



PETERBOROUGH CITY COUNCIL TAXI & PRIVATE HIRE LICENSING CONSULTATION

TESTING FOR LIMOUSINES & SPECIALITY CARS FOR HIRE

Since the implementation of Section 53 of the Road Safety Act 2006, there is a need to licence Limousines & Speciality Cars for Hire.

We confirm that Amey have met with VOSA who have inspected our Workshop in Nursery Lane and confirmed that we would be suitable and able to carry out testing on Limousines and Speciality Cars for hire.

- **Roadworthiness**

The vehicles must hold a valid Single Vehicle Approval Certificate which comprises a visual examination of a vehicle by VOSA and certifies its safety and roadworthiness.

- **Vehicle Testing**

Vehicles must be submitted for testing twice a year to the appropriate class MOT standard to ensure that vehicles licensed by PCC are maintained to high standards and remain safe. The inspections would be recorded on a separate inspection sheet to incorporate the additional standards.

As part of the legislative requirements for Limousines & Speciality Cars, Amey would include the following items as part of the vehicle testing:

- **Correct signage displayed**
- **Maximum Passengers**
- **Seating/Seat Belts (maximum of 8)**
- **Tyres**
- **Fire Extinguishers/First Aid Kit**
- **Tinted Glass**
- **Appropriate insurance**

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