

Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 000191
Date 2 June 2016

Transport

Request:

The operation of transport using a motor vehicle on a road with a gross vehicle mass (weight) of over 3,500 Kg (3.5 tons) that has a 'hire and reward' element requires that the work is carried out under the authority granted by an 'Operators Licence'. This also applies to contracted out services where the legal undertaking of the Council is done under a contract.

Please answer for both 'Goods' and 'Passenger' operations

1) Who is the Transport Manager(s) for any Non Council and Council service (including contracted out services) ?

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2) Please list the operator's licence number(s)

3) Please define the number of vehicles authorised as listed on the Operator's Licence(s)

4) Please define the type(s) of operations i.e. Refuse Collections that are carried out under the Operator's licence(s) listed above

One of the Legal Undertakings made by the Transport Manager to the Traffic Commissioner relates to vehicle maintenance.

5) Please list for each Operator's licence;

a) The maintenance inspection interval as notified on the application for the Operator's Licence

b) Where is the maintenance conducted? i.e. in-house workshop

The Vehicle Operators Standards Agency (VOSA) uses the Operator Compliance Risk Score (OCRS) to monitor Operator's compliance for both Roadworthiness and Traffic Enforcement.

6) Please list both elements of the OCRS score, for each Operators Licence as of the date this FOI is received.

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7) For each Operator's licence, define the 'First Time' pass rate, and the 'Final Pass Rate' as provided by VOSA for vehicles presented for class 6 annual tests, as of the month preceding this FOI request.

8) For each Operator's licence please list which VOSA testing station / Authorised Test Facility (ATF) the class 6 vehicles are presented to.

In response to questions 2 to 8 above, City of Wolverhampton Council only have a Restricted Goods Vehicles Operators Licence for own account activities only. The Council does have a PSV Licence that allows for hire and reward operations but none are undertaken. After reading your first paragraph it appears you are seeking information relating to hire and reward operations of PSV vehicles and goods vehicles over 3500 tonnes gross vehicle mass, therefore because none are undertaken the answers to these questions are non-applicable.

9) Please list for each transport manager a contact number and email address.

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