

Electric Mobility Devices are banned on roads

According to the Road Traffic Ordinance (Cap. 374), "motor vehicle" means any mechanically propelled vehicle. Electric mobility devices including mini-motor cycles, electric scooters and electric unicycles, etc. are likely to be "motor vehicles".

Such mobility devices are not suitable to share road spaces with ordinary vehicles, no matter from the road safety perspective or from the smooth traffic angle. They are also not suitable for use on pavements. Therefore, it is a general policy of the Transport Department that such mobility devices would not be registered or licensed under the Road Traffic Ordinance.

Offences under the Road Traffic Ordinance and/or its subsidiary legislation may be committed by using an unregistered and unlicensed mobile device on a road or private road. Other offences may also be committed.

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