

FOI number: **HBC\_FOI\_20200227**  
Date FOI Received: **12/03/2020**  
Department: **Environmental Health**  
Title: **Taxi and private hire licensing policy**  
Description: **Details of the Council taxi and private hire licensing policies including control of fares and tariffs.**

**Request: (As Redacted sent by requestor)**

I am making this request under Freedom of Information.

<REDACTED> Council are currently developing an all encompassing taxi and private hire licensing policy and we wish to seek the following information:

1. In relation to hackney vehicles, could you please confirm if your vehicle conditions state that only the Council's hackney carriage table of fares/tariffs are permitted on the meter?
2. If so, please could you send me a copy of the condition(s).
3. If you don't have a condition on the vehicle licence, do have any policy or similar on this matter?

**Response: (Response as Redacted sent by service)**

Please find below the Council's policy in regard to the private hire and hackney carriages.

Please turn to page '123' in regard to her question about hackney carriage vehicles.

<https://www.hertsmere.gov.uk/Documents/02-Business/Licensing/Private-hire--Hackney-Carriage-Licensing/Hackney-Carriage-and-Private-Hire-Licensing-Policy-2017-2022.pdf>

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Thank you for your request.

Kind regards

Information Services