Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Additional Exemption Criteria and Exemption Conditions for NSW Bookable Vehicles Determination 2016

Notifiable Instrument NI2016-421

Made under the

Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Regulation 2002, section 221P (Exemption for NSW bookable vehicles—ACT pick up, drop off inside ACT region—Act, s 128 (1) (a))

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Road Transport (Public Passenger Services)* Additional *Exemption Criteria and Exemption Conditions for NSW Bookable Vehicles Determination 2016.**

2 Determination

Under section 221P of the *Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Regulation* 2002 the road transport may determine additional exemption criteria and exemption conditions for NSW bookable vehicles. These are set out in Schedule 1.

3 Revocation

This instrument revokes notifiable instrument NI2002-50 dated 25 February 2002.

4 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 August 2016.

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SCHEDULE 1

ADDITIONAL EXEMPTION CRITERIA AND EXEMPTION CONDITIONS

Additional Exemption Criteria

(1) For taxis, the NSW taxi-cab vehicle was a restricted taxi eligible to operate in the ACT Taxi Region as at 31 July 2016.

Exemption Conditions

- (2) Persons operating the bookable vehicle service, when in the ACT, must comply (as relevant) with the following sections of the *Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Regulation 2002*:
 - (a) Section 221V (Bookable vehicle driver—carrying goods in vehicle);
 - (b) Section 221W (Bookable vehicle driver—carrying animals in vehicle);
 - Section 221Y (Bookable vehicle driver—dropping off and picking up passengers);
 - (d) Section 222 (Bookable vehicle driver-must not tout for passengers); and
 - (e) Section 221X (Bookable vehicle driver—offensive material in vehicle).
- (3) Persons operating the bookable vehicle service, when in the ACT, must also comply (as relevant) with the following:
 - (a) Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Minimum Service Standards—Taxi Services 2016 (No 1), Schedule 1, part 1, item 1.2(1)
 - (b) Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Minimum Service Standards—Hire Car Services 2016 (No 1), Schedule 1, part 1, item 1.2(1)
 - (c) Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Minimum Service Standards—Rideshare Services 2016 (No 1), Schedule 1, part 1, item 1.2(1).

Specific conditions—for taxis

- (4) For a taxi that is a wheelchair accessible taxi (**WAT**), any hiring originating in the ACT must be booked via the ACT WAT Transport Booking Service.
- (5) The maximum fares payable for a taxi hiring originating in the ACT are as determined by the Minister under section 60 of the *Road Transport (Public Passenger Services) Act 2001.*