

CONDITIONS OF LICENCE - HACKNEY CARRIAGE VEHICLES

Proprietors of the vehicle will:-

1. Keep the vehicle in a clean and well maintained condition at all times.
2. Produce the vehicle for inspection by officers of the council or by a garage authorised by the council to carry out inspections of hackney carriages when requested to do so.
3. Display in the vehicle in a position which is clearly visible to passengers:-
 1. The number of the licence
 2. The number of passengers prescribed by the licence
 3. The Table of Fares currently in operation
 4. A statement that "Complaints should be referred to the proprietor in the first instance and if necessary to Licensing at Uttlesford District Council via licensing@uttlesford.gov.uk or 01799 510510 quoting the driver and/or vehicle licence number".
 5. The name of the proprietor.
4. Display at all times the vehicle licence plate provided by the Council in a prominent position at the rear and on the exterior of the vehicle
5. Ensure that the roof "TAXI" sign is displayed at all times.
6. Ensure the roof sign is illuminated when the vehicle is plying for hire.
7. If the Hackney Carriage vehicle is being driven by a licensed driver other than the proprietor, the proprietor must hold a copy of the individual's Hackney Carriage driver's licence at all times when that driver is driving the vehicle. The proprietor must create a register (electronically or otherwise) and record details of the licence in that register, records to be kept for a minimum of 6 months.
8. Upon being requested to do so to remove any third party advertising from the interior or exterior of the vehicle which in the opinion of the Environmental Health Manager (Commercial) is offensive, harmful to health or unsuitable.
9. In the event that a vehicle is more than 5 years old to produce the vehicle to a council authorised tester for inspection at 6 month intervals.
10. Ensure that the vehicle is fitted with a taxi meter visible to passengers recording the fare payable in accordance with the Table of Fares which shall from time to time be approved by the council or (if lower) the Table of Fares charged by the driver.

11. Notify Licensing in writing of any conviction recorded against him or (if the proprietor is a company) against any of the company's directors or senior managers within 7 days of such conviction.
12. Notify Licensing in writing of any change of residential or business address during the period of the licence within 7 days of such change taking place.

CONDITIONS OF LICENCE - PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLES

Proprietors of the vehicle will:-

1. Keep the vehicle in a clean and well maintained condition at all times.
2. Produce the vehicle for inspection by officers of the council or by a garage authorised by the council to carry out inspections of private hire vehicles when requested to do so.
3. Display in the vehicle in a position which is clearly visible to passengers:-
 1. The number of the licence.
 2. The number of passengers prescribed by the licence.
 3. A statement that "Complaints should be referred to the proprietor in the first instance and if necessary to Licensing at Uttlesford District Council via licensing@uttlesford.gov.uk or 01799 510598 quoting the driver and/or vehicle licence number".
 4. The name of the proprietor.
4. Display at all times the vehicle licence plate provided by the Council in a prominent position at the rear and on the exterior of the vehicle (unless an exemption has been granted by the authority).
5. If the Private Hire vehicle is being driven by a licensed driver other than the proprietor, the proprietor must hold a copy of the individual's Private Hire driver's licence at all times when that driver is driving the vehicle. The proprietor must create a register (electronically or otherwise) and record details of the licence in that register, records to be kept for a minimum of 6 months.
6. Upon being requested to do so to remove any third party advertising from the interior or exterior of the vehicle which in the opinion of the Environmental Health Manager (Commercial) is offensive, harmful to health or unsuitable.
7. In the event that a vehicle is more than 5 years old to produce the vehicle to a council authorised tester for inspection at 6 month intervals.
8. Notify Licensing in writing of any conviction recorded against him or (if the proprietor is a company) against any of the company's directors or senior managers within 7 days of such conviction.
9. Notify Licensing in writing of any change of residential or business address during the period of the licence within 7 days of such change taking place.