

# The Public Transport (Motorcycle Regulation) Bill 2023

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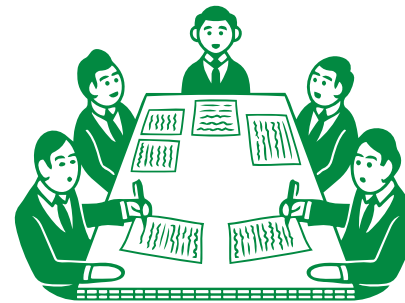
- Was passed by Senate with amendments on 5th December 2024
- Was referred to the National Assembly on 12th February 2025 for concurrence.



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# The Bill proposes establishment of a County Motorcycle Transport & Safety Board

Constituting of 11 members



Responsible for **regulation**  
**management and coordination of all**  
**matters relating to motorcycle**  
**transport sector within a county**



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# Commercial motorcycle operators’ Requirements:



**Register with the respective County Executive Committee Members**



**Required to pay prescribed fees**



**Register with a Cooperative Society recognised under the Cooperative Societies Act**



**May NOT ride a motorcycle unless:**

- Completed the necessary training
- Certified with a “valid class” driver’s/provisional license
- a valid written employment contract



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# Motorcycle owners shall ensure:



It is fitted with a tracking device, approved by the **County Executive**, that allows for real time identification of the location



### While carrying a passenger:

- it is equipped with **2 helmets that comply with KEBS standards** & **2 reflective jackets** of prescribed colours
- they **properly wear a helmet & reflective jacket** whenever being carried



A 2-wheeled motorcycle does **not carry a load exceeding 50kgs** with an adult passenger at the same time



A child who is **less than 13 years old** may be carried together with an adult passenger provided they are seated between the rider & the passenger



A minimum motor commercial public service vehicle insurance cover

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# Motorcycle riders shall be **penalized** for:



Carrying a person or **persons intending to commit an offence** and are liable for any offence committed



**Riding on a pavement or pedestrian walkway** or any other area not designated, and liable to **a fine not exceeding Kes 20,000** or a jail term not exceeding **6 months or both**



Participating in **ganging up with other riders to intimidate, threaten or harm another person**, liable to a fine not exceeding **Kes 100,000** or a **jail term not exceeding one year**



The County Executive Committee Member in charge of Transport Sector shall submit a register of licensed operators every 3 months to NTSA