

Licensing Fee Review for 2017/2018 – Recommended changes

	Current Fee 2016/17	Proposed Fee 2017/18	Notes								
Driver licences											
Probationary Badge – Private Hire	40.00	45.00	A six month licence where the applicant has to work for one Operator								
Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Licence (3 years)	183.00	185.00	Applicants pay an additional fee of £44 for DBS check								
Dual Hackney Carriage/Private Hire Licence (3 years)	208.00	210.00	Applicants pay an additional fee of £44 for DBS check								
Additional DVLA check if required/original returned	6.00	6.00	£5 charged by DVLA – postage and admin								
Vehicle licences											
Hackney Carriage – (1 year) – New licence *	225.00	230.00	Plate holders not included in pricing (sold separately as required)								
Hackney Carriage – (1 year) – Renewal **	205.00	210.00									
Private Hire –(1 year) – New licence **	215.00	220.00									
Private Hire –(1 year) – Renewal **	205.00	210.00									
Private Hire – (6 months) New Licence for Probationary Drivers	107.50	110.00									
* Includes cost of plates and door insignia											
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Operator licences											
5 Year Licence – per vehicle	80	80	Deregulation Act changed duration to 5 years								
Transfer of vehicle licence											
Cost of renewal for a 1 year vehicle licence– months left on current plate -											
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
17	25	51	67	84	101	118	136	152	169	185	205

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Change of Ownership – same licensed vehicle	20	25	
Plate exemption certificate	42	42	
Insurance plates			
Hackney Carriage Vehicle (first month)	61	62	
Hackney Carriage Vehicle (for each additional month)	20	21	
Private Hire Vehicle (first month)	47	48	
Private Hire Vehicle (for each additional month)	17	18	
Administration charges			
General	40	40	
Transfer of vehicle - HCV to PHV or PHV to HCV	20	20	
Change of name and address / replacement paper or card licences	10.50	10.50	
Plates – (subject to manufacturer prices)			
Long External Licence Plate and holder	24.00	24.00	
Long External Licence Plate only	7.00	7.00	
Long External Licence Plate holder only	17.00	17.00	
Square External Licence Plate and holder	22.00	22.00	
Square External Licence Plate only	7.00	7.00	
Square External Licence Plate holder only	15.00	15.00	
Internal Plate and Holder	5.00	5.00	
Internal Plate only	2.50	2.50	
Internal Plate Holder only	2.50	2.50	
Door Insignia (per pair)	8.50	8.50	
Knowledge Test			
Attempting knowledge test	35	40	Reviewed admin

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Attempting knowledge test again after first failure	35	40	costs involved in test
Pleasure Boats and Boatmen			
Pleasure boats – 1 year (multi-seated)	165	165	
Pleasure boats – 1 year (other)	32	32	
Boatmen – 1 year	32	32	
Scrap Metal Dealers			
Scrap Metal – Mobile Collectors Licence (new and renewal)	275	280	
Scrap Metal –Site Licence	355	360	
Scrap Metal – Renewal of Site Licence	335	340	
Animal welfare licences			
Animal welfare/boarding	270	270	
Home Boarding licence	150	150	
Home Boarding licence renewal	50	50	
Breeding and sale of dogs	205	205	
Pet shop	260	260	
Riding establishments	350	350	
Dangerous wild animals	790	790	
Zoo	745	745	
Street trading consents - Tonbridge street Trading Control Area:			
Fixed pitch – annual consent	1255	1255	Street trading review across the Borough in 2017
Fixed pitch – occasional consent	325	325	
Other - annual consent	1150	1150	
Other - occasional consent	60	60	
Sex Establishments			
Sex Establishments: sex shop or sex cinema	2000	2000	

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Acupuncture, tattooing, ear piercing and electrolysis			
Acupuncture, tattooing, ear piercing and electrolysis (one registration only required)	170	170	
Additional practitioners at same premises	50	50	
Hypnotism licence			
Hypnotism licence	25	30	