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The Cabinet makes the following Regulations under Section 130 of the Public Service Act 2016:

1 Citation

These Regulations may be cited as the *Public Service (Government Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations* 2021.

2 Commencement

These Regulations come into effect on the day they are notified in the Gazette.

3 Amendment of Public Service (Government Vehicles) Regulations 2017

These Regulations amend the Public Service (Government Vehicles) Regulations 2017.

4 Insert new Regulation 17

A new Regulation 17 is inserted as follows:

17 Restriction on the use of tint on window

- (1) An employee, who is assigned a vehicle shall not without the prior written approval of the Chief Secretary, permit or cause any window of the vehicle to be tinted.
- (2) Where approval is given by the Chief Secretary under subregulation (1), the visible light transmittance shall be:
 - (a) for each front window, at least 35%; and
 - (b) for each rear window, at least 20%.
- (3) An employee who contravenes this Regulation commits a disciplinary offence.
- (4) An employee who permits or causes any window of a vehicle to be tinted:
 - (a) with the prior written approval of the Chief Secretary, shall bear the full cost of the tinting without any claims or reimbursements from the Republic; or
 - (b) without the prior written approval of the Chief Secretary, shall pay for the cost of the removal of such tint and any cost is recoverable by deduction from the employee's salary.

5 Insert new Regulation 18

A new Regulation 18 is inserted as follows:

18 Prohibition on the use of tint on windscreen

- (1) An employee who is assigned a vehicle shall not permit or cause any windscreen of the vehicle to be tinted unless the tint is installed by the manufacturer of the vehicle.
- (2) An employee who contravenes subregulation (1), commits a disciplinary offence.

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(3) An employee who permits or causes any windscreen of a vehicle to be tinted shall pay for the cost of the removal of such tint and any cost is recoverable by deduction from the employee's salary.

6 Insert new Regulation 19

A new Regulation 19 is inserted as follows:

19 Restriction on modifying vehicle

- (1) An employee, who is assigned a vehicle shall not without the prior written approval of the Chief Secretary, permit or cause another person to make any modification to the vehicle.
- (2) An employee who contravenes subregulation (1), commits a disciplinary offence.
- (3) An employee who permits or causes any modification of a vehicle:
 - (a) with the prior written approval of the Chief Secretary, shall bear the full cost of the modification without any claim or reimbursement from the Republic; or
 - (b) without the prior written approval of the Chief Secretary, shall pay for the cost of the removal of such modification and any cost is recoverable by deduction from the employee's salary.