

**Concise Explanatory Statement pursuant to RIGL §42-35-2.3**

The proposed regulations respond a 2012 legislative mandate in which Rhode Island General Law §39-14.1-6 was amended to require the Division to establish minimum allowable charges for transportation services provided by public motor vehicles. Additionally, Rhode Island General Law §39-14.1-1(7) was amended to require that “All vehicles operated under this chapter shall conform to the specifications established by the Division”.