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CHAPTER 102

The Department of Transport Act

1. In this Act,

Interpre-
tation

(a) "Department" means the Department of Transport;

(b) "Minister" means the member of the Executive Council designated by the Lieutenant Governor in Council as the Minister of Transport to administer the Department. 1957, c. 26, s. 1.

2.—(1) The department of the public service known as the Department of Transport is continued.

Department
continued

(2) The Minister shall preside over and have charge of the Department. 1957, c. 26, s. 2, *amended*.

Minister to
have charge

3.—(1) A Deputy Minister of the Department may be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

Deputy
Minister

(2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may appoint such officers, clerks and servants as are deemed necessary from time to time for the proper conduct of the business of the Department. 1957, c. 26, s. 3.

Staff

4. Notwithstanding any other Act, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may assign the administration of any Act to the Minister and the Minister is responsible for the administration of an Act so assigned and may exercise the powers and shall perform the duties of the minister named in an Act so assigned. 1957, c. 26, s. 4.

Assignment
of Acts to
Minister

5. The expenses of the Department shall be paid out of the moneys appropriated therefor by the Legislature. 1957, c. 26, s. 5 (1), *amended*.

Expenses

6.—(1) The Government of Ontario, represented by the Minister of Transport, may make reciprocal arrangements and enter into agreements with the government or governments of any province or provinces of Canada,

Provincial
agreements
re licensing
and fees of
commercial
motor
vehicles, etc.

(a) providing for the licensing of public commercial vehicles and public vehicles, for the registration of

commercial motor vehicles and trailers, and for exemptions from such licensing and registration;

- (b) prescribing the fees to be paid therefor and providing for the payment and apportionment of such fees; and
- (c) providing for such other related matters as are deemed necessary.

Acts
subject to
agreement
R.S.O. 1960,
cc. 172, 319,
337

(2) The provisions of *The Highway Traffic Act*, *The Public Commercial Vehicles Act* and *The Public Vehicles Act* and regulations made thereunder, with respect to licensing and registration of vehicles, are subject to any agreement entered into under this section.

Public
commercial
vehicles

(3) A public commercial vehicle licence issued for a commercial motor vehicle or trailer by a province with which an agreement has been entered into under this section with respect to such a licence shall be deemed for the purposes of *The Public Commercial Vehicles Act* to be a public commercial vehicle licence under that Act.

Public
vehicles

(4) A public vehicle licence issued for a public vehicle by a province with which an agreement has been entered into under this section with respect to such a licence shall be deemed for the purposes of *The Public Vehicles Act* to be a public vehicle licence under that Act.

Commercial
motor
vehicles

(5) A permit for the registration of a commercial motor vehicle or trailer issued by a province with which an agreement has been entered into under this section with respect to such a permit shall be deemed for the purposes of *The Highway Traffic Act* to be a permit for the registration of such vehicle under that Act.

Suspension
of licences
or permits

(6) Where a licence or permit issued by a province with which an agreement has been entered into under this section is deemed for the purposes of any Act of the Legislature to be a licence or permit under such Act, the provisions of such Act with respect to suspension or cancellation of such a licence or permit apply in so far as the licence or permit is effective in Ontario. 1959, c. 27, s. 1.
