# Isle of Man Government

## **Road Transport Licensing Committee**

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## **APPLICATIONS, DECISIONS AND NOTICES**

#### **NOTICE PERIOD**

The Road Transport Act 2001 ("the Act") and the Road Transport Regulations 2018 require the Road Transport Licensing Committee ("the RTLC") to publish details of applications, meetings and decisions.

If you wish to view an application, please contact the RTLC Secretary at <a href="mailto:noel.capewell@gov.im">noel.capewell@gov.im</a>.

Copies of all monthly newsletters are available on the RTLC website: www.gov.im/rtlc.

Within a period of twenty one days from the date of this publication, any person may write to the RTLC making any objections or representations with respect to an application.

Written objections can be received by letter or email. They should include the name and address of the sender and include the reasons why the objection or representation is made. For the full procedure detailing the submission of objections please see the RTLC website.

#### **RTLC OFFICE**

The RTLC office operates on an appointment only basis. If you come to the office without an appointment you may have a wasted journey as there might not be anyone available to assist you.

#### **NOTICE**

#### **REVIEW OF FARE METER TARIFF**

The RTLC may from time to time determine the **maximum** fares to be charged by vehicles when under hire as per Section 35 of the Act.

In accordance with the Public Passenger Vehicles (Fares and Fare-Meters) Regulations 2002, the RTLC may review such fares and invite consultation or representation by interested parties.

A review of the tariff was started in both February 2020 and January 2021 but, due to the COVID-19 pandemic and other factors beyond the control of the RTLC, neither review was taken forward.

The RTLC is hereby giving notice of a new review of the current fares given that circumstances have changed dramatically since February 2020. All Operators, Representative Bodies and any other interested stakeholders are invited to submit their views along with any fare proposals by **Tuesday March 15**<sup>th</sup> **2022**.

All views must be submitted in writing and should contain the sender's name and address. Responses should either be sent by email to <a href="mailto:rtlc@gov.im">rtlc@gov.im</a> or by post to Thie Slieau Whallian, Foxdale Road, St John's, Isle of Man, IM4 3AS.

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#### LIST OF REPRESENTATIVE BODIES

The Road Transport Regulations 2018 require the RTLC to publish in a Circular, from time to time, a list specifying the name and address of every Representative Body in accordance with Sections 11 and 26 of the Act.

The initial list of Representative Bodies was issued in AD&N Circular No. 1 dated 15th March 2002.

This list has been updated in the past and the current list is as follows;

 Manx Taxi Federation, Deerae, Braaid Crossroads, Marown, IM4 2AW Contact: Mr RD Teare

 IoM UNITE Taxi Trade Branch, Unite Building, Fort Street, Douglas Contact: Mr PM Birchall

The RTLC would like all Representative Bodies on the above list to confirm that their names and addresses are still correct or detail any necessary amendments. All correspondence should be addressed to the RTLC Secretary.

The RTLC also invites expressions of interest from any organisations that wish to notify it that they would like to be considered as a Representative Body. Please note that a Representative Body is defined in Section 63 of the Act as, "a body appearing to the Committee to be representative of passenger vehicle operators, or of any class of such operators".

Please note that any Representative Bodies, and any organisation that would like to be considered as a Representative Body, will need to confirm the appropriate details to the RTLC office by **Tuesday March 15<sup>th</sup> 2022**.

### **RTLC MEETINGS**

The next regularly scheduled meetings of the RTLC for public passenger vehicles which will be held in public are currently due to take place on February 17<sup>th</sup> and March 29<sup>th</sup> at Thie Slieau Whallian, Foxdale Road, St John's.

All applicants and objectors that are required to attend a meeting will receive a formal invitation letter prior to the meeting.

Should you require information on the timetables for any upcoming meetings, please contact the RTLC office. If you intend to observe any meeting in public that you are not specifically invited to, it would be appreciated if you could inform RTLC staff of your intentions prior to the meeting. This information is required to ensure that there is sufficient space at the meeting to accommodate any observers. Should there not be sufficient space at Thie Slieau Whallian, a different venue for the meeting would have to be found and this could delay proceedings.

Noel Capewell Secretary, Road Transport Licensing Committee

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