

Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Taxi Minimum English Language Standards 2016 (No 1)*

Notifiable Instrument NI 2016–417

Made under the

Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Regulation 2000, section 62 (3) (e) (i) (Eligibility to apply for a public vehicle licence)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Road Transport (Driver Licensing) Taxi Minimum English Language Determination 2016 (No. 1)*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 August 2016.

3 Approval

I determine the requirements referred to in Schedule 1 as the minimum English language standards for a person to be eligible to hold a public vehicle licence for a taxi.

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Delegate
Road Transport Authority, Access Canberra
29 July 2016

*Name amended under Legislation Act, s 60

SCHEDULE 1

MINIMUM ENGLISH LANGUAGE STANDARDS

(1) English language standards may be certified through any of the following tests:

- (a) International Second Language Proficiency Ratings (ISLPR);
- (b) International English Language Test System (IELTS) test; or
- (c) Test of English as a Foreign Language internet-based test (TOEFL iBT).

Note The tests do not need to be notified under the [Legislation Act](#) because s 47 (5) does not apply (see [Legislation Act](#), s 47 (7)). The ISLPR is accessible at www.islpr.org. The IELTS is accessible at www.ielts.org. The TOEFL iBT is accessible at www.ets.org/toefl.

(2) The following are the minimum required scores for each of the test components in the respective English language tests:

English test	Minimum scores for English test components			
	Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
ISPLR	3	2	2+	1+
IELTS	6	4	5	4
TOEFL iBT	18	2	14	8