

## Taxi Regulation Act 2013 (Maximum Fares) Order 20[•]

The National Transport Authority, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 24 of the Taxi Regulation Act 2013 (No. 37 of 2013), hereby makes the following order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Taxi Regulation Act 2013 (Maximum Fares) Order 20[•].
2. This Order shall come into operation on [•] 2015.
3. In this Order “public holiday” has the same meaning as it has in paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Second Schedule to the Organisation of Working Time Act 1997 with the addition, where a public holiday falls on a Sunday, of the following weekday.
4. The fares contained in the Schedule are fixed as the maximum fares that may be charged by the driver of a taxi in respect of journey undertaken in the State.

### SCHEDULE

#### **Standard Tariff: To be displayed in the Tariff/Rate Window as 1**

Applies 08.00 hours to 20.00 hours, Monday to Saturday

**Changeover Speed (at all times)** 21.2 km/hr

#### **Initial Fare**

Monetary Value €3.60  
Distance Allowance 500.0 metres  
Time Allowance 84.9 seconds

#### **Rate A**

Monetary Unit €0.20  
Distance Allowance 181.8 metres  
Time Allowance 30.9 seconds  
Rate per km €1.10  
Hourly Rate €23.32

Rate A initiated at switch of running total from €3.60  
to €3.80

Range of Rate A €16.00

Graduates to Rate B when running total switches from €19.60  
to €19.80

Maximum Unit Increments on Rate A 80

Range of Rate A when charged only on distance 14,545.5 metres

Range of Rate A when charged only on time 2,470.0 seconds

#### **Rate B**

Monetary Unit €0.20  
Distance Allowance 142.9 metres  
Time Allowance 24.3 seconds  
Rate per km €1.40  
Hourly Rate €29.68

Rate B applies for the remainder of the journey

**Premium Tariff: To be displayed in the Tariff/Rate Window as 2**

Applies 20.00 hours to 08.00 hours, Monday to Saturday, and all Sundays and public holidays except Christmas and New Year

**Changeover Speed (at all times)** 21.2 km/hr

**Initial Fare**

Monetary Value €4.00  
Distance Allowance 500.0 metres  
Time Allowance 84.9 seconds

**Rate A**

Monetary Unit €0.20  
Distance Allowance 142.9 metres  
Time Allowance 24.3 seconds  
Rate per km €1.40  
Hourly Rate €29.68

Rate A initiated at switch from €4.00  
to €4.20

Range of Rate A €20.40

Graduates to Rate B when running total switched from €24.40  
to €24.60

Maximum Unit Increments on Rate A 102.0  
Range of Rate A when charged only on distance 14,571.4 metres  
Range of Rate A when charged only on time 2,474.4 seconds

**Rate B**

Monetary Unit €0.20  
Distance Allowance 114.3 metres  
Time Allowance 19.4 seconds  
Rate per km €1.75  
Hourly Rate €37.10

Rate B applies for the remainder of the journey

**Special Tariff for Christmas & New Year: To be displayed in the Tariff/Rate Window as 3**

A special rate applies from 20:00h Christmas Eve to 08:00h St. Stephen's Day and from 20:00h New Year's Eve to 08:00h New Year's Day.

**Changeover Speed (at all times)** 21.2 km/hr

**Initial Fare**

Monetary Value €4.00  
Distance Allowance 500.0 metres  
Time Allowance 84.9 seconds

**Rate A**

Monetary Unit €0.20  
Distance Allowance 114.3 metres  
Time Allowance 19.4 seconds  
Rate per km €1.75  
Hourly Rate €37.10

Rate A initiated at switch from €4.00  
to €4.20

Range of Rate A €25.40

Graduates to Rate B when running total switched from €29.40  
to €29.60

Maximum Unit Increments on Rate A 127.0  
Range of Rate A when charged only on distance 14,514.3 metres  
Range of Rate A when charged only on time 2,464.7 seconds

**Rate B**

Monetary Unit €0.20  
Distance Allowance 90.9 metres  
Time Allowance 15.4 seconds  
Rate per km €2.20  
Hourly Rate €46.64

Rate B applies for the remainder of the journey

**Extra metered charges (where applicable)**

**Booking Fee** €2.00

**Additional passenger charge:** each adult passenger after the first (or, after the first free child, for each additional two children under 12 years of age) €1.00

**Credit/debit card charge,** where applicable 5%

**Soiling Charge,** where applicable The reasonable cost of remedying the soiling, up to a maximum of €140.00

EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM

*(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)*

This Order sets the maximum fares that may be charged by the driver of a taxi in respect of journey undertaken in the State in line with the table contained in the Schedule to the Order.