensing authority considers it is likely to cause offence or confusion; or
- (c) the combination contains any of the letters “O”, “Q”, “I”, “S” or “Z”.

The lettering shall be black on a white plate at the front and yellow plate at the rear. The background surface should be reflex-reflecting but the characters must not. All number plates must be constructed using the mandatory character font set out below. Numbers and letters shall be equally spaced between the black border. No number plate fixing bolt shall alter the appearance of the letters or numbers.

Distinguishing Sign for Gibraltar

Colour

Retro reflecting Pantone Blue code 2935C

Distinguishing Letters in Capitals

GBZ

Dimensions

Length	111mm
Width	45mm

Character	Size	Colour
Height	20mm	white
Width	11mm	white
Stroke	4mm	white
Space between letters	3mm	blue

DIAGRAM 1



Dimensions		Black Border	
Length	520mm	Width	1.5mm
Width	111mm		
Character	Size	Characters to BlackBorder	10mm
Height	79mm	Space between Characters	11mm
Width	50mm		
Stroke	14mm		
Side Margin	5mm		
Top & Bottom		Dimensions (GBZ)	
		Length	111mm
		Width	45mm
Minimum Margin	4.5mm		

DIAGRAM 2
(MAXIMUM 5 CHARACTERS)



Dimensions		Black Border	
Length	325mm	Width	3mm
Width	200mm	Characters to Black Border	5mm
Character	Size	Space between Characters	11mm
Height	79mm		
Width	50mm		
Stroke	14mm		
Side Margin	5mm		
Top & Bottom Minimum margin		Dimensions (GBZ)	
Top	90mm	Length	90mm
Bottom	13mm	Width	45mm

DIAGRAM 3
(MAXIMUM 5 CHARACTERS)
(REAR PLATE OF MOTORCYCLES ONLY)



Dimensions		Black Border	
Length	228mm	Width	3mm
Width	165mm	Characters to Black Border	10mm
Character	Size	Space between Characters	10mm
Height	45mm		
Width	30mm		
Stroke	9mm		
Top & Bottom Minimum margin		Dimensions (GBZ)	
Top	75mm	Length	75mm
Bottom	13mm	Width	45mm

PART 2

MANADATORY CHARACTER FONTS



SCHEDULE 3G

G-LESS PRIVATE NUMBER PLATES

PART 1

ILLUSTRATED REQUIREMENTS AS TO REGISTRATION MARKS

Where the licensing authority issues a registration mark under regulation 16AE(2), the registration mark shall consist of numbers enclosed by a black border. On the left-hand side there shall be distinguishing mark for Gibraltar and on the extreme right the reference “BS AU 145d”. The registration mark shall consist of any combination of numbers with a minimum of 1 character, or a maximum of 6 characters in total.

The licensing authority must not allocate a combination –

- (a) if it has already been allocated to, or is held on behalf of another person; or
- (b) if the licensing authority considers it is likely to cause offence or confusion.

The lettering shall be black on a white plate at the front and yellow plate at the rear. The background surface should be reflex-reflecting but the characters must not. All number plates must be constructed using the mandatory character font set out below. Numbers shall be equally spaced between the black border. No number plate fixing bolt shall alter the appearance of the numbers.

Distinguishing Sign for Gibraltar

Colour

Retro reflecting Pantone Blue code 2935C

Distinguishing Letters in Capitals

GBZ

Dimensions

Length	111mm
Width	45mm

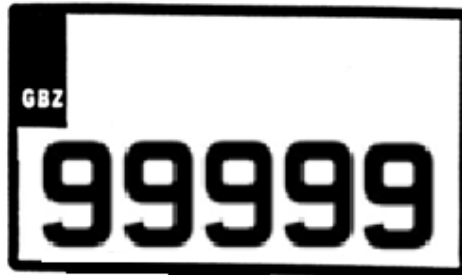
Character	Size	Colour
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Width	11mm	white
Stroke	4mm	white
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		Width	45mm
Margin	4.5mm		

DIAGRAM 2
(MAXIMUM 5 NUMBERS)



Dimensions		Black Border	
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Top	75mm	Length	75mm
Bottom	13mm	Width	45mm

PART 2
MANADATORY CHARACTER FONTS

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SCHEDULE 3H

GREEN DISTINGUISHING SIGNS FOR G-LESS PERSONALISED REGISTRATION NUMBER PLATES

PART 1

ILLUSTRATED REQUIREMENTS AS TO REGISTRATION MARKS

Where the licensing authority issues a registration mark under regulation 16AE(3), the registration mark shall consist of letters and numbers enclosed by a black border. On the left-hand side there shall be distinguishing mark for Gibraltar and on the extreme right the reference “BS AU 145d”. The registration mark shall consist of any combination of numbers and letters with a minimum of 1 character, or a maximum of 5 characters in total.

The licensing authority must not allocate a combination –

- (a) if it has already been allocated to, or is held on behalf of another person;
- (b) if the licensing authority considers it is likely to cause offence or confusion; or
- (c) the combination contains any of the letters “O”, “Q”, “I”, “S” or “Z”.

The lettering shall be black on a white plate at the front and yellow plate at the rear. The background surface should be reflex-reflecting but the characters must not. All number plates must be constructed using the mandatory character font set out below. Numbers and letters shall be equally spaced between the black border. No number plate fixing bolt shall alter the appearance of the letters or numbers.

Distinguishing Sign for Gibraltar

Colour

Retro reflecting Pantone Green code 7481c

Distinguishing Letters in Capitals

GBZ

Dimensions

Length	111mm
Width	45mm

Character	Size	Colour
Height	20mm	white
Width	11mm	white
Stroke	4mm	white
Space between letters	3mm	green

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PART 2

MANADATORY CHARACTER FONTS

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SCHEDULE 3I

GREEN DISTINGUISHING SIGNS FOR G-LESS PRIVATE NUMBER PLATES

PART 1

ILLUSTRATED REQUIREMENTS AS TO REGISTRATION MARKS

Where the licensing authority issues a registration mark under regulation 16AE(3), the registration mark shall consist numbers enclosed by a black border. On the left-hand side there shall be distinguishing mark for Gibraltar and on the extreme right the reference “BS AU 145d”. The registration mark shall consist of any combination of numbers with a minimum of 1 character, or a maximum of 6 characters in total.

The licensing authority must not allocate a combination –

- (a) if it has already been allocated to, or is held on behalf of another person; or
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The lettering shall be black on a white plate at the front and yellow plate at the rear. The background surface should be reflex-reflecting but the characters must not. All number plates must be constructed using the mandatory character font set out below. Numbers shall be equally spaced between the black border. No number plate fixing bolt shall alter the appearance of the numbers.

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**PART 2
MANADATORY CHARACTER FONTS**

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Amendments to the Traffic (Licensing and Registration)(Private Numbers) Regulations.

4.(1) The Traffic (Licensing and Registration)(Private Numbers) Regulations are amended in accordance with this regulation.

(2) In regulation 3, include the following definitions after the definition of “certificate of ownership”-

““G-less premium private number”, in relation to a motor vehicle, means a G-less private number that does not follow the same number plate convention as private numbers and which, in the sole discretion of the licensing authority would have a high value due to its exclusivity, rarity, the desirability of specific number combinations, limited availability and popularity of certain sequences;

““G-less private number”, in relation to a motor vehicle means a private registration number issued by the licensing authority, in the series 0 to 99999 inclusive and shall include G-less premium private numbers;”.

(3) In regulation 3, include the following definition after the definition of “owner”-

““premium private number”, in relation to a motor vehicle, means a private number that does not follow the same number plate convention as private numbers and which, in the sole discretion of the licensing authority would have a high value due to its exclusivity, rarity, the desirability of specific number combinations, limited availability and popularity of certain sequences.”.

(4) In regulation 3, in the definition of “private number”, include “as well as G-less private numbers and premium private numbers” after “inclusive”.

(5) In regulation 5, in subregulation (2) include “which is not a G-less private number” after “private numbers”.

(6) In regulation 5, in subregulation (2), in the table add the following row at the end-

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Premium Private Numbers (a maximum of five digits in whatever order)	Price on a case by case basis/auction
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”.

(7) In regulation 5, insert the following sub regulations after subregulation (2)-

“(2A) No Premium Private Number shall made available which, in the opinion of the licensing authority, is likely to cause offence or confusion

“(2B) The fee payable to the licensing authority for the purchase of a G-less private number is-

Single Digits (2-9)	£50,000
Two Digit Numbers (10-99)	£20,000
Three Digit Numbers (100-999)	£10,000
Four Digit Numbers (1000-9999)	£5,000
Five Digit Numbers (10000 – 99999)	£5,000
G-less Premium Private Numbers (a maximum of five digits in whatever order)	Price on a case by case basis/auction

(2C) No G-less Premium Private Number shall be made available which, in the opinion of the licensing authority, is likely to cause offence or confusion.”.

(8) In regulation 5, in subregulation (6), include “, a premium private number or a G-less private number”, after “G+1 digit private number”.

(9) In regulation 5, in subregulation (6), include remove the “.” after “having been so made” and insert “or from the insertion of the name of the new owner on the certificate of ownership.”

Dated: 11th December 2025.

PROF J CORTES
Minister with responsibility for traffic,
For the Government.

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

These Regulations amend the Traffic (Licensing and Registration) Regulations and the Traffic (Licensing and Registration) (Private Numbers) Regulations in order to establish a framework to permit for vehicles with G-less number plates.