



PRIVATE EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE

Application for Shipment of a Low Commercial Vehicle at Private Concessionary Rate.

Vehicles carrying or designed to carry goods are normally charged at Commercial (freight) rates. However, we do offer a concession to allow customers in Low Commercial vehicles to travel at the private rates, if the reason for travel is genuinely for private purposes only and the vehicle is less than 6.5 meters in length, less than 2.5 m in height and no more than 3,000 kilograms.

The private vehicle rate for Low Commercial Vehicles is not applicable if any part of the return journey is being made for commercial purposes, regardless of the vehicle contents. Commercial rates will be charged for a vehicle designed to carry commercial goods, if the vehicle is in excess of 6.5metres long or 2.5m meters in height.

In order to apply for the private vehicle rate, this form must be completed and shown when checking in at the ports and will be retained by our staff on the return journey. The company reserves the right to examine the contents of the vehicle and charge the applicable commercial rate should the journey be deemed to be for commercial purposes.

Drivers name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode:

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Van registration No:

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Vehicle Length: _____ Height: _____

Outward Date & Time: _____

Return Date & Time: _____

Contents of vehicle:

Outward _____

Return _____

Reason for travel with a commercial vehicle:

Moving house Transporting bikes Only transport

Other: _____

Booking Method:

Phone Steam Packet Holidays Online* Travel Agent

Booking reference:

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Declaration:

I confirm that the journey described above will be solely for private purposes, and that the vehicle will not be carrying goods, tools or used for commercial purposes.

Signed:

Date:

All vehicles purposely designed to carry goods are classified as commercial. This includes vans, pick ups, car derived vans and vehicles which have had the purpose of the vehicle changed to purely carry goods. The company offers a concession to those customers who are travelling for purely private purposes, however conditions are in place to assist to maintain and monitor this concession.

Please find below conditions and guidelines in respect of the private concession for commercial vehicles which the Steam Packet Company offers.

Rules.

- The vehicle must **NOT** exceed 2.5m in height, 6.5m in length and/or 3ton in weight.
- **NO** tools of the trade must be carried in the vehicle.
- The purpose of the trip must be for non commercial purposes.
- The vehicle must not be carrying any commercial items.
- This form must be completed and presented at the ports upon check in.
- The vehicle may be subject to search.

Please find below guidelines to try and assist you.

Commercial contents.

- Tools of the trade
- Items for stock
- Items for resale
- Work equipment
- Items being taken from one branch of a company to another.
- Items for exhibition or resale

Commercial purposes for travel

- Working
- Delivering items for stock, resale or for internal company purposes
- Exhibition for resale
- Stocking a company shop/office
- Transferring equipment/files between branch's of a company
- Re-locating of a company
- Persons being paid to transport/collect/deliver items for another party

Please note if the aforementioned rules are not abided by, the concession can be withdrawn and the full commercial rate can be charged.

Not adhering to the rules of this concession or abuse of the concession can result in withdrawal of the concession all together.

If the vehicle is searched upon arrival at the port and is deemed to be commercial you would be excessed to the full applicable commercial rate.

If you have any queries or require further information please contact our reservations team on;

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*Please note that vans cannot be booked online. This is to ensure that they are booked at the correct length and to ensure that they are not being used for commercial purposes. Those traveling with vans that have been booked online are subject to refusal at the port and will be surcharged any difference in fare if applicable.