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Office of the Traffic Commissioner (East of England) Eastbrook Shaftesbury Road Cambridge CB2 8DR

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General Notes

Layout and presentation – Entries in each section (other than in section 5) are listed in alphabetical order. Each entry is prefaced by a reference number, which should be quoted in all correspondence or enquiries.

Further notes precede sections where appropriate.

Accuracy of publication – Details published of applications and requests reflect information provided by applicants. The Traffic Commissioner cannot be held responsible for applications that contain incorrect information.

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Copies of Notices and Proceedings can be inspected free of charge at the Office of the Traffic Commissioner in Leeds.

Legal Requirements at Sporting Events

 Carriage of passengers to designated Sporting Events Voluntary Guidelines -England and Wales

For many years the coach industry has complied with a voluntary code of practice whereby operators taking passengers to a designated sporting event meet certain guidelines set by the police. This has worked very well, and it has seldom been necessary for a traffic commissioner to take any further action against an operator who has contravened the guidelines. Nevertheless the police in England and Wales are concerned that incidents of football related violence and disorder do still occur, and have asked the commissioners to revise the guidelines. This has been done in conjunction with the Confederation of Passenger Transport (CPT), the Crown Prosecution Service (CPS), the Coach Operators Federation (COF) and the Association of Transport Coordinating Officers (ATCO). The relevant sections of the legislation are set out at the end of this guidance note.

Carriage of passengers to designated Sporting Events Voluntary Guidelines - England and Wales

PSV operators are reminded of the terms of section 1(1) of the Sporting Events (Control of Alcohol) Act 1985, as amended by the Public Order Act 1986, which prohibits the carriage of alcohol on a PSV that is being used for the principal purpose of carrying passengers for the whole or part of a journey to or from a designated sporting event.

PSV operators are reminded of the terms of section 2A of the Sporting Events (Control of Alcohol) Act 1985, as amended by the Public Order Act 1986, which prohibits the possession of a firework or an article or substance, whose main purpose is the emission of a flare, smoke or a visible gas, at any time during the period of, while entering or trying to enter a designated sporting event.

A 'designated sporting event' generally means any association football match, whether national or international. The full legal definition of the different classes of designated sporting events may be found in the Sports Grounds and Sporting Events (Designation) (Amendment) Order 2011, under Article 2(1) and 2(2) of Schedule 2.

It is an offence for an operator of a PSV (or his servant or agent) to knowingly cause or permit the carriage of alcohol on journeys to which these Regulations apply.

In addition to these statutory provisions, the police have asked that operators comply with the following guidelines when conveying passengers to such sporting events:

- a. Coach operators taking bookings from groups of supporters are to notify the police liaison officer at the destination, at least 48 hours before the event, of the number of supporters expected to travel, the number of coaches booked, the name and the contact number for the person who made the booking. Once available the operator must also notify the VRM and coach drivers name to the local police liaison officer.
- b. Coaches are not to stop within 10 miles of the venue either en route to or on departure from the event unless prior agreement is obtained from the local police liaison officer.
- c. Unless directed by a police officer, coaches may stop at premises where intoxicating liquor is sold only if it is sold ancillary to a substantial meal. Prior agreement for meal stops where alcohol is available should be sought from the operator's local police liaison officer.
- d. Coaches are to arrive at the venue no earlier than two hours before and not later than one hour before the scheduled start of the game, unless otherwise directed by police.
- e. Coaches are not to set down or uplift passengers at any unauthorised locations without prior permission of the police.
- f. Coaches must leave the venue within 30 minutes of the finish of the event, unless directed otherwise by a police officer or ground safety officer.
- g. Intoxicating liquor, flares and similar pyrotechnics, must not be carried on coaches travelling to or from designated grounds. Operators will draw hirers' attention to the requirements of the law, and drivers shall, as far as reasonably practical, supervise boarding passengers and check that they are not obviously carrying intoxicating alcohol, flares and similar pyrotechnics. Drivers will not be expected to carry out baggage or body searches, nor

will they be expected to confiscate alcohol or to remove passengers without police assistance. Operators may add a condition of entry to the PSV that a voluntary search may be undertaken.

h. Coach operators are to notify the police liaison officer at the destination upon arrival at an away football ground, of any racist, homophobic or similar chanting, which had taken place during the journey to the ground.

Operators are expected to comply with these guidelines on a voluntary basis. However if the police inform the Traffic Commissioner of any failure on an operator's part to comply with them the Commissioner will be likely to apply them as a formal condition to that operator's licence under the authority of Section 16(3) of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act.

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Section 1 – Special Notices

Section 2 – PSV Operator Licensing

Inspection of licence applications can be requested under the provisions of Regulation 4 of the Public Service Vehicles (Operators' Licences) Regulations 1995 by anybody who holds statutory objector status. Applications may be inspected free of charge at the Office of the Traffic Commissioner in Leeds by any person who carries written authorisation to act in that capacity.

Objections against applications for licences must be made in writing by a Chief Officer of Police or by a local authority within 21 days of the date on which notice of an application is published in Notices and Proceedings. Objections must be made on the grounds that one or more of the requirements mentioned in Sections 14(1) and (3) of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 are not satisfied in relation to the application. A copy of the objection must be sent by the objector to the applicant at the same time that it is sent to the Traffic Commissioner. The onus of proof in terms of the grounds on which an objection is lodged lies with the objector. There is no right of objection against an application for a special licence submitted under Section 12 of the Transport Act 1985.

Classification of Operator Licences – There are four classes of licence:

- A **Standard International (SI)** licence authorises the use of any description of public service vehicles on both national and international operations;
- A **Standard National (SN)** licence authorises the use of any description of public service vehicles on national operations;
- A **Restricted licence (R)** authorises the use of:
 - a) public service vehicles not adapted to carry more than eight passengers; and
 - b) those not adapted to carry more than sixteen passengers when used otherwise than in the course of a business of carrying passengers or by a person whose main occupation is not the operation of public service vehicles adapted to carry more than eight passengers;
- A **Special Restricted (SR)** licence, issued under Section 12 of the Transport Act 1985, authorises the holder of a taxi or private hire vehicle licence to operate local services.

Appeals in connection with PSV Operator Licences must be lodged with the Upper Tribunal – Administrative Appeal Chamber (Transport), 5th Floor, Rolls Building, 7 Rolls Buildings, Fetter Lane, London, EC4A 1NL not later than one month after the date of the letter conveying the Traffic Commissioner's (or Deputy Traffic Commissioner's) decision. Appellants can obtain guidance on lodging appeals, including downloading the appeal form, from the website: www.administrativeappeals.tribunals.gov.uk

Any previous entry in Notices and Proceedings is indicated by the publication number in brackets.

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Section 2.1 – New Applications Received

PF2037627 R BRIGHT LIVES SOCIAL ENTERPRISE C.I.C.

Director(s): MICHAEL ALAN THOMAS JONES, MARGUERITE JONES, EMMA HAYLEY WOODHALL, LINDSAY BRIGGS

CHARTER HOUSE, 117 GREENSTEAD ROAD, COLCHESTER, CO12ST Operating Centre: Bright Lives Social Enterprise C.I.C, 117 GREENSTEAD

ROAD, COLCHESTER, CO1 2ST

Authorisation: 1 vehicle(s)

New Undertaking: Vehicles with eight passenger seats or less will not be operated under the licence without the prior written agreement of the Traffic Commissioner who may require you to agree to certain undertakings. Attached to Licence. New Undertaking: Limousines and novelty type vehicles are not to be operated under this operator's licence. Attached to Licence.

New Undertaking: The operator shall, during the life of the restricted licence, keep separate records of all time spent and the gross and net income earned monthly by them from all occupations (with supporting detailed records from which these sums are derived) to enable the main occupation to be determined by the Traffic Commissioner at any time. Records shall be supported by primary evidence such as payslips, P60 documents, booking diaries, invoices and tachograph records. Copies of the records shall be made available to the DVSA or OTC officers on request. Attached to Licence.

New Undertaking: Should gross income from, or time spent on, the minibus operation exceed that from all other sources for two consecutive months, the operator will apply for a Standard licence. Attached to Licence.

Section 2.2 – New Applications Granted

No entries

Section 2.3 – New Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.4 – Variation Applications Granted

PF2017521 SI PAUL JOHN COOPER

LAMBOURNE HOUSE, THEDWASTRE ROAD, THURSTON, BURY ST

EDMUNDS, IP31 3QY

New operating centre: HIGHFIELDS FARM, IXWORTH ROAD, GREAT

BARTON, BURY ST. EDMUNDS, IP31 2PU

New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 3 vehicle(s)

PF1134517 SN AMVALE MEDICAL TRANSPORT LTD

Director(s): MICHAEL JOHN GODFREY

ESTATE ROAD 7, SOUTH HUMBERSIDE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, GRIMSBY, DN31 2TP

New operating centre: ALLINSON HOUSE, LINCOLN WAY, FAIRFIELD

INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, LOUTH, LN11 0LS

New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 4 vehicle(s)

Removed operating centre: ESSENTIAL FLEET SERVICES, WARWICK ROAD,

FAIRFIELD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, LOUTH, LN11 0YB

PF1119867 SI POYNTERS COACHES (NORTHAMPTON) LTD

Director(s): DOMINIC SINCLAIR

MONARCH ROAD, NORTHAMPTON, NN2 6EH

Increase at existing operating centre: THE OLD BRICK YARD, BUNTING

ROAD, NORTHAMPTON, NN2 6EE

New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 18 vehicle(s)

New Undertaking By 01/03/2020, ANDREW FRANCIS BURGESS will either:

i. attend in person a two-day transport manager CPC refresher course; or

ii. participate in a virtual online two-day transport manager CPC refresher course.

Courses must be run by a trade association (CPT), a professional body

(IoTA/CILT/SOE/IRTE) or an OCR-approved exam centre offering the transport manager CPC qualification in passenger transport.

Virtual online courses must satisfy the criteria for such courses established by the traffic commissioners. Whether attending in person or participating in an online course, proof of attendance must be kept by the operator and provided to the OTC or DVSA upon request.. Attached to licence

PF1110076 SN

EXPRESS TRAVEL (UK) LIMITED

Director(s): SHABINA KOSAR, KHALID MEHMOOD

245 TRING ROAD, AYLESBURY, HP20 1PH

Decrease at existing operating centre: 245 TRING ROAD, AYLESBURY, HP20 1PH

New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 8 vehicle(s)

Condition to be removed: Vehicles with eight passenger seats or less will not be operated under the licence without the prior written agreement of the traffic commissioner who may require you to agree to certain undertakings.. Attached to licence

New Undertaking Vehicles with seating capacity of more than 16 passenger seats, will not be operated from or parked at the operating centre at 245 TRING ROAD, AYLESBURY, HP20 1PH.. Attached to Operating: 245 TRING ROAD, AYLESBURY, HP20 1PH

New Undertaking By 11/03/2021, SHABINA KOSAR will either:

- i. attend in person a two-day transport manager CPC refresher course; or
- ii. participate in a virtual online two-day transport manager CPC refresher

Courses must be run by a trade association (CPT), a professional body (IoTA/CILT/SOE/IRTE) or an OCR-approved exam centre offering the transport manager CPC qualification in passenger transport.

Virtual online courses must satisfy the criteria for such courses established by the traffic commissioners. Whether attending in person or participating in an online course, proof of attendance must be kept by the operator and provided to the OTC or DVSA upon request.. Attached to licence

Section 2.5 – Variation Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.6 – Licences Surrendered

PF1140096 R Licence surrendered WEF 21 December 2020

DONALD JOHN WILLIAMS & PARTNERS

Partner(s): DONALD JOHN WILLIAMS, GILES EDWARD IRWIN, JOAN

ANNA WILLIAMS, DJW EDUCATION LTD

12 LEICESTER ROAD, MARKET HARBOROUGH, LE16 7AU

Section 2.7– Applications Withdrawn Prior to Determination

PF2040055 R ANDREW TUNSTILL

PF2028973 R ELITE TRAVEL LTD

Director(s): CHRISTOPHER RAYMOND SHADBOLT, SAMANTHA

MEGAN BETTS

Section 2.8 – Licences Revoked Without a Public Inquiry

No entries

Section 2.9 – Conditions Imposed Under Section 16.3 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 (without a Public Inquiry)

Section 3 – Registration of Local Bus Services

When an application is sent to the Office of the Traffic Commissioner, a copy of all application forms and supporting documents must also be sent to each of the county councils and unitary authorities in whose area the service will operate. Failure to do so may delay acceptance of the application.

Some of the periods of notice applicable before the operation of registered services, including variations or cancellations, are at the discretion of the Traffic Commissioner. In such cases the application must be accompanied by a written explanation of why a short notice period is required.

Any registration may be inspected at the Office of the Traffic Commissioner in Leeds during public business hours. Copies of registrations can be sent by post or fax to any interested party upon prior receipt of a written request together with a fee of £3.00 per copy for posted copies or £5.00 per copy for faxed copies.

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Section 3.1 – Registration of New Services

No entries

Section 3.2 – Registration of New Services Granted Under Short Notice

PF1123987/6 BARKER BUS LTD, POPLAR FARM, HAMLET HILL, ROYDON,

HARLOW, CM19 5JY

From: Waltham Cross Bus Station

To: St Mary's RC School

Via: Waltham Cross, Cheshunt, Turnford, Standon

Name or No.: BB5

Service type: School or Works Effective date: 04 January 2021 Other details: School term only

PF1128129/41 RED EAGLE BUSES LTD, THE BLINKING OWL GARAGE, OXFORD

ROAD, DINTON, AYLESBURY, HP17 8TT

From: Abbots Langley To: Kings Langley

Via: Bedmond, Abbots Langley

Name or No.: KL80

Service type: Normal Stopping Effective date: 05 January 2021 Other details: Monday to Friday

PF0007028/55 F HUNT (COACH HIRE) LTD, 2-3 WEST STREET, ALFORD, LN13 9DG

From: Alford To: Horncastle

Via:

Name or No.: E83S

Service type: School or Works Effective date: 04 January 2021

Other details: Monday to Friday, school days only.

PF0006139/39 H V RICHMOND LTD, THE GARAGE, HIGH STREET, BARLEY,

ROYSTON, SG8 8JAFrom: Stevenage Bus Station
To: Stevenage Bus Station

Via: Bedwell, Pin Green, Stevenage Old Town

Name or No.: 10

Service type: Normal Stopping / Hail & Ride

Effective date: 02 January 2021 Other details: Saturdays only.

Section 3.3 – Applications to Vary Existing Services

PF0002280/202 CENTREBUS LTD, 43 WENLOCK WAY, LEICESTER, LE4 9HU

Operating between Luton Station and Luton Station given service number B

effective from 10 January 2021. To amend Timetable.

PF0002280/264 CENTREBUS LTD, 43 WENLOCK WAY, LEICESTER, LE4 9HU

Operating between Dunstable Asda and Dunstable Asda given service number 40 /

40A effective from 10 January 2021. To amend Timetable.

PF0002280/64 CENTREBUS LTD, 43 WENLOCK WAY, LEICESTER, LE4 9HU

Operating between Luton Town Centre and Milton Keynes Railway Station given

service number X31 effective from 10 January 2021. To amend Route and

Timetable.

Section 3.4 – Applications to Vary Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

PF0007085/211 ARRIVA MIDLANDS LTD, 4 WESTMORELAND AVENUE,

THURMASTON, LEICESTER, LE4 8PH

Operating between Burbage and Nuneaton given service number 6 6A 7 / 7 / 6A / 6

/ S6 effective from 04 January 2021. To amend Route and Timetable.

PF0007157/19 KINCHBUS LTD, MANSFIELD ROAD, HEANOR, DE75 7BG

Operating between East Midlands Airport and Leicester, Causeway Lane Stop AH

given service number Skylink effective from 02 January 2021. To amend Route,

Start & Finish Point and Timetable.

PF0007157/3 KINCHBUS LTD, MANSFIELD ROAD, HEANOR, DE75 7BG

Operating between LOUGHBOROUGH - BAXTERGATE STOP K and Leicester, Causeway Lane Stop AH given service number 2 effective from 02 January 2021.

To amend Route, Start & Finish Point and Timetable.

Section 3.5 – Cancellations of Existing Services

No entries

Section 3.6 – Cancellations of Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

PF0001961/69 ENSIGN BUS CO LTD, JULIETTE CLOSE, PURFLEET INDUSTRIAL

PARK, AVELEY, SOUTH OCKENDON, RM15 4YF

Operating between Socketts Heath (The Oak) and Abbotts Hall Chase given service

number 27 effective from 18 December 2020.

PF0007085/213 ARRIVA MIDLANDS LTD, 4 WESTMORELAND AVENUE,

THURMASTON, LEICESTER, LE48PH

Operating between Hinckley and Nuneaton given service number 66 / 66 / S66

effective from 04 January 2021.

PF0007085/214 ARRIVA MIDLANDS LTD, 4 WESTMORELAND AVENUE,

THURMASTON, LEICESTER, LE4 8PH

Operating between Hinckley and Nuneaton given service number 67 / 67 effective

from 04 January 2021.

Section 4 – Traffic Regulation Conditions

Section 4.1 – Requests

Section 4.2 – Determinations

Section 5 – Public Inquiries

Due to the impact of Coronavirus (Covid 19) the Office of the Traffic Commissioner is running an adapted service. Public inquiries held on our premises are due to resume with social distancing measures in place in July 2020. In some cases, virtual public inquiries may also be held. In these cases, it will be clearly stated on the notice.

Anyone wishing to observe a physical or virtual public inquiry must request to do so from the relevant Office of the Traffic Commissioner in advance of the hearing. Due to space or technology restrictions we may not be able to accommodate all requests.

Please contact Taslin.Sunna@otc.gov.uk for further information.

There is no obligation on the traffic commissioner to provide a transcript of proceedings. Any decision to release will refer to the reasons for the request and there may be restrictions placed on its use. That request should be made via the relevant Office of The Traffic Commissioner and the applicant must understand that they will be liable for the cost of producing the transcript. This will vary according to demand and size of content.

Appeals in connection with PSV Operator Licences must be lodged with the Upper Tribunal – Administrative Appeal Chamber (Transport), 5th Floor, Rolls Building, 7 Rolls Buildings, Fetter Lane, London, EC4A 1NL not later than one month after the date of the letter conveying the Traffic Commissioner's (or Deputy Traffic Commissioner's) decision. Appellants can obtain guidance on lodging appeals, including downloading the appeal form, from the website: www.administrativeappeals.tribunals.gov.uk

Section 5.1 – Notice of Public Inquiries to be Held

Public Inquiry (82791) to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge, on 25 January 2021 commencing at 11:00 (Previous Publication:(2458))

PF1047276 SI

ALPA BUS & COACH TRAVEL LTD

Director(s): MAMTA PATEL

35 LOUGHBOROUGH ROAD, LEICESTER, LE4 5LJ

S17 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 17 (The Public Passenger Vehicles Act

S28 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 28 (The Transport Act 1985)

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3 (The Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981)

Section 5.2 – Decisions Taken at Public Inquiries

No entries

Section 5.3 – Notice of Transport Manager Public Inquiries to be Held

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 433072, Public Inquiry ID: 93363) for GREGORY BLUNDELL to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 2 March 2021 commencing at 10:00

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

Section 5.4 – Decisions Taken at Transport Manager Public Inquiries

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 431782, Public Inquiry ID: 92949) for EMMA GREEN to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 15 December 2020 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2455)) Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009 Repute not lost. Formal warning.

Section 6 – Corrections

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