

Incentive Scheme for Replacing Euro II Diesel Commercial Vehicles by New Commercial Vehicles

Notes for Application

The Incentive Scheme

To improve Hong Kong's air quality, the Government is offering a one-off grant to owners of Euro II diesel commercial vehicles to encourage them to replace their vehicles with new ones complying with the prevailing statutory emission standard for newly registered vehicles ^(See Note 1) from 1st July 2010 to 30th June 2013.

Under this incentive scheme, “commercial vehicles” include light, medium and heavy goods vehicles; private and public light buses; as well as private and public non-franchised buses.

[Note 1: Currently, Euro IV emission standard is the statutory standard for newly registered commercial vehicles. If it is tightened to a more stringent standard during the implementation period of the scheme, the new replacement commercial vehicles shall comply with the new standard.]

Application Methods and Procedures

- Fill in the TD Application Form : TD605
- Application forms are available from the following locations/channels:
 - Licensing Offices of the Transport Department:
 - 3/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong, Hong Kong Licensing Office, Transport Department
 - 2/F Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices, 303 Cheung Sha Wan Road, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon, Kowloon Licensing Office, Transport Department
 - 5/F Kowloon East Government Offices, 12 Lei Yue Mun Road, Kwun Tong, Kowloon, Kwun Tong Licensing Office, Transport Department
 - 2/F Shatin Government Offices, 1 Sheung Wo Che Road, Shatin, New Territories, Shatin Licensing Office, Transport Department
 - Transport Department Customer Services Hotline: 2804 2600;
 - Transport Department Website <http://www.td.gov.hk>; or
 - Environmental Protection Department Hotline: 2824 0022.
- When you submit the application form, please also produce the following documents:
 - 1) Photocopy of the applicant's H.K. Identity Card or passport for non-identity card holders in the case of a private owner; the Certificate of Incorporation in the case of a Limited Company, Business Registration Certificate will not be accepted; and
 - 2) Duly completed GF179A “Authority for payment to a bank” should be submitted if you select to have the payment of the grant credited to your bank account.
- Channels of Submission:

From 1 July 2010, applicant can submit the completed application form TD605, together with the documents mentioned above, by any one of the following means:

 - 1) By post to Hong Kong Licensing Office, Transport Department (Address: 3/F, United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong); or

- 2) By drop-in boxes at the four licensing offices; or
 - 3) In person or by agent to submit the application form at Hong Kong Licensing Office, Transport Department during office hours (Monday to Friday: 9am to 5pm) (Address: 3/F United Centre, 95 Queensway, Hong Kong).
- Applicant shall provide his/her personal data and vehicle particulars about the scrapped vehicle and the new vehicle, including the registration mark and the chassis number for the scrapped and the new vehicle, the scrapped date of the old vehicle and the first registration date of the new vehicle.

Collection of Grant

Applicant shall select one of the following options for collecting the grant:

- 1) Crossed cheque sent by mail to applicant's correspondence address; or
- 2) Credit to applicant's self-named bank account. (Duly completed GF179A "Authority for payment to a bank" shall be attached to the application if choosing this option.)

Enquiry

For enquires about the Incentive Scheme, please contact the following Departments:

Environmental Protection Department

Details of the Scheme

Tel: 2824 0022

Fax: 2877 8690

Address: Mobile Source Group, Environmental Protection Department,
Room 4518, 45/F., Revenue Tower, Wanchai, Hong Kong; or

Visit Environmental Protection Department's web-site: <http://www.info.gov.hk/epd/>

Transport Department

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Tel: 2804 2600

Address: Hong Kong Licensing Office, Transport Department, 3/F., United Centre, 95 Queensway,
Hong Kong; or

Visit Transport Department's web-site: <http://www.td.gov.hk>

Attention:

- For details of the Incentive Scheme, please study the leaflet, "Incentive Scheme for Replacing Euro II Diesel Commercial Vehicle by New Commercial Vehicles", issued by the Environmental Protection Department.
- It is an offence under the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance (Chapter 201) for any person to offer advantage to any government officer in relation to his/her official duties.

Transport Department

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