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AN ACT to enable the Department of Infrastructure to make concessionary travel schemes.

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Council and Keys in Tynwald assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1 Short title

The short title of this Act is the Concessionary Travel Schemes Act 2016.

2 Isle of Man Passenger Transport Act 1982 amended

In Part V of the *Isle of Man Passenger Transport Act 1982* (miscellaneous and supplementary), before section 24 insert —

23A Concessionary travel schemes

- (1) The Department may make concessionary travel schemes.
- (2) A concessionary travel scheme is a scheme for the provision of travel concessions to eligible persons travelling on eligible services.
- (3) A concessionary travel scheme must include provision —
 - (a) determining, or for the determination of, the rate or rates of travel concessions; and
 - (b) specifying, or for the specification of, the days and times during which travel concessions are provided.

- (4) Without limiting subsections (1) to (3), a concessionary travel scheme may —
- (a) permit a person to publish forms and other material in respect of a matter specified in the scheme;
 - (b) make provision for the electronic submission of information and documents in respect of a matter specified in the scheme;
 - (c) permit a person to exercise a discretion in dealing with a matter specified in the scheme;
 - (d) prescribe fees which may be levied under the scheme; and
 - (e) make provision for such other matters connected with the scheme as the Department considers appropriate.
- (5) A concessionary travel scheme may provide for the modification or revocation of any concessionary travel scheme relating to the carriage of passengers by road or rail established in the Island and in operation when this section comes into operation.
- (6) Before making a concessionary travel scheme under this section, the Department must consult the Treasury.
- (7) In this section —
- “**eligible person**” means a person of such description as is specified in the concessionary travel scheme;
- “**eligible service**” means a service relating to the carriage of passengers by road or rail of such description as is specified in the concessionary travel scheme; and
- “**travel concession**”, in relation to a journey, means —
- (a) the reduction of the fare for the journey below the amount applicable to an adult who is not entitled to any reduction; or
 - (b) the waiver of such fare. .

3 Expiry

- (1) This Act ceases to have effect on the day following its promulgation.
- (2) Subsection (1) does not affect the continuing validity of the amendments made by section 2.

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