

Road Transport Licensing Committee

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APPLICATIONS, DECISIONS AND NOTICES

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

If you wish to view an application, please contact the RTLC Secretary at noel.capewell@gov.im.

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

OBJECTIONS

The Act provides for the RTLC to consider objections to applications in certain circumstances. Any person considering submitting an objection should first read the "Note on the submission by members of the public of objections to applications made to the RTLC" ("the Note") which is published in the "Downloadable Documents" section on front page of the [RTLC website](http://www.gov.im/rtlc).

The Note sets out the procedure for submitting an objection, including the circumstances in which the RTLC is able to consider objections. Please be aware that the RTLC has no power to consider objections outside of the circumstances outlined in the Note.

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.

NOTICES

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.

The RTLC hereby gives notice of a review of the current fares and invites all Operators, Representative Bodies and any other interested stakeholders to submit their views along with any fare proposals by **February 29th**.

The RTLC will then consider all representations at a meeting to be held in March, with a view to issuing a notice regarding any proposed changes to the tariffs shortly thereafter.

All views or proposals should be sent to the attention of the Secretary at the RTLC office.

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 RTLC's initial list of Representative Bodies was issued in 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 R 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.

APPLICATIONS

1. SJ Leech – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant through the addition of an operating centre.

The new operating centre is identified in the application as 10 Ramsey Road, Peel. An assurance from the Planning Section at the Department of Environment, Food and Agriculture ("Planning") will not be required.

The registered address of the operator is 11 Olafs Close, Douglas.

If successful, the applicant will be surrendering 10 Tramman Park, Douglas as an operating centre.

The applicant currently has approval to operate three Ply for Hire taxis in the East District, two Private Hire cars and one Private Hire minibus.

Any potential objectors should refer to the "Objections" section on page 1 of this AD&N Circular for information on the correct procedure for making objections, including the circumstances in which the RTLC is able to consider objections.

2. Telecabs (2002) Ltd – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant through the addition of three operating centres.

The new operating centres are identified in the application as;

- 52 Queen's Apartments, Queen's Promenade, Douglas.
- 38 Ballakermeen Close, Douglas.
- Flat 2, Mona Cottage, Marathon Terrace, Douglas.

An assurance from Planning will not be required for any of the centres.

The registered address of the operator is 11 Olafs Close, Douglas.

The applicant currently has approval to operate four Ply for Hire taxis in the South and Malew Districts, three ply for taxis in the North West District, two ply for hire taxis in the East District and one Private Hire car.

Any potential objectors should refer to the "Objections" section on page 1 of this AD&N Circular for information on the correct procedure for making objections, including the circumstances in which the RTLC is able to consider objections.

3. RG Teare – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant through a change of registered address / operating centre.

The registered address / operating centre is identified in the application as Seed Lodge, Eyreton Road, Crosby.

If successful, the applicant will be surrendering 9 Bircham Avenue Close, Ramsey as an operating centre.

Any potential objectors should refer to the "Objections" section on page 1 of this AD&N Circular for information on the correct procedure for making objections, including the circumstances in which the RTALC is able to consider objections.

4. PL Strickett – New Operator Registration

To register as a new operator under Part "B" of the Register of Public Passenger Vehicles through the addition of the right to operate one Private Hire car.

The registered address / operating centre is identified in the application as The Haven, Ballaugh Glen, Ballaugh.

Any potential objectors should refer to the "Objections" section on page 1 of this AD&N Circular for information on the correct procedure for making objections, including the circumstances in which the RTALC is able to consider objections.

DECISIONS

1. S Hesketh, t/a Ronaldsway Taxi Services – Variation of an Operator Registration and Section 29 Ply for Hire Service Licence ("S29 Licence")

To vary the operator registration and S29 licence of the applicant through the addition of the right to operate one section 29 Ply for Hire vehicle of up to eight passenger seats in the East District.

The RTALC received notification from the previous Operator Registration of LJ McMurdo of the intent to terminate a portion of that Registration's S29 licence provided that the application was approved by the RTALC.

The operating centre was identified in the application as 1 Thirlmere Avenue, Onchan.

The application was approved.

2. RG Teare – New Operator Registration

To register as a new operator under Part "A" of the Register of PPVs through the addition of the right to operate one Private Hire car.

The operating centre was identified in the application as 9 Bircham Avenue Close, Ramsey.

The application was approved.

3. AL Sutton – Variation of an Operator Registration and S29 Licence

To vary the operator registration and S29 licence of the applicant through the addition of the right to operate one section 29 Ply for Hire vehicle of up to eight passenger seats in the Malew District.

The RTLC received notification from the previous Operator Registration of J McCreadie of the intent to terminate that Registration's S29 licence provided that the application is approved by the RTLC.

The operating centre was identified in the application as 9 Lower Dukes Road, Douglas.

The application was approved.

4. V Pitel t/a Real Taxi – Variation of an Operator Registration and S29 Licence

To vary the Operator Registration and S29 licence of the applicant through the addition of the right to operate one section 29 Ply for Hire vehicle of up to eight passenger seats in the Malew District.

The RTLC received notification from the previous Operator Registration of AL Sutton of the intent to terminate that portion of his S29 licence provided that the application is approved by the RTLC.

The applicant wanted to combine the new (to him) Malew District with his current East District that the applicant was currently permitted to operate onto one vehicle. There was no overall increase in the number of service licences in use or authorised Ply for Hire vehicles.

The applicant would further like to vary his Operator Registration through the addition of the right to operate one Private Hire car.

The new operating centre was identified in the application as St Ninian's Church car park, St Ninian's Church, Douglas.

The application was approved.

5. MJ Bell, t/a Premier Taxis Limited – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant through the addition of the right to operate one Private Hire car along with the addition of an operating centre.

The new operating centre was identified in the application as 13 The Meadows, Castletown.

The application was approved.

6. Park House Nursery – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant by moving from Part "B" of the Register of Public Passenger Vehicles ("PPVs") to Part "A".

The application was approved.

7. JR Newton – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant through a change of registered address / operating centre.

The new operating centre was identified in the application as 3 Raglan Apartments, 10 The Promenade, Castletown.

As a result, the applicant has surrendered Heather Bank, Pinfold Hill, Laxey as an approved operating centre.

The application was approved.

8. GC Power, t/a Powerwheels – Variation of an Operator Registration

To vary the Operator Registration of the applicant through the addition of an operating centre.

The new operating centre was identified in the application as 6 Belgravia, Governor's Hill, Douglas.

The application was approved.

9. MF Caleia Ferreira – New S29 Licence

To apply for a S29 licence which would replace the existing licence on expiry, through the provision of one Ply for Hire taxi in the East District and one Ply for Hire taxi in the North West District.

The application was approved.

10. Y Ozenturk – New S29 Licence

To apply for a S29 licence which would replace the existing licence on expiry, through the provision of one Ply for Hire taxi in the East District.

The application was approved.

11. BC Allen – New S29 Licence

To apply for a S29 licence which would replace the existing licence on expiry, through the provision of one Ply for Hire taxi in the East District.

The application was approved.

RTL C MEETINGS

The next regularly scheduled meetings of the RTL C for public passenger vehicles which will be held in public are currently due to take place on 23rd January, 13th February and 27th February at Thie Slieau Whallian, Foxdale Road, St John's.

The applications listed in this AD&N are likely to be heard at the 13th February meeting as long as the RTL C has all of the information that it requires (e.g. assurances from Planning). All individuals 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 RTL C 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 RTL C 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.