

**FAILING TO PRODUCE LICENCE / INSURANCE / TEST CERTIFICATE**

**Road Traffic (NI) Order 1981**

180.- (4) If any person fails to produce his licence or certificate of insurance or certificate of security or test certificate or goods vehicle test certificate immediately when asked for it or, alternatively, to bring it in person within 7 days after the production of his licence or certificate of insurance or certificate of security or test certificate or goods vehicle test certificate was so required to such police station as the person so failing shall have specified at the time its production was required, he shall be guilty of an offence under this Order.

**Maximum Sentence:**

*Road Traffic Offenders (NI) Order 1996*

*Summary only: Level 3 fine (£1,000)*

*Disqualification: No*

*Endorsement: No*

*Penalty points: No*

**Assessment of Offence**

*(starting points and ranges based on 1<sup>st</sup> time offender convicted following contest)*

<b><u>Nature of Offence</u></b>	<b><u>Starting Point</u></b>	<b><u>Sentencing Range</u></b>
N/A	Fine	£60 - £500 Fine

<b><u>Examples of Possible Aggravating Factors of Offence</u></b>	<b><u>Examples of Possible Mitigating Factor of Offence</u></b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Vehicle in blatantly dangerous condition</li><li>2. Never passed test previously</li><li>3. Gave false details</li><li>4. Driving LGV, HGV, PSV etc.</li><li>5. Driving for hire or reward</li><li>6. Evidence of sustained use unlicensed</li><li>7. Involved in accident</li><li>8. Accident resulting in injury</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Responsibility for getting test rests with another</li><li>2. Genuine misunderstanding</li><li>3. Recent failure to renew where test results expired</li><li>4. Vehicle not being driven</li></ol>

**Relevant Cases:**

N/A

**Notes:**