

LICENCE CONDITIONS

Passenger Transport Act 1994 ('the Act') *Passenger Transport Regulations 2009 ('the Regulations')*

Conditions for Special Taxi Licences

I, Corey Wingard, Minister for Infrastructure and Transport, pursuant to section 45(5) and (6) of the Act, hereby make Special Taxi Licences subject to the conditions contained in this instrument as below, in addition to those conditions set out in, or otherwise imposed in accordance with, the Act and Regulations.

Definitions

1. "**Access Taxi**" means a passenger transport vehicle licensed under section 45 of the Act and regulation 30(1)(c) of the Regulations to carry persons who use wheelchairs, scooters, or other large (ride-on) mobility aids.
2. "**Access Taxi Services**" means the provision of a taxi service to persons who use wheelchairs, scooters, or other large (ride-on) mobility aids.
3. "**CBS**" means the centralised booking service contracted by the Minister and accredited under the Act to co-ordinate and allocate or assign bookings for Access Taxis.
4. "**Computerised Telecommunications System**" means the computerised telecommunications system operated by CBS for the purposes of connecting the Access Taxi and the central control station for the CBS and which is a computerised telecommunications system for the purposes of the Regulations.
5. "**Licence**" means a Special Taxi Licence issued under section 47(5) of the Act and regulation 30(3) of the Regulations.
6. "**Licensee**" means the holder of a Licence.
7. "**Operator**" means a person/s who is/are accredited under section 27 of the Act, who is/are operating an Access Taxi that is subject to the Licensee's Licence.
8. "**Other Taxi Services**" means taxi services which are not Access Taxi Services.
9. "**Out of Zone**" means Taxi Services which commence and conclude outside of Metropolitan Adelaide (Area A).
10. "**Taxi Services**" means Access Taxi Services and Other Taxi Services.
11. Unless otherwise specified in these Conditions, a term defined in the Act or Regulations will have the same meaning in these Conditions.

Conditions regarding the Operation of the Licence

12. Subject to clause to clause 13, the Licensee must ensure that the Licence granted is at all times attached to an Access Taxi vehicle which is:
 - 12.1. capable of and equipped to allow access to, and to carry, at least one person using a wheelchair, scooter or other large (ride-on) mobility aid within its allocated passenger space; and
 - 12.2. equipped with a Computerised Telecommunications System.

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13. The Licensee must ensure that:
 - 13.1. within 28 days of the date of issue of the Licence, a vehicle that is capable of and equipped to allow access to, and to carry, at least one person using a wheelchair, scooter or other large (ride-on) mobility aid within its allocated passenger space is attached to the Licence;
 - 13.2. where the Access Taxi attached to the Licensee's Licence is being repaired or modified or is otherwise unable to perform Access Taxi Services, the total period of time which the Access Taxi is not able to provide Access Taxi Services must not exceed 28 days;
 - 13.3. where the Access Taxi attached to the Licensee's Licence is being replaced by a different vehicle, the new vehicle is attached to the Licence and providing Access Taxi Services within 28 days of the date on which the previous vehicle ceased providing Access Taxi Services,unless the timeframe is extended by the Minister in its sole discretion upon written application by the holder of the Licence.
14. These Conditions apply to the holder of this Licence regardless of whether the holder of this Licence is the Operator of the Access Taxi to which this Licence is subject, or whether the holder of the Licence has engaged a third party Operator to operate the Access Taxi to which this Licence is subject.
15. The Access Taxi which is subject to this Licence must not undertake Taxi Services which are Out of Zone except when directed or otherwise approved by the CBS.
16. The Licensee of an Access Taxi must ensure that the Operator complies with the conditions of accreditation for Operators as in force from time to time.
17. Any action of the Minister under these conditions may be undertaken by the Minister or a person duly authorised by the Minister in that regard.

These Conditions:

18. take effect from 22 February 2022 and will remain in force until revoked;
19. revoke the conditions entitled "Taxi Licences with Special Conditions (Wheelchair Accessible Taxis)", a copy of which is annexed to these Conditions at Annexure A; and
20. do not derogate from any requirement within the Act or the Regulations including but not limited to any licence conditions imposed pursuant to the Act or the Regulations which continue to apply.

Dated 15 February 2022