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Free Bus Travel

As from 1 May 2012, free bus travel will be allowed on all routes except Route 5 for residents of Gibraltar and those holding Gibraltar ID cards. This will include MoD personnel posted in Gibraltar and their registered dependents. For the purpose of this exercise, a valid document will comprise one of the following:

- Gibraltar I D card;
- a valid Permit of Residence issued by the Royal Gibraltar Police;
- a valid Gibraltar Health Authority Health Card; or
- a local ID card issued by the MoD.

The Government has received representations from parents expressing concern that schoolchildren should have to carry their I D Cards with them.

To allay their concerns, the Gibraltar Bus Company is introducing, as part of the Club Card scheme, a Junior Club Card for all persons from the ages of 5 to 16 years, who are not in possession a valid Gibraltar Identity Card.

Applicants must be in fulltime education in a local education establishment and either reside in Gibraltar or have the right to do so. (M.O.D. dependents will also be covered under this scheme)

This card entitles the holder to unrestricted free bus travel on routes 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Special forms will be distributed to local schools and will also be available for collection from the offices of the Gibraltar Bus Company Limited. In addition, these forms can also be downloaded from the Governments website, www.gibraltar.gov.gi

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