

Response to Request for Information

Reference FOI 001568
Date 11 October 2017

Operator and Vehicle Owner

Request:

Could you please disclose the operator and vehicle owner of private hire licence number

PH3373 HV60 LSC

The operator is 652's Private Hire Ltd.

With reference to information relating to the vehicle owner, I can confirm that the department holds the information that you have asked for but, in this instance, we will not be providing it to you as it is exempt from disclosure.

We are not obliged, under section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act, to provide information that is the personal information of another person if releasing would contravene any of the provisions in the Data Protection Act 1998 (DPA). In this instance we believe that the release of this information would contravene the first data protection principle, and therefore section 40 (2) is engaged.

The terms of this exemption in the Freedom of Information Act mean that we do not have to consider if it would be in the public interest for you to have the information.

You can find out more about Section 40(2) by reading the extract from the Act and some guidance points we consider when applying the exemption on the Information Commissioner's website:

<https://ico.org.uk>