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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**

Most correspondence from the Office of the Traffic Commissioner will now be sent to you digitally through the Vehicle Operator Licensing (VOL) Service or by email.

The best and most efficient way to reach us 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 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 bus registrations and 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 only payments for bus registration applications can be made at this counter.

The telephone number for bus registration enquiries is 0131 200 4927.

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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Legal Requirements at Sporting Events

- **Carriage of passengers to designated Sporting Events Voluntary Guidelines - Scotland**

Carriage of passengers to designated Sporting Events Voluntary Guidelines - Scotland

Section 70 of Part V of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1980, confers liability on operators of PSVs that are being operated for the principal purpose of conveying passengers to or from a designated sporting event.

Designation of sports grounds and sporting events is by [the Secretary of State for Scotland], by order under terms of section 68 of the Act, and those grounds and events designated are

listed in The Grounds and Sporting Events (Designation) (Scotland) Order 1985, as amended.

It is an offence for the operator of a PSV, or his servant or agent, knowingly to 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 all such sporting events south of the Border:

- 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 and the number of coaches booked.
- 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 otherwise 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 one hour of the finish of the event.
- g. Intoxicating liquor 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. 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 are asked 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 consider applying them as a formal condition to that operator's licence under the authority of Section 16(3) of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981."

All operations within Scotland should continue to comply with police restrictions in force at individual events.

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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 vehicle on both national and international operations;
- A **Standard National (SN)** licence authorises the use of any description of public service vehicle 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

- PM2078080 SN **Aberdeen Minibus Services Ltd**
Director(s): Edward Phillip Rattray, Caroline Anne Rattray
GLASHIEBURN HOUSE, SCOTSTOWN, BRIDGE OF DON, ABERDEEN,
AB22 8NJ
Operating Centre: GLASHIEBURN HOUSE, SCOTSTOWN, BRIDGE OF DON,
ABERDEEN, AB22 8NJ
Authorisation: 3 vehicle(s)
Transport Manager(s): Edward Phillip Rattray
- PM2078209 R **Student Space St Andrews LTD**
Director(s): Stefan Paul King, Ewan James Robertson, Lesley Welsh
SCOTSMAN HOLDINGS PLC, 70 HAMILTON DRIVE, GLASGOW, G12 8DR
Operating Centre: 1 KILRYMONT ROAD, ST. ANDREWS, KY16 8DE
Authorisation: 1 vehicle(s)

Section 2.2 – New Applications Granted

No entries

Section 2.3 – New Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.4 – Variation Applications Granted

- PM0002854 SN **ESSBEE COACHES LTD**
Director(s): BRIAN SMITH
7 HOLLANDHURST ROAD, GARTSHERRIE, COATBRIDGE, ML5 2EG
Transport Manager(s): BRIAN SMITH
New Undertaking By 31 January 2025, Brian Smith 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 one of the following bodies:
- a) a trade association (Logistics UK/RHA/BAR/CPT);
 - b) a professional body (IoTA/CILT/SOE/IRTE);
 - c) an exam centre approved by an accredited body to offer the transport manager CPC qualification in goods transport, or
 - d) a firm of solicitors (or their associated training organisations) with significant experience with road transport regulatory and compliance issues (defined as having represented road transport operators and/or transport managers in at least 20 public inquiries over the past two years).

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 submitted by e-mail to the Office of the Traffic Commissioner (Licensing) at Notifications@vehicle-operator-licensing.service.gov.uk within seven days of completing the course.. Attached to licence

Section 2.5 – Variation Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.6 – Licences Surrendered

PM1092387 SR **Licence not continued WEF 7 November 2024**
JAMES MORGAN
5 DRUMMOND PLACE, CALLANDER, FK17 8ER
Registered Bus Services running under this licence have also been set to CNS with immediate effect.

Section 2.7– Applications Withdrawn Prior to Determination

PM2076636 SI **AMITABH SHARMA**

Section 2.8 – Licences Revoked Without a Public Inquiry

PM2012570 SN **A TO B COACH TRAVEL LTD**
Director(s): JASON ROBERTSON
457 LABURNUM ROAD, UDDINGSTON, GLASGOW, G71 5HZ
Registered Bus Services running under this licence have also been revoked with immediate effect.

PM2016406 R **CHAUFFEURS INVERNESS LIMITED**
Director(s): George Riddell
24 Longman Drive, Inverness, IV1 1SU
Registered Bus Services running under this licence have also been revoked with immediate effect.

PM0001506 SI **ROY ANDREW BERRY**
THE COTTAGE, MAINS OF TULLOCH, ST. KATHERINES, INVERURIE,
AB51 8UB
Registered Bus Services running under this licence have also been revoked with immediate effect.

PM1088051 R **CHRISTINE FAIRBAIRN & JOHN McBRIER**
Partner(s): CHRISTINE FAIRBAIRN, JOHN MCBRIER
11 FLINT CRESCENT, COWIE, STIRLING, FK7 7AY
Registered Bus Services running under this licence have also been revoked with immediate effect.

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

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Section 3 – Registration of Local Bus Services

Before an application is sent to the Traffic Commissioner, the operator must inform the relevant local authorities/SPT 14 days before submission. The operator will be required to demonstrate to the Commissioner that this requirement has been met before the application can be accepted. Until such times as revised application forms are available operators should enclose a copy of the letter sent to the local authorities/SPT with the application to the Traffic Commissioner.

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 along with, if appropriate, a letter from the local authorities/SPT indicating support.

Any registration may be inspected at the office in Edinburgh 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

CB002882/SB0123 **Handicabs (Lothian), 24/3A Dryden Road, Bilston Glen Industrial Estate, Loanhead, Midlothian, EH20 9HX**
Service Number 69 operating between Asda The Jewel and Asda The Jewel.
Effective date 16/12/2024

Section 3.2 – Registration of New Services Granted Under Short Notice

PM1135029/18 **CANAVAN TRAVEL LIMITED, 4, THE ARCHES, AUCHINSTARRY ROAD, CROY, KILSYTH, GLASGOW, G65 9TS**
From: Monklands Hospital
To: Cumbermauld Town Centre
Via: Glenmavis, Stand, Kildrum
Name or No.: 347
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 04 November 2024
Other details: Monday to Friday.

PM1135029/19 **CANAVAN TRAVEL LIMITED, 4, THE ARCHES, AUCHINSTARRY ROAD, CROY, KILSYTH, GLASGOW, G65 9TS**
From: Cumbermauld Town Centre
To: Kirkintilloch Main Street
Via: Blackwood
Name or No.: 447
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 04 November 2024
Other details: Monday to Friday.

Section 3.3 – Applications to Vary Existing Services

PM0000004/398 **FIFE SCOTTISH OMNIBUSES LTD, UNIT 9, CASTLE BUSINESS CENTRE, QUEENSFERRY ROAD, PITREAVIE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, DUNFERMLINE, KY11 8NT**
Operating between Fife Leisure Park and Blairhall or Steelend given service number 4 / 4C / 4A / 4B effective from 16 December 2024. To amend Timetable.

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

PM0000004/773 **FIFE SCOTTISH OMNIBUSES LTD, UNIT 9, CASTLE BUSINESS CENTRE, QUEENSFERRY ROAD, PITREAVIE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, DUNFERMLINE, KY11 8NT**
Operating between Kirkcaldy and Glenrothes or Leslie given service number 39 / 39A / 39B effective from 21 October 2024. To amend Timetable.

PM0000001/9 **FIRST GLASGOW (NO1) LTD, 100 CATHCART ROAD, GLASGOW, G42 7BH**
Operating between Partick Bus Station and Parkhead, Helenvale Street given service number 8 effective from 23 September 2024. To amend Route.

PM0000005/814 **BLUEBIRD BUSES LIMITED, BUS STATION, GUILD STREET, ABERDEEN, AB11 6NA**
Operating between Wick and Gills Bay given service number 77 effective from 28 October 2024. To amend Route and Timetable.

PM0000001/418 **FIRST GLASGOW (NO1) LTD, 100 CATHCART ROAD, GLASGOW, G42 7BH**
Operating between Newton Mearns, Eastwood Toll or Woodfarm and Barlanark or Chryston given service number 38 / 38A / 38B / 38C / 38E effective from 20 October 2024. To amend Timetable.

Section 3.5 – Cancellations of Existing Services

No entries

Section 3.6 – Cancellations of Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

PM1135029/10 **CANAVAN TRAVEL LIMITED, 4, THE ARCHES, AUCHINSTARRY ROAD, CROY, KILSYTH, GLASGOW, G65 9TS**
Operating between Monklands Hospital and Kilsyth, Livingstone Park given service number 147 / 147A effective from 03 November 2024.

PM1135029/11 **CANAVAN TRAVEL LIMITED, 4, THE ARCHES, AUCHINSTARRY ROAD, CROY, KILSYTH, GLASGOW, G65 9TS**
Operating between Monklands Hospital and Kirkintilloch or Cumbernauld given service number 247 effective from 03 November 2024.

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Section 4 – Traffic Regulation Conditions

Section 4.1 – Requests

Section 4.2 – Determinations



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 keith.hunter1@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 (90580) to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh, on 10 December 2024 commencing at 10:00 Previous hearing on 11 November 2024 was adjourned.

PM2051089 R

FRASER KEITH DEVLIN

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43 FENTOUN GAIT EAST, GULLANE, EH31 2ES

S17 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 17 (The Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981)

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

Public Inquiry (90581) to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh, on 10 December 2024 commencing at 10:00 Previous hearing on 11 November 2024 was adjourned.

PM2075368

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43 FENTOUN GAIT EAST, GULLANE, EH31 2ES

S14 - Consideration of new application under Section 14 (The Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981)

Public Inquiry (90781) to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh, on 12 December 2024 commencing at 10:00

PM1037871 SN

J P MINICOACHES LTD

Director(s): JOHN PETRIE, CATHRINE ANN MCCONNELL, ADELE KINMOND DAVIDSON
UNIT 3, ORCHARDBANK INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, FORFAR, DD8 1TD

S17 - Consideration of disciplinary action under Section 17 (The Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981)

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

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

Section 5.2 – Decisions Taken at Public Inquiries

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 466738, Public Inquiry ID: 102992) for MARK HAROLD MILLS to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 5 December 2024 commencing at 10:30

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 467159, Public Inquiry ID: 103194) for ADELE DAVIDSON to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh,

on 12 December 2024 commencing at 10:00

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 466862, Public Inquiry ID: 103017) for NICOLAIE FLORIN PETREAN to be held at Jubilee House (Bristol), BS5 0GB, Croydon Street, Bristol,

on 11 December 2024 commencing at 14:00

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

Section 5.4 – Decisions Taken at Transport Manager Public Inquiries

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