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Notifications@vehicle-operator-licensing.service.gov.uk

PLEASE NOTE:

**The new enquiry telephone number: 020 4551 8711 and will be open
Monday to Thursday - 9am to 5pm, Friday 9am to 4.30pm**

**The public counter at Hillcrest House, Leeds will be open
Monday to Friday - 10am to 4pm**

Due to flexible working, staff are working between the office and home. If you need to see your caseworker, please ensure prior arrangements have been made before visiting the office.

Most correspondence from the Office of the Traffic Commissioner will now be sent to you by email.

The best way to reach us at the moment is digitally. Please upload documents through your VOL user account or email us. There may be delays if you send correspondence to us by post.

If you wish to make an objection to a goods vehicle application it is recommended you send the details to Environmental@otc.gov.uk clearly stating 'Objection' in the subject line.

If you wish to make an objection to a public service vehicle application it is recommended you send the details to PSVOperatorLicensing@otc.gov.uk clearly stating 'Objection' in the subject line.

If you are an existing operator without a VOL user account, and you would like one, please email Notifications@vehicle-operator-licensing.service.gov.uk and a member of staff will contact you as soon as possible to arrange this. You will need to answer some security questions.

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Important Information

All correspondence relating to public inquiries should be sent to:

Office of the Traffic Commissioner
(Scotland)
Level 6
The Stamp Office
10 Waterloo Place
Edinburgh
EH1 3EG

The public counter in Edinburgh is open for the receipt of documents between 9.30am and 4pm Monday to Friday. Please note that no payments relating to goods vehicles can be made at this counter.

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 each section, where appropriate.

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

Our website includes details of all applications listed in this booklet. The website address is: www.gov.uk/traffic-commissioners

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

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Section 1 – Applications Received

Inspection of licence applications can be requested under the provisions of Regulation 9 of the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) 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 published applications may be made in writing by a Chief Officer of Police, a local authority, a planning authority or a prescribed trade union or association within 21 days of the date on which notice of an application is published in Applications and Decisions. Objections must be made either on the grounds that any of the requirements listed in Section 13 of the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) Act 1995 are not met and/or that a nominated operating centre will be unsuitable for use as such. 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.

You may fax a copy of your objection to 0113 2488521 but please note that you must send the original signed document through the post.

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

- A **Restricted (R)** licence authorises the use of a goods vehicle on public roads in Great Britain for the carriage of the licence holder's own goods in the course of his trade or business. The licence holder cannot carry goods for other people for hire or reward;
- A **Standard National (SN)** licence allows the licence holder to carry both his own goods and goods for other people for hire or reward, on public roads in Great Britain. He can also carry his own goods on journeys abroad;
- A **Standard International (SI)** licence allows the licence holder to carry both his own goods and goods for other people for hire or reward. These activities can be undertaken both in Great Britain and on international journeys.

Section 1.1 – New Applications

- OM2070764 SN **DM FORKLIFTS LTD**
Director(s): DEREK MESTON, GILLIAN MESTON
LYNDON, STONEHAVEN, AB39 2XP
Operating Centre: LYNDON, BARRAS, STONEHAVEN, STONEHAVEN, AB39 2XP
Authorisation: 3 vehicle(s), 2 trailer(s)
Transport Manager(s): Derek Meston
- OM2070768 SN **WHITE GOLDING TRANSPORT LIMITED**
Director(s): Stacy Golding, Melanie White
1 GARELOCH AVENUE, AIRDRIE, ML6 6SH
Operating Centre: 24 MAIN STREET, GLENBOIG, COATBRIDGE, ML5 2QT
Authorisation: 1 vehicle(s)
Transport Manager(s): Christopher Golding

OM2070786 SN **ERV GROUP LTD**
Director(s): Kevin McClure
UNIT 2, CATHERALLS INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, BROOKHILL WAY,
BUCKLEY, CH7 3PS
Operating Centre: 14 Grange Road, Houstoun Industrial Estate, Livingstone, EH54
5DE
Authorisation: 5 vehicle(s)
Transport Manager(s): Michael Iwaniec

Section 1.2 – Variation Applications

OM1072558 SI **IAN ALEXANDER LYON**

MOREFIELD, MEIKLE WARTLE, INVERURIE, AB51 5BE
New operating centre: KNOWEPARK, MEIKLE WARTLE, INVERURIE, AB51
5BA
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 3 vehicle(s), 3 trailer(s)

OM0036243 SN **W M DONALD LIMITED**
Director(s): WILLIAM MARR DONALD, ELAINE JOAN MAIN DONALD,
EWAN RIDDOCH, MICHAEL MELDRUM, IAN GRAY, IAIN BRIDGES
MARLAINE, NETHERLEY, STONEHAVEN, AB39 3QN
Increase at existing operating centre: UPPER CRAIGWELL, NETHERLEY,
STONEHAVEN, AB39 3QP
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 12 vehicle(s), 5 trailer(s)
New licence authorisation will be 12 vehicle(s)
New licence authorisation will be 5 trailer(s)



Section 2 – Applications Decided (Without Public Inquiries)

Appeals against any decision published in this section 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 2.1 – New Applications Granted

No entries

Section 2.2 – New Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.3 – Variation Applications Granted

OM2031937 SN **TAIT TRANSPORT SOLUTIONS LIMITED**
Director(s): CHRISTOPHER TAIT
2 LIMEKILNS ROAD, BLAIRLINN IND EST, CUMBERNAULD, G67 2RN
New operating centre: 1-2 SHOLTO CRESCENT, RIGHEAD INDUSTRIAL
ESTATE, BELLSHILL, ML4 3LX
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 18 vehicle(s), 21 trailer(s)

Section 2.4 – Variation Applications Refused

No entries



Section 3 – Schedule 4 Applications

Schedule 4 to the Goods Vehicles (Licensing of Operators) Act 1995 allows, in certain situations, the transfer of operating centres from one existing licence to either another existing licence or as part of a new licence application. A range of qualifying criteria has to be met, with approval at the Traffic Commissioner’s discretion. An important consideration in the process is any environmental history relating to the subject operating centre or any potentially adverse environmental impact resulting from the transfer. Legislation prevents any statutory objection against the Schedule 4 element of an application.

New Applications (Section 3.1): where the Traffic Commissioner has given a direction that the provisions of paragraph 2 of Schedule 4 shall apply, objections may only be lodged against the published application under Section 12(1)(a) of the 1995 Act, disregarding the suitability of the operating centre for use as such by the applicant as set out in Section 13(5)(d) of the Act.

Variation Applications (Section 3.2): where the Traffic Commissioner has given a direction that the provisions of paragraph 4 of Schedule 4 shall apply, objections may again only be lodged against the published application under Section 12(1)(a) of the 1995 Act unless that transfer can be accommodated without any overall increase in the existing overall vehicle/trailer authorisation on the receiving licence, in which case there is no statutory requirement to publish details of that application. However, **Section 3.3** does detail any such applications in order that interested parties are made aware of changes to authorised operators at listed operating centres

Section 3.1 – New Applications

No entries

Section 3.2 – Variation Applications

No entries

Section 3.3 – Other Schedule 4 Approvals

No entries



Section 4 – Applications Withdrawn or Grants Not Taken Up

Section 4.1 – Applications Withdrawn

No entries

Section 4.2 – Grants Not Taken Up (Fees Not Paid)

No entries



Section 5 – Public Inquiries

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 david.march@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.

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Section 5.1 – Notice of Public Inquiries to be Held

Public Inquiry (89237) to be held at The Inverness Sheriff Court, Longman Rd, Inverness IV1 1AH, on 9 February 2024 commencing at 10:00

OM1096060 SN

DUNCAN ROSS

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LOHCARRON GARAGE, MAIN STREET, LOHCARRON, STRATHCARRON, IV54 8YS

S26 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 26

S27 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 27

S28 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 28

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

Public Inquiry (89239) to be held at The Inverness Sheriff Court, Longman Rd, Inverness IV1 1AH, on 9 February 2024 commencing at 10:00

OM2031067 SN

DINGWALL GARAGE LIMITED

Director(s): DUNCAN ROSS, CHRISTINE ROSS

DINGWALL GARAGE, DOHCARTY ROAD, DINGWALL, IV15 9UG

S26 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 26

S27 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 27

S28 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 28

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

Section 5.2 – Decisions Taken at Public Inquiries

Public Inquiry (89036) held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh, on 19 December 2023 commenced at 13:30 (Previous Publication:(2342))

OM1140440 R

ST BUILDING SERVICES (FORRES) LTD

Director(s): STEVEN SINCLAIR, KEVIN BRYCE TAYLOR

31D WEST ROAD, GRESHOP INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, FORRES, IV36 2GW

S26 - Licence suspended for one week with effect from 25/12/2023.

Undertaking attached to licence:

Audit to be carried out and submitted to the Office of the Traffic Commissioner by 30/04/2023”.

Public Inquiry (89026) held at Glasgow Burgh Court, City Chambers, 40 John Street, Glasgow G1 1JA, on 18 December 2023 commenced at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2342))

OM2068098

ALAN LOGISTICS LTD

Director(s): ALAN AHMADI

52 RATHLIN AVENUE, KILMARNOCK, KA1 4NH

S13 - Application refused

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 459623, Public Inquiry ID: 101026) for CATALIN-ALEXANDRU VASILE to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 16 January 2024 commencing at 10:00

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 459622, Public Inquiry ID: 101025) for ZSOLT VASAS to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 16 January 2024 commencing at 10:00

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 460610, Public Inquiry ID: 101255) for CATALIN PAUN to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,
on 8 January 2024 commencing at 10:00

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

Section 5.4 – Decisions Taken at Transport Manager Public Inquiries

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 458989, Public Inquiry ID: 100859) for Mr RICHARD THOMAS MICHAEL BRADFORD to be held at Swyddfa Comisiynydd Traffig Cymru | Office of the Traffic Commissioner for Wales, 3 Llys Cadwyn, Pontypridd, CF37 4TH,
on 21 November 2023 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2338))

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

Richard Thomas Michael Bradford had lost his repute and is disqualified from 0.01 hours on 23 December 2023 for a period of 5 years



Section 6 – Operating Centre Reviews (Without Public Inquiries)

This section lists the results of reviews of operating centres made without the need for a public inquiry (with the Traffic Commissioner’s decision based on documentary evidence submitted).

Appeals against any decision published in this section 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 6.1 – Decisions Taken Following Review

No entries



Section 7 – Licences Surrendered or Terminated

Section 7.1 – Licences Surrendered

No entries

Section 7.2 – Licences Terminated

No entries



Section 8 – Licences Revoked (Without Public Inquiries)

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- OM0037432 SN **JAMES SALMON & BRIAN SOMERVILLE**
Partner(s): JAMES SALMON, BRIAN SOMERVILLE
34 KEIR HARDIE TERRACE, DUNFERMLINE, KY11 3BX
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Section 9 – Corrections

