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Commercial Passenger Vehicle Industry Act 2017

COMMERCIAL PASSENGER VEHICLE SERVICE LEVY: NOTIFICATION OF AMOUNT OF LEVY TO APPLY FROM 1 JULY 2024

I, Gabrielle Williams, Minister for Public and Active Transport, publish this notice in accordance with section 238(5) of the **Commercial Passenger Vehicle Industry Act 2017** (the Act).

1. Purpose

The purpose of this notice is to specify the varied amount that may be charged for the commercial passenger vehicle service levy payable for the 2024–25 financial year, as determined under section 238 of the Act.

2. Authorising provision

This variation is made under section 238 of the Act, which provides that the amount of the levy for a commercial passenger vehicle service transaction imposed under Part 11 of the Act, in respect of the financial year beginning on 1 July 2019 and each subsequent financial year, is to be varied in accordance with the formula set out in section 238(3).

The amount originally imposed as the commercial passenger vehicle service levy under section 238(1)(a) of the Act was \$1.00 and that amount has been subsequently varied by the following Victoria Government Gazettes:

- No. S 273 published on 28 June 2019,
- No. S 303 published on 25 June 2020,
- No. S 278 published on 11 June 2021,
- No. S 292 published on 14 June 2022, and
- No. S 309 published on 19 June 2023.

3. Commencement

This notice comes into operation on 1 July 2024.

4. Method of calculating the commercial passenger vehicle service levy amount for 2024–25

Section 238(3) provides that the following formula is to be used to vary the amount of the commercial passenger vehicle service levy imposed under Part 11 of the Act –

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

where –

A is \$1.00; and

B is the all groups consumer price index for Melbourne as at 15 June in the preceding financial year published by the Australian Statistician in respect of the December quarter immediately preceding that 15 June; and

C is the all groups consumer price index for Melbourne as at 15 June 2018 published by the Australian Statistician in respect of the quarter ending on 31 December 2017.

For the purposes of calculating the varied levy amount for the 2024–25 financial year in accordance with the formula set out above, the values of B and C are as follows –

B = 136.1

being the all groups consumer price index for Melbourne as at 15 June 2024 published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics in respect of the quarter ending on 31 December 2023; and

C = 112.3

being the all groups consumer price index for Melbourne as at 15 June 2018 published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics in respect of the quarter ending on 31 December 2017.

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5. Rounding

Section 238(4) provides that if an amount calculated in accordance with subsection 238(3) is not a multiple of five cents, the amount must be rounded down to the nearest multiple of five cents.

6. Commercial passenger vehicle service levy amount for 2024–25

In accordance with the formula set in section 238(3) of the Act, the calculation of the amount of the varied commercial passenger vehicle service levy payable in the financial year beginning 1 July 2024 is –

$$= \frac{\$1.00 \times 136.1}{112.3}$$

= \$1.21

This figure is rounded down to the nearest five cents in accordance with section 238(4) of the Act, resulting in a commercial passenger vehicle service levy of \$1.20.

7. Varied amounts GST inclusive

The varied amount calculated in this notice is inclusive of GST.

Dated 20 June 2024

THE HON. GABRIELLE WILLIAMS MP
Minister for Public and Active Transport

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