

AMENDMENTS TO THE HACKNEY CARRIAGE AND PRIVATE HIRE POLICY - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Licensing Committee - 1 November 2018

Report of Chief Officer Environmental and Operational Services

Status For Decision

Key Decision No

Summary: In addition to the items proposed in the main report, one further change to the taxi policy is proposed for inclusion in the consultation.

The additional change would allow for new hackney carriage vehicles which were electric vehicles (or other green vehicles) do not need to be wheelchair accessible

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Proposed Amendments

Wheelchair accessible vehicles

At paragraph 4.5 of the policy, to amend the words ‘(This does not apply to ...)’ to ‘(This does not apply to replacement vehicles, change of ownership of vehicles, vehicles that are replacing damaged vehicles *and ultra-low-emission vehicles [ULEV] that is vehicles that emit less than 75g/km of CO₂s*)’

Richard Wilson

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