



# Application for a digital tachograph driver card – new photo not needed

PLEASE NOTE: It is against the law to hold more than one valid card. Read the notes over the page before filling in this form, complete it in black ink using capital letters.

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Use DVLA's secure online service to get your digital tachograph driver card back quicker than by post - it's easy. Apply at [www.gov.uk/apply-driver-digital-tachograph-card](http://www.gov.uk/apply-driver-digital-tachograph-card) where you see this icon. Always ensure you use the official GOV.UK website.



## 1 What are you applying for?

Please put  in only one of the following boxes.

**a) A first digital tachograph card and I have a GB photocard driving licence** – fill in sections 2 and 3 and send the application to DVLA, Swansea SA99 1ST with a fee of £32.

**b) A Tachograph card, as the original has expired for 5 or more years** – fill in sections 2 and 3 and send the application to DVLA, Swansea SA99 1ST with a fee of £32.

**c) I want to exchange my EU, EEA or Northern Ireland card for a GB card** – do not return your digital tachograph card (see note d). You must send your driving licence if it is an EU, EEA or Northern Ireland one, fill in sections 2 and 3 and send your application to DVLA, Swansea SA99 1ST, with a fee of £32 (if applicable).

Country your tachograph card was issued in   
Tachograph card number   
Country your driving licence was issued in   
Driving licence number

**d) To change my name on my digital tachograph card** – do not return your digital tachograph card. (see note d)   
• **GB driving licence holders** – you must fill in an 'Application for a driving licence' (D1) and return it with this application form. **Now fill in sections 2 and 3**  
• **NI and EU or EEA driving licence holders** – do not send your driving licence to us. You must fill in D777B application form. **Now fill in sections 2 and 3**

**e) To update my address on my digital tachograph record** – do not return your digital tachograph card (see note d)   
• **Address free digital tachograph card holders** – If you have an address free digital tachograph card and are a GB driving licence holder you do not need to fill in this form (see note d). **You will still need to update your driving licence**  
• **NI and EU or EEA driving licence holders** – do not send your driving licence to us. **Now fill in sections 2 and 3**

**f) A replacement digital tachograph card as my previous one has been:** (see important note D over the page)

lost  stolen   
Please give the date your card was lost or stolen

**Now fill in sections 2 and 3 and then send your application to DVLA, Swansea, SA99 1AZ with a fee of £19.**

**g) A replacement digital tachograph card as my previous one has been:** (see important note D over the page)

malfunctioning  damaged   
If your card is malfunctioning or has been damaged you must return it with this application. A fee of £19 is required for damaged cards. **Now fill in section 2 and 3 and then send your application to DVLA, Swansea, SA99 1AZ.**

**h) To renew my digital tachograph card** (see important note D over the page):

You can only apply online if you hold a GB tachograph card and GB licence.  
GB tachograph card  I hold a GB licence   
NI, EU or EEA licence   
(please return your NI, EU or EEA licence)  
My tachograph card has been suspended or withdrawn:   
(We will check with DVSA before we issue a new card)  
**Now fill in sections 2 and 3. Do not return your digital tachograph card.**

### Your checklist Do not send cash

I enclose: The correct fee of:  Cheque or postal order number:   
Special/recorded delivery number:   
My last digital tachograph driver card – if this applies:   
My GB driving licence – if this applies:   
My NI or EU or EEA driving licence – if this applies:   
Evidence that I live in the UK – if this applies:   
I have signed the form:

## 2 Your details

For more information on how DVLA will use the information provided please refer to the note below.

Your GB digital tachograph card number (if you know it):

Your GB driver number (if you know it):

Title: Mr  Mrs  Miss  Ms  Other (for example, Dr)

Surname:

First names:

Date of birth:

Full current address (no PO Box addresses)

House No.

Postcode:

**If any of the details above have changed since your last tachograph driver card was issued please give the previous details below. See section 1 part B.**

Have you lived in the UK for **more** than 185 days (approximately 6 months) in the last 12 months? Yes  No   
If no, you must provide proof of your UK address, see important note E over the page for the types of evidence we accept.

**We cannot issue you with a digital tachograph driver card unless you normally live in the UK.**

If you are a current UK tachograph holder and are applying to change your name, gender or address or to replace or renew your tachograph card, by filling in the address above you are declaring that your residency status has not changed.

If possible, please provide a daytime phone number where we can contact you if there is a problem with your application.

Full daytime phone number (optional):

Email address (optional):

### Note:

The full phone number and email address fields are optional. Where these details are provided, they may be used to contact you about your application or your experience of this or other DVLA services. We will not use these details for any other purpose. If you would prefer not to be contacted by phone or email, please do not provide these details.

## 3 Your declaration

**We will not accept this application unless you sign below.**

I declare that the details on this form are correct and understand that it is a criminal offence if I make a false declaration to get a digital tachograph driver card and can lead to a fine of up to £5000, a maximum of 2 years imprisonment or both.

Signature:

Date:



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# Important Notes

## A Digital tachograph card fees and where to send your application

Please send your application to DVLA, Swansea, using the correct postcode and enclose the correct fee (if applicable).

Card type – Driver Card	Fee	Postcode
First Driver Card Application	£32.00	SA99 1ST
First application if original expired, more than 5 years	£32.00	SA99 1BZ
Changing an EU or EEA digital tachograph card for your first GB digital tachograph driver card	£32.00	SA99 1ST
Changing an Northern Ireland digital tachograph card for your first GB digital tachograph card	Free	SA99 1ST
Change of name	Free	SA99 1ST
Replacement Card Your original card has been lost, stolen or damaged	£19.00	SA99 1AZ
Malfunctioning Card Your card is not working properly	Free	SA99 1AZ
Renewal Your present card is due for renewal or has expired	£19.00	SA99 1BZ
Your card has been withdrawn or suspended	£19.00	SA99 1AZ
Your card has been surrendered	£32.00	SA99 1AZ

### How to pay

#### DO NOT SEND CASH TO DVLA.

- you can use a cheque or postal order, payable to 'DVLA, Swansea'

Please write your digital tachograph driver card number, GB driver number or your full name, address and date of birth on the back of the cheque or payable order.

We cannot accept damaged or altered cheques. If you send us a damaged or altered cheque, your application will be rejected and returned to you.

You must sign, date and write the amount on the cheque or your application will be returned. We do not accept post-dated cheques.

## B When will you receive your digital tachograph driver card?

Your tachograph driver card will be sent to your home address.

Replacement driver cards will be issued within 10 working days of receiving a valid application.

First applicants and renewal driver cards should be received within 10 working days from the day we receive your application. It might take longer if we have to check your personal details. If your card does not arrive in this time, you can contact us in any of the following ways:

- write to Digital Tachograph Team, DVLA, Swansea, SA6 7JL
- phone 0300 790 6109 between 8am and 7pm Monday to Friday, and between 8am and 2pm on Saturdays

You will need to give your digital tachograph driver number, your GB driving licence number or your full name and date of birth.

## C Driving without a digital tachograph driver card

Tell us immediately if your card is lost, stolen, damaged or is malfunctioning. Phone us on 0300 790 6109.

You must apply for a replacement card within 7 days.

You can **only** drive without a card for up to 15 calendar days (or longer if it is necessary for the vehicle to return to its premises), as long as you can prove that you could not use the card during this period. **During this time you must keep records using Vehicle Unit (VU) Printouts.**

You cannot drive if your card has expired.

For full conditions about driving without a card go to [www.gov.uk/browse/driving](http://www.gov.uk/browse/driving) or phone DVSA on 0300 123 9000.

**Driver CPC** is a legal requirement for all professional bus, coach and lorry drivers. search [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk) for Driver CPC

## D Card information

### Replacement

If your card has been lost or stolen, you must apply for a replacement card within 7 days. You should either:

- go online at [www.gov.uk/apply-driver-digital-tachograph-card](http://www.gov.uk/apply-driver-digital-tachograph-card)
- fill in this form
- if there are no changes to your details phone 0300 790 6109 (between 8am and 7pm Monday to Friday, and between 8am to 2pm on Saturdays). We only accept payments by Visa, Mastercard or Delta over the phone

### Malfunctioning and damaged cards

Before applying make sure you try the card in another vehicle unit (VU) to make sure it is the card, not the VU, that is faulty. Check the VU manual to make sure that it is a card error.

### Return your malfunctioning or damaged card to us.

If your card is malfunctioning and you do not return it, we will treat it as being lost and you will have to pay a fee for a replacement. You need to pay for a replacement if the card is lost, stolen or has been damaged.

You should attempt to download data from your card before returning it to DVLA.

### Renewing your card

Make sure you apply to renew your card at least 15 working days before it expires. Failure to do so will mean you will not be able to record information. Once the card expires it can only be used to display, print or download the data held on it. Expired cards do not need to be returned and should be kept for 28 days after expiry. Data must be downloaded from expired cards before they are disposed of. You as the driver are responsible for making sure your digital tachograph driver card is renewed before its expiry.

### If your digital tachograph driver card has expired for more than 5 years

This record will have been deleted (to comply with UK General Data Protection Regulation (UK GDPR) guidelines).

To get a new card you need to reapply (as a first application) and pay the appropriate fee.

### Change of name, gender, lost or stolen applications only

#### Do not return your digital tachograph card with this application.

When you receive your new card you will also be sent a confirmation of receipt letter which must be filled in and returned to DVLA.

### Change of address

#### Do not return your digital tachograph card with this application.

If you are a GB driving licence holder you will only need to update the address on your driving licence as this will automatically update your digital tachograph record. You can do this online at [www.gov.uk/change-address-driving-licence](http://www.gov.uk/change-address-driving-licence) (to change address only).

- by filling in the 'changes' section on letter D741 that came with your licence and send it to DVLA, Swansea, SA99 1BN

Please note, no digital tachograph card will be issued.

### Exchange

Please do not return your digital tachograph card with this application. When you receive your new card you will also be sent a confirmation of receipt letter which must be filled in and returned to DVLA together with the card that is being exchanged.

## E Proof of your UK address

We cannot issue you with a digital tachograph driver card unless you normally live in the UK.

If you have lived in the UK for less than 185 days in the last 12 months, you must provide evidence which confirms your UK address.

We accept:

- a tenancy agreement
- a gas, electricity, water or phone bill issued within the last 3 months
- a bank statement dated within the last 3 months
- a tax code notice from HM Revenue & Customs
- a letter from your employer or employment agency
- a work permit

You must provide at least 2 of these documents as proof.

*Buying a vehicle?*

*The tax is no longer transferable so you must tax it before you use it.*

[www.gov.uk/vehicletaxrules](http://www.gov.uk/vehicletaxrules)