

2026 No.

ROAD TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES

**The Penalty Charges (Prescribed Amounts) (Amendment)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2026**

Made - - - - 2026

Coming into operation 2026

The Department for Infrastructure^(a) makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 4(4) of the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005^(b):

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Penalty Charges (Prescribed Amounts) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2026 and shall come into operation on 2026.

2. In these Regulations—

“coach” means a motor vehicle constructed or adapted to carry more than 8 passengers in addition to the driver.

Amendment

3. For Regulation 2 of the Penalty Charges (Prescribed Amounts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006^(c) substitute the following—

“2.—(1) The penalty charge payable for each contravention specified in Schedule 1 to the Order—

(2) shall be £90.00, subject to paragraph (3).

(3) except in respect of a contravention by a coach of the Waiting Restrictions (Giant’s Causeway) Order (Northern Ireland) 2017^(d), where the penalty charge payable shall be £300.00.”

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department for Infrastructure on 2026

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A senior officer of the Department for Infrastructure

(a) Formerly the Department for Regional Development; see section 1(6) and (11) of, and Schedule 1 to, the Departments Act (Northern Ireland) 2016 (2016 c. 5 (N.I.))
(b) S.I. 2005/1964 (N.I. 14; see Article 2(2) for the definition of “prescribed”
(c) S.R. 2006 No. 338 as amended by S.R. 2012 No. 203
(d) S.R. 2017 No. 134

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

These Regulations amend the Penalty Charges (Prescribed Amounts) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2006 to prescribe a higher penalty charge of £300 for parking contraventions by coaches as specified in Article 3.

In accordance with Articles 5(3)(d) and 7(3)(d) of the Traffic Management (Northern Ireland) Order 2005, and Regulation 3 of the 2006 Regulations, any penalty charge payable under these Regulations shall be reduced by 50% where it is paid within 14 days.