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Remember to keep your bus registrations up to date - check yours on <https://www.gov.uk/manage-commercial-vehicle-operator-licence-online>

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 operators 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 send a direct message through VOL. 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

A **statutory objector** may inspect a public service vehicle operator's licence or application under Regulation 4 of The Public Service Vehicles (Operators' Licences) Regulations 1995 by setting out their authority and requesting arrangements are made for inspecting the record by emailing – enquiries@otc.gov.uk

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

PM2089063 SN **JJB Minibus services LTD**
Director(s): Joseph Bryce, Jamie Bryce
Unit 8 Bridgend industrial estate, glasgow, G69 0LY
Operating Centre: unit 7 and 8 Bridgend industrial estate, glasgow, G69 0LY
Authorisation: 2 vehicle(s)
Transport Manager(s): joseph bryce

PM2089255 SN **EXPERIENCE SCOTLAND'S WILD LTD**
Director(s): John Stevenson
Strathleven House, Vale of Leven Industrial Estate, Dumbarton, G82 3PD
Operating Centre: WORKSPACE 3 SUITE 11, FULLARTON ROAD, GLASGOW
EAST INVESTMENT PARK, GLASGOW, G32 8YL
Authorisation: 16 vehicle(s)
Transport Manager(s): John Stevenson

PM2088931 SN **ALAN MACKAY**

31A COLL, ISLE OF LEWIS, HS2 0LP
Operating Centre: 1 yard, Moorpark, Marybank, Stornoway, Isle of Lewis, HS2
0EL
Authorisation: 7 vehicle(s)
Transport Manager(s): Kenneth Maciver

Section 2.2 – New Applications Granted

No entries

Section 2.3 – New Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.4 – Variation Applications Granted

PM1138548 SI **TOUR SKYE LTD**
Director(s): ROBERT ZUCCHI, PAOLA FARICELLI, ZOE ZUCCHI
ROBERTSON HOUSE, SHORE STREET, INVERNESS, IV1 1NF
Upgrade of Licence from Standard National to Standard International

PM1100341 SI **PHOTOFLASH TRAVEL LTD**
Director(s): KENNETH PURDIE
16 JAMES STREET, CARLUKE, ML8 4DE
Upgrade of Licence from Standard National to Standard International

Section 2.5 – Variation Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.6 – Licences Surrendered

No entries

Section 2.7– Applications Withdrawn Prior to Determination

No entries

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

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.

Copies of local bus service registrations can be made available for inspection under section 56 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 by emailing – copyregistrations@otc.gov.uk

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Section 3.1 – Registration of New Services

PM1029048/89 **STUARTS COACHES LTD, CASTLEHILL GARAGE, AIRDRIE ROAD, CARLUKE, ML8 5EP**
From: Monklands Hospital
To: Calder Cruix
Via: Plains
Name or No.: 312
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 12 April 2026
Other details: Monday to Sunday.

PM1029048/90 **STUARTS COACHES LTD, CASTLEHILL GARAGE, AIRDRIE ROAD, CARLUKE, ML8 5EP**
From: Monklands Hospital
To: Salsburgh
Via: Chapelhall
Name or No.: 202
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 12 April 2026
Other details: Monday to Sunday.

Section 3.2 – Registration of New Services Granted Under Short Notice

No entries

Section 3.3 – Applications to Vary Existing Services

No entries

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

- PM1126342/69 **HARRIET JANET HOUSTON & WILLIAM JOHN HOUSTON, 13 STEVENSON AVENUE, LOCKERBIE, DG11 2PG**
Operating between DUMFRIES, BURNS STATUE and DUMFRIES, BURNS STATUE given service number D10 / 10A effective from 17 March 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PM1126342/67 **HARRIET JANET HOUSTON & WILLIAM JOHN HOUSTON, 13 STEVENSON AVENUE, LOCKERBIE, DG11 2PG**
Operating between Great King Street Dumfries and Locharbriggs, Rashgill given service number D1 effective from 17 March 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PM0000003/691 **MIDLAND BLUEBIRD LTD, CARMUIRS HOUSE, 300 STIRLING ROAD, LARBERT, FK5 3NJ**
Operating between Balfron Cotton Street and Glasgow Buchanan Bus Station given service number X10 / X10A effective from 09 February 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PM0000003/689 **MIDLAND BLUEBIRD LTD, CARMUIRS HOUSE, 300 STIRLING ROAD, LARBERT, FK5 3NJ**
Operating between Stirling Bus Station and Balfron, Buchanan Street opp Clinic given service number X10 effective from 09 February 2026. To amend Timetable.

Section 3.5 – Cancellations of Existing Services

- PM0002409/46 **MCCOLL'S TRAVEL LIMITED, BLOCK 4, VALE OF LEVEN INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, DUMBARTON, G82 3PD**
Operating between Vale of Leven Ind Estate and Stobhill Hospital or Glasgow Hope Street given service number 82 / 82B / 82A effective from 11 July 2026.
- PM0002409/44 **MCCOLL'S TRAVEL LIMITED, BLOCK 4, VALE OF LEVEN INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, DUMBARTON, G82 3PD**
Operating between Buchanan Bus Station and Stobhill Hospital given service number 128 effective from 11 July 2026.

- PM0002409/38 **MCCOLL'S TRAVEL LIMITED, BLOCK 4, VALE OF LEVEN INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, DUMBARTON, G82 3PD**
Operating between Patrick Bus Station and Gartnavel Hospital given service number 141 effective from 11 July 2026.
- PM2044658/18 **THOMAS BUCHANAN, 272 BATH STREET, GLASGOW, G2 4JR**
Operating between Mansewood, Mansewood Road and Glasgow, West Regent Street given service number 29C effective from 11 July 2026.
- PM2044658/12 **THOMAS BUCHANAN, 272 BATH STREET, GLASGOW, G2 4JR**
Operating between Mansewood Road, Mansewood and Dunward Avenue, Shawlands given service number 29A effective from 11 July 2026.
- PM2044658/11 **THOMAS BUCHANAN, 272 BATH STREET, GLASGOW, G2 4JR**
Operating between Newton Mearns, Fairweather Place or Netherplace Road and Shawlands, Durward Avenue given service number 29 effective from 11 July 2026.

Section 3.6 – Cancellations of Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

No entries



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 Scotlandhc@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

No entries

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: 477553, Public Inquiry ID: 106060) for KEVIN PUGH to be held at Quarry House (Leeds), LS2 7UE, Quarry House, Leeds,
on 16 March 2026 commencing at 10:00

**Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009
Schedule 3**

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477877, Public Inquiry ID: 106192) for SHIREEN AGAR to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Birmingham), B15 1PL, 38 George Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham,
on 19 March 2026 commencing at 13:00

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477878, Public Inquiry ID: 106193) for Roxanne Fletcher to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Birmingham), B15 1PL, 38 George Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham,
on 19 March 2026 commencing at 13:00

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477660, Public Inquiry ID: 106113) for STEPHEN WHITTAKER to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,
on 1 April 2026 commencing at 10:30

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 478016, Public Inquiry ID: 106230) for Mr ROBERT LAURENCE LESLIE to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh,
on 25 March 2026 commencing at 10:00

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477966, Public Inquiry ID: 106217) for MARWAN HAGE-IBRAHIM to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,
on 25 March 2026 commencing at 10:00

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477985, Public Inquiry ID: 106222) for HEATHER JOAN CREASEY to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,
on 25 March 2026 commencing at 14:00

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: 476454, Public Inquiry ID: 105691) for PHILIP WILLIAMS to be held at Swyddfeydd Penrallt Offices, LL55 1BN, Ffordd Pafiliwn, Gwynedd, Caernarfon,

on 4 February 2026 commencing at 14:00 (Previous Publication:(2580))

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

Phil Williams' good repute as Transport Manager is found to be tarnished but not lost.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476479, Public Inquiry ID: 105697) for Mr PETER JOHN ROBINSON to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 3 February 2026 commencing at 10:30 (Previous Publication:(2574))

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

Mr. Peter Robinson is removed as transport manager, and a period of grace is granted, expiring 23:45 on 04 May 2026.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476915, Public Inquiry ID: 105844) for Mr GURWINDER PAL SINGH BABBAR to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 4 February 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2575))

The good repute of transport manager Gurwinder Pal Singh Babbar is retained.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476936, Public Inquiry ID: 105850) for ROSS GRAY to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh,

on 28 January 2026 commencing at 14:00 (Previous Publication:(2575))

The Traffic Commissioner made this finding under section 27(1)(b). “As per paragraph 108 of Statutory Document No. 10, the minimum period of disqualification for a transport manager is one year. Given the actions, it could have been much longer. It left the operator with no Transport Manager, resulting in an adverse finding under section 27(1)(a). I was persuaded to allow a short Period of Grace (1 month) to provide tangible evidence upon which the period might be extended, or the licence will have to be revoked.”

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 474290, Public Inquiry ID: 105162) for DARREN BENTHAM to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 29 October 2025 commencing at 14:00 (Previous Publication:(2568))

Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

The good repute of former Transport Manager Darren Bentham is lost, pursuant to Schedule 3 of the Act. Under paragraph 16 of that Schedule, he is disqualified from acting as a transport manager on any operator’s licence until further order with effect from Wednesday 26 November 2025 until further order

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476509, Public Inquiry ID: 105715) for ALANA DALY to be held at Killymeal House, 2 Cromac Quay, Belfast, BT7 2JD,

on 10 December 2025 commencing at 10:00

Alana Daly no longer satisfies the requirement for a transport manager to be of good repute and an order is made that she is disqualified from acting in that capacity for two years with effect from 00.01 hours on the 9 March 2026

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477166, Public Inquiry ID: 105912) for Mr DAVID WILLIAM COWAN to be held at Quarry House (Leeds), LS2 7UE, Quarry House, Leeds,
on 9 February 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2576))
Strong Warning repute tarnished but not lost.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 477141, Public Inquiry ID: 105894) for SANDI-COSTINEL RADUTOIU to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,
on 10 February 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2576))
Formal warning - repute tarnished but not lost.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476739, Public Inquiry ID: 105773) for DAWN BROUGH to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,
on 10 February 2026 commencing at 10:30 (Previous Publication:(2574))
Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476740, Public Inquiry ID: 105774) for DAVID BERNARD to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,
on 10 February 2026 commencing at 10:30 (Previous Publication:(2574))
Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1071/2009

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 476822, Public Inquiry ID: 106121) for SAMANTHA JANE FARNSWORTH to be held at Quarry House (Leeds), LS2 7UE, Quarry House, Leeds,
on 11 February 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2573))
No further action regarding former TM Samantha Farnsworth



Section 6 – Corrections

