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The telephone number for enquires is: 020 4551 8711 and will be open Monday to Thursday from 9am to 5pm and 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.

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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Section 1 – 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 1.1 – New Applications Received

PK2092498 SN	LONDON BOROUGH OF REDBRIDGE Stephen Moore REDBRIDGE CIVIC SERVICES LTD, 531 LEY STREET, ILFORD, IG2 7QZ Operating Centre: LONDON BOROUGH OF REDBRIDGE, STATION ROAD, BARKINGSIDE, ILFORD, IG6 1NB Authorisation: 10 vehicle(s) Operating Centre: LONDON BOROUGH OF REDBRIDGE, LEY STREET DEPOT, 531 LEY STREET, ILFORD, IG2 7QZ Authorisation: 10 vehicle(s) Transport Manager(s): GURSARAN SONDH, AZHAR BABAR 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.
PK2093488 SN	LVBT Ltd Director(s): Martin Detheridge THE BUS GARAGE, LLANCAYO FARM, GWEHELOG, USK, NP15 1HY Operating Centre: BUS GARAGE, FEATHERS WHARF, SMUGGLERS WAY, WANDSWORTH, LONDON, SW18 1YL Authorisation: 6 vehicle(s) Transport Manager(s): Gilbert Parsons
PK2093339 SI	Steven Roy Morrish 11 HILLTOP AVENUE, RAMSGATE, CT12 5LW Operating Centre: STORE 24, MANSTON ROAD, RAMSGATE, CT12 5DF Authorisation: 2 vehicle(s) Transport Manager(s): Steven Morrish

Section 1.2 – New Applications Granted

PK2088501 SN	SUSSEX WINE TOURS LIMITED Director(s): DANIEL EDWARDS 28 RYDE ROAD, BRIGHTON, BN2 3EG Operating Centre: RAILWAY STATION BUS DEPOT, STATION ROAD, BURGESS HILL, RH15 9DG Authorisation: 1 vehicle(s) Transport Manager(s): IAN MILLER 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.
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PK2086509 R

ZEN HOSPITALITY LIMITED

Director(s): Deepak Kapoor, Gurvinder Sethi

THE CORNER HOUSE HOTEL, 72 MASSETTS ROAD, HORLEY, RH6 7ED
Operating Centre: THE CORNER HOUSE HOTEL, 72 MASSETTS ROAD,
HORLEY, RH6 7ED
Authorisation: 2 vehicle(s)
New Condition: Condition 1

The passengers must have been brought together for the purposes of making the journey by the driver or owner of the vehicle or by some other intermediary who is paid for. In addition each journey must have been advertised to the public, so as to create a genuine opportunity for members of the public to be carried on the particular journey in question, i.e. the journey is not an exclusive hiring for an individual or group, notwithstanding that separate fares are paid. Advertisement at a place of worship, a place of work, a club or other voluntary association for the information of people present at those places, or in periodicals circulated wholly or mainly among such persons, does not count as advertisement to the general public. Finally, in the event that there are multiple destinations, there should be differentiation of fares for the journey based on distance or time. Attached to Licence.

New Condition: Condition 2

The making of the agreement for the payment of separate fares must have been initiated by the driver or owner of the vehicle, or by some other intermediary who is paid for doing so – not by the passengers themselves, or any other party. In addition, as in condition 1, each journey must be advertised to the public beforehand as being open to passengers to be carried at separate fares. Attached to Licence.

New Undertaking: Small vehicles undertakings

(a) The operator will advise the Traffic Commissioner of the make, model and registration number of vehicles used under that licence, and will advise of any changes.

(b) In respect of any vehicle with eight or less passengers seats used under the licence, the operator will provide an audit trail to the Traffic Commissioner or any enforcement body on request, that demonstrates compliance with PSV requirements. This includes paperwork as to how in respect of any service separate fares were paid and one of the two conditions set out in Question 1 were met. Note this undertaking does not apply when the vehicle is being used under the provisions of Section 79A.

(c) Each small vehicle to be used under the licence will have a V5C registration certificate, and the operator must possess and produce, when asked to do so, a document confirming this.

(d) Each small vehicle will receive a full safety inspection (maximum every 10 weeks) in premises suitable for the vehicle to ensure that its roadworthiness is maintained. Records of all inspections must be kept in accordance with the Guide to Maintaining Roadworthiness.

(e) At no time will the small vehicle carry more than eight passengers.

(f) The operator will at all times comply with the legislation in respect of the charging of separate fares and retain 12 months' evidence of this compliance for each journey.

(g) Drivers of small vehicles will carry with them documentary evidence that separate fares have been charged for the current journey.

(h) The operator will not use a vehicle that does not meet the ECWVTA standards, British construction and use requirements or the Road Vehicles Approval Regulations 2009 (as amended).

(i) The operator or driver will not break the alcohol laws. 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: Small vehicles undertakings

(a) The operator will advise the Traffic Commissioner of the make, model and

Section 1.3 – New Applications Refused

No entries

Section 1.4 – Variation Applications Granted

No entries

Section 1.5 – Variation Applications Refused

No entries

Section 1.6 – Licences Surrendered

No entries

Section 1.7– Applications Withdrawn Prior to Determination

No entries

Section 1.8 – Licences Revoked Without a Public Inquiry

PK2075073 SN **T&T CARS LTD**
Director(s): ANTHONY HALL
WHITTINGS FARM, HIGH STREET, HALLING, ROCHESTER, ME2 1DA
Registered Bus Services running under this licence have also been revoked with immediate effect.

Section 1.9 – Conditions Imposed Under Section 16.3 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 (without a Public Inquiry)

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Section 2 – 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.

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

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Multi operator travelcards and BODS

Operators with registered local bus services in England will be aware of obligations to provide information on routes and timetables, fares, and vehicle location data to the Bus Open Data Service. A recent Bus Open Data (BODS) development is the ability to accept fares details for multi operator travelcards, thus it is now a mandatory requirement for this information to be provided to BODS. Failure to do so may result in regulatory action by the Traffic Commissioners. Equally importantly, details of these products will not be available on BODS and therefore journey planners and apps may not contain these products.

To prevent multiple recording of such tickets (and prevent inadvertent recording of conflicting information), BODS has been set up to receive a “master” notification for each multi operator travelcard product from one “lead” operator, with all other participating operators then able to provide only the details of the routes/services included in the scheme product. The nominated lead operator need not be the operator administering or controlling the scheme, and indeed many such schemes are led by the local transport authority or an independent third party. As such, it will be necessary to agree within the scheme who the “lead” operator is to be.

The “lead” operator must supply to BODS details of the geographic scope of the multi operator travelcard, the products that are available (child day, adult week, adult month etc) and the prices of these, how these products can be paid for, and the National Operator Codes (NOCs) of the other participating operators. They also need to advise which of their own services are included. Once these data have been uploaded to BODS, all the other participating operators will be notified and will then be able to upload details of their services that are included in the scheme.

It is imperative that operators act quickly to agree the “lead” operator and commence the process of uploading data to BODS. In case of any queries, please refer these to the [BODS helpdesk](#).

Section 2.1 – Registration of New Services

PH0005857/339 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
From: Fox Lane
To: All Hallows School
Via: Mytchett
Name or No.: 403
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 30 August 2026
Other details: New registration for service 403 (transferred from registration PH0005857/58), with minor changes to timing points

- PH0005857/337 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
 From: Farnborough
 To: Camberley
 Via: Mindenhurst
 Name or No.: 11
 Service type: Normal Stopping
 Effective date: 30 August 2026
 Other details: New registration for service 11 running every 30 mins on Mon-Sat & hourly on Sundays; schooltime variation introduced to serve Tomlinscote School (Frimley)
- PK1147727/33 **1ST BUS STOP LTD, THE COACH YARD, WHARF ROAD, GRAVESEND, DA12 2RU**
 From: Gravesend Barrack Row (Stop F)
 To: Tonbridge o/s Weald of Kent School
 Via: Meopham
 Name or No.: 223
 Service type: Normal Stopping
 Effective date: 02 September 2026
 Other details: Monday to Friday school days only
- PK0000098/461 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
 From: Rail Station, Hastings
 To: Rail Station, Hastings
 Via: Ore
 Name or No.: 300C / 300A
 Service type: Normal Stopping
 Effective date: 06 September 2026
 Other details: New Service operating Monday to Sunday
- PK0000208/286 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
 From: Durton Green, London Road
 To: Tonbridge, Weald of Kent School
 Via: Sevenoaks
 Name or No.: 403
 Service type: Normal Stopping
 Effective date: 01 September 2026
 Other details: Monday to Friday Schooldays only
- PK0001486/33 **SAFEGUARD COACHES LIMITED, SAFEGUARD HOUSE, CLAY LANE, JACOBS WELL, GUILDFORD, GU4 7NZ**
 From: Gorsewood Road, Hermitage Estate, Knaphill,
 To: Woking Railway Station (Stop 6), Broadway, Woking
 Via: Woking Railway Station via Goldsworth Park
 Name or No.: 39B
 Service type: Normal Stopping
 Effective date: 31 August 2026
 End date: 31 August 2031
 Other details: Thursdays
 Single service daily
- PK0001486/34 **SAFEGUARD COACHES LIMITED, SAFEGUARD HOUSE, CLAY LANE, JACOBS WELL, GUILDFORD, GU4 7NZ**
 From: Delta Road, Chobham
 To: Woking Railway Station (Stop 6), Broadway, Woking
 Via:
 Name or No.: 39A
 Service type: Normal Stopping / Hail & Ride
 Effective date: 31 August 2026
 End date: 31 August 2031
 Other details: Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays only.

PK0001486/32 **SAFEGUARD COACHES LIMITED, SAFEGUARD HOUSE, CLAY LANE, JACOBS WELL, GUILDFORD, GU4 7NZ**
 From: Arthurs Bridge Road, Horsell
 To: Woking Railway Station, The Broadway, Woking
 Via: Woking Railway Station via Goldsworth Park
 Name or No.: 39C
 Service type: Normal Stopping
 Effective date: 31 August 2026
 End date: 31 August 2031
 Other details: Tuesdays and Thursdays only
 Single service daily

Section 2.2 – Registration of New Services Granted Under Short Notice

No entries

Section 2.3 – Applications to Vary Existing Services

PK1079476/17 **GO-COACHHIRE LIMITED, BUS GARAGE, LONDON ROAD, SWANLEY, BR8 8BY**
 Operating between West Kingsdown and Dartford, Bluewater given service number 429 effective from 31 August 2026. To amend Timetable.

PK0000098/284 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
 Operating between Conquest Hospital and Rye given service number 100 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.

PK0000098/405 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
 Operating between Hastings Station and Ore Village given service number 331 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.

PK0000098/407 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
 Operating between Hastings and Hawkhurst given service number 1066 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.

PH0005857/222 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
 Operating between Wrecclesham and Farnborough given service number 405 / 404 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.

PH0005857/267 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
 Operating between Liphook and Haslemere given service number 23 / 123 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.

PH0005857/330 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
 Operating between Aldershot and Rowledge given service number 16 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.

PH0005857/328 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
 Operating between Aldershot and Bordon given service number 18 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.

PH0005857/75 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
 Operating between Tices Meadow and North Town given service number 15 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.

- PH0005857/227 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
Operating between Farnborough and Church Crookham given service number 10 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PH0005857/58 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
Operating between Aldershot and Yateley given service number 3 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/431 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Hastings Station and Hollington given service number 319 / 319C effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/432 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Ore Crowborough Road and Conquest Hospital given service number 321 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/428 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Conquest Hospital and Bexhill given service number 94 / 94A effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.
- PK0000098/277 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Hastings and Sidley given service number 98 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.
- PK0000098/406 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Hawkhurst and Tunbridge Wells given service number 1066 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/280 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Hastings and Conquest Hospital given service number 328 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/281 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Conquest Hospital and Harley Shute given service number 323 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/274 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Ore Ivy Gardens and Hollington given service number 322 / 322E / 322B effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/408 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Hastings and Hawkhurst given service number 349 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000098/325 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Hastings, Town Centre and Tenterden, The Vine Opp given service number 329 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.
- PK0000098/285 **EAST KENT ROAD CAR COMPANY LIMITED, THE BUS STATION, ST. GEORGES LANE, CANTERBURY, CT1 2SY**
Operating between Rye and Bexhill College given service number 70 effective from 06 September 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.

- PK0000208/7 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Tunbridge Wells Rail Station/Old West Stn,Sainsburys and Maidstone Bus Station given service number 7 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.
- PK0000208/13 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Tonbridge Road, Maidstone and Sandhurst given service number 5 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/14 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone, Chequers and Snodland Rail Station given service number 71 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/25 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone, Chequers Bus Station and Parkwood given service number 82 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/26 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone and Coxheathm, Tesco given service number 89 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.
- PK0000208/37 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone Hospital and Senarce Wood given service number 85 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/53 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Tenterden and Maidstone given service number 12 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/239 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone Hospital and Maidstone, Chequers Bus Station given service number 3 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/242 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone, Chequers Bus Station and Grove Green given service number 9 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/257 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone, Chequers Bus Station and Downswood, Deringwood Drive given service number 4 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000141/107 **NU-VENTURE COACHES LTD, UNIT 2F, DEACON TRADING ESTATE, FORSTAL ROAD, AYLESFORD, ME20 7SP**
Operating between Airfield Estate and Clare Park Shops, Chapman Way, East Malling given service number W4 effective from 01 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK00002571/40 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, STAGECOACH SOUTH, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
Operating between Chichester and Goodwood given service number 902 effective from 18 September 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0000208/273 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone Chequers and Tower View, Kings Hill given service number 72 / 572 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.

- PK0000208/274 **ARRIVA KENT & SURREY LTD, INVICTA HOUSE, ARMSTRONG ROAD, MAIDSTONE, ME15 6TX**
Operating between Maidstone Chequers and Tower View given service number 575 / 576 effective from 30 August 2026. To amend Timetable.
- PK0001670/59 **CHALKWELL COACH HIRE LIMITED, THE COACH DEPOT, UNIT 2A CHURCH ROAD, SITTINGBOURNE, ME10 3RS**
Operating between Ashford, Kent and Wye Free School given service number WS1 / WS3 effective from 31 August 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.

Section 2.4 – Applications to Vary Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

- PK0002571/29 **STAGECOACH (SOUTH) LIMITED, STAGECOACH SOUTH, BUS STATION, SOUTHGATE, CHICHESTER, PO19 8DG**
Operating between Rose Green and Bognor Regis Retail Parks given service number 62 effective from 25 July 2026. To amend Route.
- PK0000141/92 **NU-VENTURE COACHES LTD, UNIT 2F, DEACON TRADING ESTATE, FORSTAL ROAD, AYLESFORD, ME20 7SP**
Operating between Peters Village, Co-op and Maidstone given service number 29 / 529 effective from 22 July 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.

Section 2.5 – Cancellations of Existing Services

- PK2004071/5 **BRIAN JONES COACHES LTD, OLD GAS WORKS, CANAL ROAD, GRAVESEND, DA12 2RS**
Operating between Lower Higham, Adj Railway Station and Cobham, Opp War Memorial given service number 311 effective from 01 September 2026.
- PK0002776/81 **DONALD WILLIAM HAM & PARTNERS, THE WHITE HOUSE, LONDON ROAD, FLIMWELL, WADHURST, TN5 7PL**
Operating between John's Cross and Wadhurst, The Greyhound given service number U1 / U5 / U4 effective from 01 September 2026.
- PK0001670/64 **CHALKWELL COACH HIRE LIMITED, THE COACH DEPOT, UNIT 2A CHURCH ROAD, SITTINGBOURNE, ME10 3RS**
Operating between Princes Park, Morrisons, Walderslade and Aylesford School, Aylesford given service number 150 effective from 31 August 2026.

Section 2.6 – Cancellations of Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

- PK2004071/5 **BRIAN JONES COACHES LTD, OLD GAS WORKS, CANAL ROAD, GRAVESEND, DA12 2RS**
Operating between Lower Higham, Adj Railway Station and Cobham, Opp War Memorial given service number 311 effective from 01 September 2026.
- PK2004071/6 **BRIAN JONES COACHES LTD, OLD GAS WORKS, CANAL ROAD, GRAVESEND, DA12 2RS**
Operating between Gravesend Barrak Row (stop F) and Tonbridge, O/S Weald of Kent School given service number 223 effective from 01 September 2026.

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Section 3 – Traffic Regulation Conditions

Section 3.1 – Requests

Section 3.2 – Determinations

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Section 4 – 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 Southeasternhc@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 4.1 – Notice of Public Inquiries to be Held

No entries

Section 4.2 – Decisions Taken at Public Inquiries

No entries

Section 4.3 – Notice of Transport Manager Public Inquiries to be Held

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 480349, Public Inquiry ID: 107339) for MARIUS BOGDAN FIRETEANU to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 29 September 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2868))

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 481906, Public Inquiry ID: 107301) for GRZEGORZ SERAFIN to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 9 September 2026 commencing at 14:00

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 481907, Public Inquiry ID: 107303) for ADRIAN MARK PAYNE to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 10 September 2026 commencing at 10:00

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 481894, Public Inquiry ID: 107293) for BRIAN JOHNSON to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 8 September 2026 commencing at 10:30

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 481896, Public Inquiry ID: 107294) for BRIAN DEREK TAYLOR to be held at The Public Inquiry Room (Warrington), WA3 2SH, Suite 4, Stone Cross Place, Stone Cross Lane North, Golborne, Warrington,

on 8 September 2026 commencing at 10:30

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

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 480644, Public Inquiry ID: 107282) for ANDREW PETER HARRIS to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 15 September 2026 commencing at 14:00

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

Section 4.4 – Decisions Taken at Transport Manager Public Inquiries

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 480840, Public Inquiry ID: 107018) for MORAG MITCHELL to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh,

on 23 July 2026 commencing at 14:00 (Previous Publication:(2869))

No further action.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 480816, Public Inquiry ID: 107009) for MALCOLM BENTHAM to be held at Quarry House (Leeds), LS2 7UE, Quarry House, Leeds,

on 20 July 2026 commencing at 14:00 (Previous Publication:(2868))

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

Transport Manager, Malcolm Bentham, receives a strong formal warning. He has given a personal undertaking not to be a TM again in the future and will step back from the operation within 12 weeks

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 480625, Public Inquiry ID: 106938) for MARIA UHANSKA to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,

on 28 July 2026 commencing at 14:00

Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3, repute lost for a period of 12 months

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Section 5 – Corrections

Section 6 – Special Notices

Carriage of passengers to designated association football matches.

Legal Requirements

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 also 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 certain association football matches, whether national or international, as defined in Schedule 2 of the Sports Grounds and Sporting Events (Designation) Order 2005 (as amended). 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.

Voluntary Guidelines on the carriage of passengers to association football matches - England and Wales

For many years the PSV 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.

The guidelines were drafted 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) and are set out below:

- a. PSV operators taking bookings from groups of supporters are to notify the relevant Dedicated Football Officer (DFO), at least 48 hours before the event, of the number of supporters expected to travel, the number of vehicles booked, the name and the contact number for the person who made the booking. Once available the operator must also notify the VRM and driver’s name to the relevant Dedicated Football Officer.

For the purpose of these guidelines, the relevant Dedicated Football Officer means the DFO for the club that the fans are travelling to support. For example, West Ham are playing a premier league game away to Leeds United. Operator A has been contracted to transport West Ham fans from Romford and the relevant DFO is the DFO for West Ham. Operator B has been contracted to carry Leeds United fans to the game from Barrow in Furness. In this case the relevant DFO is the DFO for Leeds.

- b. Vehicles are not to stop within 10 miles of the venue either enroute to, or on departure from the event unless prior agreement is obtained from the relevant Dedicated Football Officer.
- c. Unless directed by a police officer, PSVs 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 relevant Dedicated Football Officer.
- d. PSVs 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. PSVs are not to set down or uplift passengers at any unauthorised locations without prior permission of the police.
- f. PSVs 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. PSV operators are to follow all reasonable instruction given by police or enforcement officers at all times. This includes, but is not limited to, routing and stopping arrangements.
- h. Intoxicating liquor, flares and similar pyrotechnics, must not be carried on PSVs 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.
- i. PSV operators are to notify the Dedicated Football Officer at the destination upon arrival at an away football ground, of any chanting demonstrating hostility based on race, ethnicity religion or beliefs, sexual orientation, disability, and transgender identity or chanting of an otherwise grossly offensive or inflammatory nature which had taken place during the journey to the ground.
- j. PSV operators are to have established safeguarding policies when carrying persons under the age of 18 years old. This is to include arrangements for the nomination of at least one responsible adult for the minors carried.

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