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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 at the Edinburgh office is open for the receipt of documents between 10am and 3pm Monday Friday. Access to offices can only be guaranteed with a minimum of 24 hours prior notice. There is no facility to make payments of any sort at the counter.

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.

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

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Section 1 – Special Notices

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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

PM2094709 R **C&M EXECUTIVE TRAVEL LTD**
Director(s): CRAIG WILLIAM O'BRIEN
10 ROOTES PLACE, PAISLEY, PA3 3FL
Operating Centre: 10 ROOTES PLACE, PAISLEY, PA3 3FL
Authorisation: 1 vehicle(s)
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.
New Undertaking: The operator shall, during the life of the restricted licence, keep separate records of all time spent and the gross and net income earned monthly by them from all occupations (with supporting detailed records from which these sums are derived) to enable the main occupation to be determined by the Traffic Commissioner at any time. Records shall be supported by primary evidence such as payslips, P60 documents, booking diaries, invoices and tachograph records. Copies of the records shall be made available to the DVSA or OTC officers on request. Attached to Licence.
New Undertaking: Should gross income from, or time spent on, the minibus operation exceed that from all other sources for two consecutive months, the operator will apply for a Standard licence. Attached to Licence.

Section 2.2 – New Applications Granted

No entries

Section 2.3 – New Applications Refused

No entries

Section 2.4 – Variation Applications Granted

PM1031094 SN **D & E COACHES LTD**
Director(s): ALLAN GUNN, MALCOLM MACLEOD, Gayle Louise McEwan, Stuart Robert MacLennan
39 HENDERSON DRIVE, INVERNESS, IV1 1TR
New operating centre: STAGECOACH, LOVER'S LANE, THURSO, KW14 7EQ
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 20 vehicle(s)
New operating centre: STAGECOACH, WICK INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, WICK, KW1 4QS
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 10 vehicle(s)
Decrease at existing operating centre: 39 HENDERSON DRIVE, INVERNESS, IV1 1TR
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 10 vehicle(s)
Decrease at existing operating centre: 33/35 HENDERSON DRIVE, INVERNESS, IV1 1TR
New authorisation at this operating centre will be: 10 vehicle(s)

Section 2.5 – Variation Applications Refused

No entries

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No entries

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No entries

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No entries

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.

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

PM0000923/385 **MCGILL'S SCOTLAND EAST LIMITED, CARMUIRS HOUSE, 300 STIRLING ROAD, LARBERT, FK5 3NJ**
From: WATERLOO PLACE
To: WATERLOO PLACE
Via: ST ANDREW SQUARE, PRINCES STREET, OLD TOWN
Name or No.: City Twilight Tour
Service type: Excursion or Tour
Effective date: 30 November 2026
End date: 30 December 2026
Other details: 30/11/2026 - 30/12/2026

No operation 24/12/2026-25/12/2026-26/12/202

PM0000015/360 **MCGILL'S BUS SERVICE LTD, MCGILL'S BUS SERVICE LTD, HEAD OFFICE, 99 EARNHILL ROAD, LARKFIELD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, GREENOCK, PA16 0EQ**
From: Govan/Silverburn
To: Southpark Village/Shawlands
Via: Nitshill & Thonliebank
Name or No.: 49 / 49A
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 01 November 2026
Other details: Monday to Sunday.

PM0000015/361 **MCGILL'S BUS SERVICE LTD, MCGILL'S BUS SERVICE LTD, HEAD OFFICE, 99 EARNHILL ROAD, LARKFIELD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, GREENOCK, PA16 0EQ**
From: Inverclyde Royal Hospital
To: Gourock Railway Station
Via:
Name or No.: 540
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 01 November 2026
Other details:

Section 3.2 – Registration of New Services Granted Under Short Notice

PM0001560/95 **SHUTTLE BUSES LTD, CALEDONIA HOUSE, LONGFORD AVENUE, KILWINNING, KA13 6EX**
From: Girvan Hospital
To: Colmonell
Via: Pinmore
Name or No.: 362
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 01 November 2026
Other details: Monday to Saturday.

PM0000008/607 **WESTERN BUSES LIMITED, SANDGATE, AYR, KA7 1DD**
From: Glasgow Buchanan Bus Station
To: Dalry Cross
Via:
Name or No.: X36B
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 01 November 2026
End date: 27 March 2027
Other details: Monday to Sunday.

PM0000008/606 **WESTERN BUSES LIMITED, SANDGATE, AYR, KA7 1DD**
From: Dalry Cross
To: Ardrossan Chapelhill Mount
Via:
Name or No.: X36B
Service type: Normal Stopping
Effective date: 01 November 2026
End date: 27 March 2027
Other details: Monday to Sunday.

Section 3.3 – Applications to Vary Existing Services

PM2048209/20 **A.R.G TRAVEL LIMITED, UNIT 4 CENTRUM BUSINESS PARK, HAGMILL ROAD, COATBRIDGE, ML5 4GH**
Operating between Coatbridge, South Circular Road and Moodiesburn, Garferry Road at Westfield Drive given service number 132 / 132A effective from 22 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM1126342/60 **HARRIET JANET HOUSTON & WILLIAM JOHN HOUSTON, HOUSTONS COACHES, UNIT 1, LOCKERBIE, DG11 2RZ**
Operating between Dumfries and Castle Douglas given service number 502C effective from 23 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0002912/46 **AVONDALE COACHES LTD, 9 DOCK STREET, CLYDEBANK, G81 1LX**
Operating between Oransay Gardens, Old Kilpatrick and Vine Street, Partick given service number 500 effective from 09 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

CB003079/SB0169 **THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL, OPPOSITE CROMWELL TOWER, CROMWELL ROAD, INVERNESS, INVERNESS -SHIRE, IV1 1SX**
Service Number 107 (107A) operating between Inverness , Bridge Street and Lochardil Woods (Shakes & Cakes). Effective date Thursday 22 October 2026

CB002425/SB0185 **THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL, OPPOSITE CROMWELL TOWER, CROWELL ROAD, INVERNESS, INVERNESS-SHIRE, IV1 1SX**
Service Number 48 operating between Kilmorach, Church and Slackbuie, Asda. Effective date Friday 13 November 2026

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

PM0001560/47 **SHUTTLE BUSES LTD, CALEDONIA HOUSE, LONGFORD AVENUE, KILWINNING, KA13 6EX**
Operating between Kilwinning Pollock Crescent and Maybole Town Hall given service number 363 effective from 01 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0001560/46 **SHUTTLE BUSES LTD, CALEDONIA HOUSE, LONGFORD AVENUE, KILWINNING, KA13 6EX**
Operating between Maybole Town Hall and Colmonell Main Street given service number 363 effective from 01 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM1146115/3 **KEVIN'S COACHES LTD, 57 BLAKER ROAD, NEWMAINS, ML2 9FG**
Operating between North Motherwell and North Motherwell given service number 6 effective from 19 October 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0000005/816 **BLUEBIRD BUSES LIMITED, STAGECOACH NORTH SCOTLAND, UNION SQUARE BUS STATION, GUILD STREET, ABERDEEN, AB1 16NA**
Operating between Kirkwall (Travel Centre) and Kirkwall (Travel Centre) given service number 2 effective from 26 October 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0000002/696 **LOTHIAN BUSES LIMITED, 55 ANNANDALE STREET, EDINBURGH, EH7 4AZ**
Operating between Edinburgh (Regent Road) and Livingston Bus Terminal given service number X19 effective from 25 October 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0002859/10 **COMHAIRLE NAN EILEAN SIAR, COUNCIL OFFICES, SANDWICK ROAD, STORNOWAY, ISLE OF LEWIS, HS1 2BW**
Operating between Stornoway Bus Station and Stornoway Bus Station given service number W7 effective from 22 October 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0002859/8 **COMHAIRLE NAN EILEAN SIAR, COUNCIL OFFICES, SANDWICK ROAD, STORNOWAY, ISLE OF LEWIS, HS1 2BW**
Operating between Stornoway and New Tolsta given service number W5a effective from 22 October 2026. To amend Route and Timetable.

PM2016873/9 **R ROBERTSON & SON LTD, 18 - 20, ALEXANDRA BUILDING, ESPLANADE, LERWICK, SHETLAND, ZE1 0LL**
Operating between Toft and Viking Bus Station given service number 23D effective from 23 September 2026. To amend Route.

PM0000004/1052 **FIFE SCOTTISH OMNIBUSES LTD, UNIT 9, CASTLE BUSINESS CENTRE, QUEENSFERRY ROAD, PITREAVIE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, DUNFERMLINE, KY11 8NT**
Operating between Tayport, Quarry Road and Greyfriars Primary School given service number GF1 effective from 02 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

PM0000008/566 **WESTERN BUSES LIMITED, SANDGATE, AYR, KA7 1DD**
Operating between Glasgow Buchanan Bus Station and Dalry given service number X36 effective from 01 November 2026. To amend Timetable.

Section 3.5 – Cancellations of Existing Services

PM1036390/34 **LOCH LOMOND BUS SERVICES LTD., 99 EARNHILL ROAD, LARKFIELD INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, GREENOCK, PA16 0EQ**
Operating between Glasgow Buchanan Bus Station and Edinburgh Bus Station given service number UK090 effective from 22 November 2026.

Section 3.6 – Cancellations of Existing Services Granted Under Short Notice

PM0000610/4 **GALSON STORNOWAY MOTOR SERVICES LTD, 1 LOWER BARVAS, BARVAS, LOWER BARVAS, ISLE OF LEWIS, HS2 0QZ**
Operating between Carloway Bridge and Barvas Juction given service number w2 effective from 14 October 2026.

PM1063416/6 **M MACIVER (MINIBUSES) LIMITED, GORDALE KNOCK, CARLOWAY, ISLE OF LEWIS, HS2 9AU**
Operating between Croir and Stornoway Bus Station given service number W2 / W3 effective from 14 October 2026.

PM0000610/11 **GALSON STORNOWAY MOTOR SERVICES LTD, 1 LOWER BARVAS, BARVAS, LOWER BARVAS, ISLE OF LEWIS, HS2 0QZ**
Operating between Carloway Bridge and Barvas Junction given service number W2 effective from 14 October 2026.

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Section 4 – Traffic Regulation Conditions

Section 4.1 – Requests

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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.

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 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: 483282, Public Inquiry ID: 107721) for MARIUS HATEGAN to be held at Jubilee House (Bristol), BS5 0GB, Croydon Street, Bristol,
on 9 December 2026 commencing at 10:30
Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 483803, Public Inquiry ID: 107878) for STEPHEN PAUL MCKINLAY to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh,
on 9 December 2026 commencing at 10:00
Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 483804, Public Inquiry ID: 107879) for GRAHAM LAVERTY to be held at Level 6 (Edinburgh), EH1 3EG, The Stamp Office, 10 Waterloo Place, Edinburgh,
on 9 December 2026 commencing at 10:00
Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 481270, Public Inquiry ID: 107832) for ANA-ALEXANDRA STANCULESCU-RISTEA to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,
on 26 November 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2610))
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: 482128, Public Inquiry ID: 107613) for SANTINA CHAMBERS to be held at The Court Room (Cambridge), CB2 8BF, Eastern Traffic Area, Eastbrook, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge,
on 15 October 2026 commencing at 10:00
Sch. 3 - Transport Manager Santina Chambers has lost her repute for an indefinite period with effect from 23:45 PM on 15/10/2026

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 480260, Public Inquiry ID: 106825) for Mr MATTHEW ANTHONY BURWOOD to be held at The IBIS Styles Hotel Haydock, 4 Galway Crescent, Piele Road, Haydock St Helens WA11 0GR,
on 2 July 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2603))
Sch.3 - Consideration of Transport Managers Repute under Schedule 3

1. Mr. Burwood has LOST HIS GOOD REPUTE as a Transport Manager. Mr. Burwood is DISQUALIFIED FROM ACTING AS A TRANSPORT MANAGER on any licence in Great Britain for a period of 12 MONTHS, effective from 02.07.26, at 23:45 until 02.07.27, at 23:45;

2. The REHABILITATION MEASURE for Mr. Burwood is as follows: To apply to the Traffic Commissioner for the restoration of his good repute as a TM, Mr. Burwood needs to spend at least 50 hours learning about being a TM from an experienced TM. That TM should be shown this letter. To fulfil the rehabilitation measure, the TM he has spent time with should produce a letter, on headed paper, setting out:
a. Full details of Mr. Burwood's work with them and what Mr. Burwood did or learned about when he was with them on each occasion;
b. The TM should confirm that they saw this letter before they started working with Mr. Burwood.
Without the above detail or confirmation, the rehabilitation measure will not be regarded as having been fulfilled.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 482066, Public Inquiry ID: 107378) for Mr JOSHUA KEEPINGS to be held at 3 Llys Cadwyn, CF37 4TH, Pontypridd,
on 19 October 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2608))
Sch.3 - Formal warning issued.

TM Public Inquiry (Case ID: 482067, Public Inquiry ID: 107379) for Mr KENNETH NIGEL KEEPINGS to be held at 3 Llys Cadwyn, CF37 4TH, Pontypridd,
on 19 October 2026 commencing at 10:00 (Previous Publication:(2608))
Sch.3 - Repute is severely tarnished but not lost.

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Section 6 – Corrections

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