

TAXIDRIVERS — LEASE PLATES

5294. Hon Ken Travers to the Minister for Finance representing the Minister for Transport

- (1) Has the Director General allowed any taxi lease operators to make their periodic payment by a date other than the due date?
- (2) If yes to (1), why?
- (3) Did any lessee's forfeit their plates in 2011 due to a failure to make their periodic payments by the due date?
- (4) If yes to (3), what action was taken?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

The Department of Transport advises:

- (1) No
- (2) Not applicable
- (3) Yes
- (4) The plates were seized and reissued.