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**MOTOR CAR (ELECTRIC OR HYBRID PRIVATE MOTOR CARS)
AMENDMENT ACT 2024**

2024 : 17

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Motor Car Act 1951 to provide for the dimensions and licence fee for the increased length and width of electric or hybrid private motor cars;

Be it enacted by The King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Assembly of Bermuda, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

Citation

1 This Act, which amends the Motor Car Act 1951, may be cited as the Motor Car (Electric or Hybrid Private Motor Cars) Amendment Act 2024.

Amends section 2

2 Section 2 of the Motor Car Act 1951 is amended by inserting the following in the proper alphabetical places—

“electric private motor car” means a private motor car that is powered by an electric motor that draws electricity from a battery system and is capable of being charged by an external source;

“hybrid private motor car” means a private motor car that is powered by two different forms of power;”.

Amends Schedule 1

3 Schedule 1 to the Motor Car Act 1951 is amended by inserting the following after item J PRIVATE MOTOR CARS, INSTRUCTIONAL VEHICLES—

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- “ JAA ELECTRIC AND HYBRID PRIVATE MOTOR CARS
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| 1 Length overall | not exceeding 176 inches | |
| 2 Width overall | not exceeding 72 inches | |
| 3 Number of wheels on which supported | | 4 |
| 4 The ratio of the weight of the vehicle to the maximum engine power output shall be not less 10.50 kilograms per kilowatt. | | ”. |

Amends Schedule 2

4 Schedule 2 to the Motor Car Act 1951 is amended in paragraph B “PRIVATE MOTOR CARS” by inserting the following after “Class H”—

- “ Class I (Electric or Hybrid) Where the length overall exceeds 4445 mm (175 in.) but does not exceed 4470 mm (176 in.) \$1,686.95 ”.

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