

Licensing Fees 2026/27 (Updated 01.04.2026)

LICENCE	PERIOD	COMMENTS	FEE
Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence	Annual	Grant & Renewal	£320.00
Private Hire Vehicle Licence	Annual	Grant & Renewal	£320.00
HC &PH (Interim Vehicle Inspection)	Fee charged for each interim inspection	Applicable only to vehicles over 3 years old	£89.00
Joint Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Vehicle Drivers Licence			
Joint Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Driver Licence Grant/Renewal (Local Authority Fee) 3 yearly licence.			£160.00
DBS Check (Enhanced)			£49.50
Total Fee to the Applicant			£209.50
Medical		Initial medical valid until aged 45 years of age. After the age of 45 every 5 years. After aged 65 years required annually. Costs to be paid by applicant, directly to GP.	
Replacement Charges for Badges/Plates/Door Stickers			
Hackney Carriage /PHV Door Stickers			£13.00 for one or £18.00 for two
External Rear Plate Hackney Carriage/ Private hire Vehicle			£15.00
Internal Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Plate			£5.00
Replacement Drivers Badge			£8.00
Replacement Paper Licence			£5.00

LICENCE	PERIOD	COMMENTS	FEE
Private Hire Operators Licence (up to 4 Vehicles)	5 Years	Grant & Renewal	£ 463.00
Private Hire Operators Licence (Over 4 vehicles)	5 Years	Grant & Renewal	£542.00
Vehicle Transfer	One off payment for each transfer of licence	Valid for remainder of current licence	£19.00
Vehicle Retests After 1st Failure			£37.00
"A" Grade Failure			£44.00
Limousines & Speciality Vehicles	FEE		
Private Hire Vehicles Licence	Annual	Grant & Renewal	£332.00
Interim Vehicle Inspection	Fee charged for each interim inspection	Interim tests required from date of first	£89.00