

Summary of Waiver of Fees and Charges

Title of Regulation/Order	Measures	Estimated Revenue Forgone (\$ million)	Estimated Number of Beneficiaries	Implementation Period	Responsible Department/Organisation	Enquiry Hotline
Shipping and Port Control (Amendment) (Port Facilities and Light Dues Concessions) Regulation 2019	1. Port facilities and light dues payable for ocean-going vessels ("OGV") and high speed crafts ("HSC")	187	25 400 OGV and 87 700 HSC arrivals	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Marine Department	2852 3081
Merchant Shipping (Local Vessels) (Fees) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	2. Permit to Remain fees payable by river-trade vessels ("RTV")	103	67 600 RTV arrivals	1 November 2019 to 31 October 2020		
	3. Licence fees of all local vessels, namely Classes I (passenger), II (working), III (fishing) and IV (pleasure) vessels (Note 1)	24	9 600 licensed local vessels	1 November 2019 to 31 October 2020		
Port Control (Cargo Working Areas) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	4. Vehicle Entry Ticket fee for the first hour payable by trucks entering the Public Cargo Working Areas	28	856 500 truck entries	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Marine Department	2852 3656
	5. Operation Area Permit fee payable by the Public Cargo Working Areas operators	12	Operators of 123 operation areas	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		
Road Traffic (Registration and Licensing of Vehicles) (Amendment) (Fee	6. Closed road permit fees for cross boundary goods vehicles, buses and hire cars	7.2	14 400 vehicles	30 December 2019 to 29 December 2020	Transport Department	2804 2600

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Concessions) Regulation 2019	7. Vehicle licence fees for registered commercial vehicles (Note 2)	543	177 400 commercial vehicles	30 December 2019 to 29 December 2020		
Road Traffic Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 3) (Fee Concessions) Order 2019	8. Vehicle examination fees for registered commercial vehicles (Note 2)	135	177 400 commercial vehicles	30 December 2019 to 29 December 2020		
Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	9. Fees payable for the new issue or renewal of Passenger Service Licence ("PSL") for eligible types of vehicles (Note 3)	0.5	2 100 PSL holders	30 December 2019 to 29 December 2020		
	10. Fees payable for the new issue or renewal of Passenger Service Licence Certificate for eligible types of vehicles (Note 3)	2.6	11 600 vehicles	30 December 2019 to 29 December 2020		
	11. Fees payable for the new issue or renewal of Hire Car Permits (Note 4)	1.3	1 200 permit holders	30 December 2019 to 29 December 2020		
Not applicable (Note 5)	12. Fees for new issue or renewal of a licence for fixed pitch hawker and itinerant hawker licence and fees for the allocation and use of fixed pitches	28.6	5 900 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		

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Not applicable (Note 5)	13. Fees for new issue or renewal of a licence or provisional licence for general, marine restaurants, light refreshments restaurants and factory canteens	86.3	16 300 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		2867 5074
Dutiable Commodities (Liquor Licences) (Fees) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	14. Fees for new issue or renewal of a liquor licence	15	8 500 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		
Not applicable (Note 5)	15. Fees for new issue or renewal of a restricted food permit	4.2	8 100 permit holders	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		
Not applicable (Note 5)	16. Fees for new issue or renewal of a licence or provisional licence for fresh provision shops	24.6	2 700 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		
Not applicable (Note 5)	17. Fees for new issue or renewal of a licence or provisional licence for bakeries, siu mei and lo mei shops and composite food shops	3.4	940 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		
Not applicable (Note 5)	18. Fees for new issue or renewal of a licence or provisional licence for food factories, frozen confection factories, milk factories and cold stores	60.7	8 400 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		

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Not applicable (Note 5)	19. Renewal fees of a licence for slaughterhouses	0.3	3 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020		
Marine Fish Culture (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019 Public Health (Animals and Birds) (Licensing of Livestock Keeping) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	20. Fees for grant or renewal of a marine fish culture licence and fees for renewal of a livestock keeping licence	2.3	1 000 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department	2150 7108 (marine fish culture licence) 2462 7443 (livestock keeping licence)
Sewage Services (Trade Effluent Surcharge) (Amendment) (Trade Effluent Surcharge Concessions) Regulation 2019	21. Trade effluent surcharge	248	30 000 businesses	1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020	Drainage Services Department	2159 3447
Mines (Safety) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019 Dangerous Goods (General) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019 Dangerous Goods (Government Explosives Depots) (Amendment)	22. Fees for mine blasting certificate, licence/permit in respect of the storage and delivery of Category 1 dangerous goods explosives	22.9	142 shot firers/contractors/explosives suppliers/store owners	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Civil Engineering and Development Department Marine Department	3842 7230 2852 4372

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(Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019						
Building (Minor Works) (Fees) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	23. Fees relating to registration of minor works contractors	4.3	19 600 contractors	21 October 2019 to 20 October 2020	Buildings Department (Registration Unit)	3842 5065
Not applicable (Note 5)	24. Fees for new issue or renewal of hotel / guesthouse licences	12.6	2 180 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Home Affairs Department	2881 7034
Places of Public Entertainment (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	25. Fees for new issue or renewal of licences and provisional licences for cinemas under the Places of Public Entertainment Regulations	1.1	80 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Food and Environmental Hygiene Department	2867 5074
Karaoke Establishments (Fees) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	26. Fees payable for the new issue and renewal of a permit, provisional permit, licence and provisional licence for karaoke establishment	0.1	100 licensees	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Food and Environmental Hygiene Department	2867 5074
					Home Affairs Department	2881 7034
Travel Agents (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	27. Fees for new issue, renewal or duplicate of a licence for travel agents and fees for amending a licence for additional addresses	11.3	1 800 travel agents	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Travel Agents Registry	3151 7940

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Construction Workers Registration (Fees) (Amendment) (Fee Concessions) Regulation 2019	28. Registration and renewal fees payable to the Construction Industry Council for Registered Workers under the Construction Workers Registration Ordinance	10	120 000 workers	1 October 2019 to 30 September 2020	Construction Industry Council	2100 9087/ 2100 9044
	Total	1,579.3				

Note 1: Only pleasure vessels let for hire or reward are included.

Note 2: Commercial vehicles include goods vehicle, special purpose vehicle, trailer, taxi, non-franchised public bus, franchised public bus (vehicle examination fee only, as vehicle licence fee of franchised buses has already been waived under the Elderly Concessionary Fare Scheme since 1993), private bus, light bus (both public and private) and hire car.

Note 3: Eligible types of vehicles include non-franchised public bus, private bus for student service, and public light bus (including both red and green public light buses).

Note 4: Eligible types of Hire Car Permits include hotel hire car service, tour hire car service, private service hire car, private hire car service (limousine) and private hire car service (limousine - cross boundary).

Note 5: Eight groups of fee waiving proposals (including 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 24) can be implemented by the Government administratively. No additional subsidiary legislation will be required.