



CITY OF CAPE TOWN TRAFFIC SERVICES

CONDITIONS PERTAINING TO THE ISSUE OF RESERVED PARKING FOR DISABLED DISC HOLDERS

Application requirements:

- a. Acceptable Identification
- b. Completed application form – the form must be completed by a treating Medical practitioner or Occupational Therapist (recognised as such by the Health Professions Council of South Africa as referred to in the Health Professions Act, 1974)
- c. Application fee
- d. Two recent identical photographs (Categories A and B)

1. There are three categories of disabled parking discs:

- a. Category A – Issued to Physically disabled persons confined to wheelchairs or requiring physical assistance to exit the vehicle valid for 2 years.
- b. Category B – Issued to Physically disabled persons confined to wheelchairs or requiring physical assistance to exit the vehicle valid for 6 months.
- c. Category C – Issued to Companies that transport disabled persons confined to wheelchairs or requiring physical assistance to exit the vehicle valid for 1 year.

2. Application for Category A and B disabled discs shall be made by such person/ authorised proxy who suffers from any physical defect or disability affecting their ambulatory ability – List provided below but is not limited to:

- Multiple Sclerosis
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Motor Neurone Disease
- Paraplegia
- Quadriplegia/Tetraplegia
- Cauda Equina Syndrome
- Hemiplegia
- Guillain-Barre' Syndrome
- Parkinson's Disease
- Polio
- Stroke
- Amputation
- Arthritis (Osteoarthritis, Rheumatoid, Septic, Psoriatic)
- Autoimmune Diseases
- Cerebral Palsy

3. Application for a Category C disabled disc shall be made by a registered welfare organisation that provides for the needs of persons suffering from any physical defect or disability affecting their ambulatory ability. The company shall designate a proxy to apply on their behalf. The disc shall clearly show the registration number of the vehicle. The vehicle will be clearly marked with the welfare organisation logo and have a valid vehicle licence and fitness disc displayed.
4. Any person who has been denied a disabled disc or has had the disabled disc withdrawn may appeal in writing to the Traffic Manager.
5. The approved persons shall be issued with a disabled disc bearing his/her name, identity number and a recent clear photograph, showing the head and shoulders of the exempted person. This permit shall on demand by a Traffic/Police/Metro/Law enforcement officers be produced forthwith by the person.
6. The permit shall be valid for the period indicated thereon. On the cessation of the need for the disabled disc, the disc shall be returned to the traffic Manager.
7. The disc shall only be used by the authorised person, who shall not be able to use the disc in the demarcated bay unless the permit is displayed so that the face is clearly visible from the outside of the vehicle
8. The council shall be entitled to withdraw the disc granted and demand the return of such particularly where the privilege, in the opinion of the traffic manager, is in any way being abused by the exempted person or organisation.
9. The council shall have the right to confiscate any disc, which may be found to be used in contravention of the conditions of this disc.
10. Should the disc be lost the authorised holder thereof may apply to the traffic Department for a duplicate but shall in any event advise the traffic manager of such loss. The issuing of a duplicate shall be at the discretion of the traffic manager.
11. The cost of the permit shall be laid down on the City of Cape Town tariff list, which is reviewed yearly.

Accepted by:

Acting Chief: Andre Nel
Deputy Chief: Jody Pillay

On 14th March 2023