

HAMBLETON DISTRICT COUNCIL

Report To: Licensing and Appeals Hearings Panel
26 September 2018

From: Director of Law and Governance

Subject: **APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A HACKNEY CARRIAGE VEHICLE LICENCE - MR JAMES ARMSTRONG – HC87**

1.0 SUMMARY

1.1 Members are asked to consider whether or not to grant an application for the renewal of a hackney carriage vehicle licence.

2.0 PROCEDURE

2.1 The procedure for licensing hearings is attached as an Annex to the Agenda.

3.0 LICENCE STATUS

3.1 Since 18th November 2015, Mr James Armstrong has held a hackney carriage vehicle licence (plate number HC87) in respect of a Mercedes E270 CDI, vehicle registration mark H13 AYP. The licence is due to expire on 31st October 2018.

3.2 On 1st September 2018, The council's Licensing and Appeals Hearings Panel resolved to renew the licence in respect of Mr Armstrong's vehicle having concluded that, in spite of the vehicle's age, the mechanical condition of the vehicle, the quality of the vehicle and its exceptional appearance, along with the comparatively low mileage, would adequately promote the Council's policy objectives in relation to standards, reliability and safety of licensed vehicles. The record of the decision is attached at **Annex A**.

3.3 On 6th August 2018, James Armstrong applied to renew the hackney carriage vehicle licence pertaining to the vehicle. A copy of the application form is attached at **Annex B**.

3.4 According to the registration document, attached at **Annex C**, the vehicle in question was first registered on 6th August 2004 (14 years ago).

3.5 All applicants are required to produce the following documents before a licence will be renewed:

- a current MOT Certificate;
- proof that the licensing authority's testing arrangements have been satisfied (i.e. a test paper completed and signed by a Hambleton-based VOSA-accredited testing station); and
- a current vehicle insurance certificate or cover note which includes the carriage of passengers for private hire;

3.6 The applicant has produced the requisite documents listed in 3.3 and copies are attached at **Annexes D, E and F**. The documents have been accepted and validated by licensing officers.

3.7 The applicant also submitted a letter to the Licensing Team to support his application and to provide reasons for the council to grant the licence on the basis of the individual circumstances of his case. The letter is attached at **Annex G**.

3.8 The MOT history of the vehicle has been taken from the GOV.UK website and is attached at **Annex H**.

- 3.9 The most recent vehicle test paper shows that, on 3rd August 2018, the recorded mileage was 106,365 miles.
- 3.10 On 27th July 2017, Mr Armstrong also provided a record of the service history for the vehicle in question. The record is attached at **Annex I**.

4.0 POLICY CONSIDERATIONS

- 4.1 In carrying out its licensing functions, the Panel should have regard to the council's Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing Policy.
- 4.2 In accordance with paragraph 2.2.1 of the policy, the council will generally only grant a licence in respect of a hackney carriage vehicle if it is less than 10 years old at the time of the application. For these purposes, the age of the vehicle shall be taken from the date of first registration. The vehicle in question surpassed this general age limit in August 2014.
- 4.3 The Licensing Committee approved the adoption of an age policy on 11th February 2016 having satisfied itself that it was appropriate to promote public safety, reliability and improved high standards of hackney carriage and private hire services in the district.
- 4.4 The council's policy can (and is generally likely to) affect the outcome of the decision in most cases and this is entirely lawful. The policy is a means of securing a consistent approach to individual cases.
- 4.5 Each case must be considered in the light of the policy but not so that the policy automatically determines the outcome¹.
- 4.6 According to the minutes of the meeting on 11th February 2016, the Licensing Committee acknowledged that the policy allowed exceptions to the general rule by placing a requirement on the licensing authority to consider each application on its individual merits and to depart from the general policy where the specific circumstances of a case justify making an exception.
- 4.7 The onus is on the applicant to demonstrate that any such exception should be made².

5.0 DETERMINATION BY THE PANEL

- 5.1 Members are advised to take one of the following steps:
- 5.1.1 The Panel may conclude that the specific circumstances of the applicant's individual case justify making an exception from the general policy, in which case, the Panel may grant the application; or
- 5.1.2 The Panel may refuse to renew the licence on the grounds of any reasonable cause.

GARY NELSON
DIRECTOR OF LAW AND GOVERNANCE (MONITORING OFFICER)

Background papers: Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing Policy
Procedure for Licensing Hearings

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¹ R v Hampshire County Council, ex p W [1994] ELR 460

² R v Crown Court at Sheffield, ex p Consterdine (1998) [2002] L.L.R. 712

Minutes of the meeting of the LICENSING AND
APPEALS HEARINGS PANEL held at 9.30 am
on Friday, 1st September, 2017 at Main
Committee Room, Civic Centre, Stone Cross,
Northallerton

Present

Councillor M A Barningham (in the Chair)

Councillor P Bardon

Councillor K G Hardisty

LAHP.8 **APPLICATION FOR THE RENEWAL OF A HACKNEY CARRIAGE VEHICLE
LICENCE - MR JAMES ARMSTRONG - HC87**

All Wards

The subject of the decision:

The Director of Law and Governance asked the Panel to consider whether to grant or refuse an application for the renewal of a hackney carriage vehicle licence.

Alternative options considered:

The Panel considered refusing the application but concluded that the specific circumstances of the case were sufficient to justify departing from the Council's Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing Policy.

The reason for the decision:

The Panel considered the officer's report, the applicant's representations, the Council's Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing Policy and the relevant legislation.

The Panel noted that the vehicle in question satisfied the mechanical standards set out in the Council's policy. However, the vehicle reached the general ten year age limit (as prescribed by the policy) in August 2014. The Panel noted that the age limit was adopted in order to promote public safety, reliability and improved high standards of hackney carriage and private hire services in the district.

The applicant informed the Panel that his vehicle was a luxury brand, was exceptionally well maintained and that the recorded mileage on the vehicle was comparatively low. The applicant invited the Panel to consider the exceptional circumstances of his case on the basis of the vehicle's quality, appearance and condition.

The Panel considered the vehicle's MOT history and full service history. The Panel acknowledged that, since the applicant took ownership of the vehicle, all MOT tests had been passed with no advisory notice items recorded and regular services had been carried out. The Panel was therefore satisfied that the mechanical condition of the vehicle was maintained to a high standard.

The Panel inspected the vehicle and was impressed by its exceptional appearance. The Panel was therefore satisfied that the appearance of the vehicle and the level of comfort provided to passengers would surpass the expectations of the travelling public.

In conclusion, the Panel was satisfied that the mechanical condition of the vehicle, the quality of the vehicle and its exceptional appearance, along with the comparatively low mileage, would adequately promote the Council's policy objectives in relation to standards, reliability and safety of licensed vehicles.

THE DECISION:

Taking account of the above and having given appropriate weight to the evidence, the Panel was satisfied that the application could be granted without having a detrimental impact on the policy objectives. Therefore, the Panel decided to grant the application.

The meeting closed at 10.15 am

Chairman of the Panel

HAMBLETON**DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Application to Renew a Hackney Carriage Vehicle Licence

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976
Town Police Clauses Act 1847

SECTION 1 - LICENCE DETAILS

1	Licence Number	87
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SECTION 2 - VEHICLE DETAILS

2	Registration number	H13 AYP
3	Make and Model	MercedesE270 CDI
4	Colour	Black
5	Engine number	622796130113240
6	Chassis number	WDB 211062A 593 664
7	Date of first registration	06-08-2004

Please note that vehicles over the age of 10 years will not generally be licensed. Any applications in respect of such vehicles should be accompanied by some supporting documentation to demonstrate that the specific circumstances of the case would warrant a departure from the Council's policy.

8	Number of passengers (excluding driver seat)	4
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9	Are the seating arrangements kept in accordance with the manufacturer's original specification?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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If not, it may be subject to testing under the Individual Vehicle Approval (IVA) scheme.

10	Is this vehicle wheelchair accessible (i.e. adapted or designed to carry at least one wheelchair user whilst in their wheelchair)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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SECTION 3 - PROPRIETOR DETAILS

11	Proprietor Status	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single individual (Please complete Part A) <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple individuals (Please complete Parts A and B) <input type="checkbox"/> Company (Please complete Part C)
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PART A - FIRST INDIVIDUAL PROPRIETOR

12	Name	JAMES ARMSTRONG
13	Address	5 HOWE HILL CLOSE YAFTORTA
14	Date of birth	1-6-1943
15	Telephone Number	01609 774703 MOBILE 01702219430
16	Email Address	NITE TIME TAXIS @ HOTMAIL . COM
17	Are you the sole proprietor of the vehicle?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

18	Have you been convicted or cautioned for any motoring or criminal offence since your last application? If yes, please provide details below. Use a separate sheet if necessary.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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	Date	Offence	Court	Sentence
i				
ii				
iii				

PART B - SECOND INDIVIDUAL PROPRIETOR

19	Name	
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20	Address	
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21	Date of birth	
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22	Telephone/email	
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23	Have you been convicted or cautioned for any motoring or criminal offence since your last application? If yes, please provide details below. Use a separate sheet if necessary.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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	Date	Offence	Court	Sentence
i				
ii				
iii				

PART C - COMPANY PROPRIETOR

24	Registered Name	NITE TIME TAXIS
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25	Registered Address	5 HOWE HILL CLOSE YAFFORTH PLTONT
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26	Company Reg Number	
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27	Contact Name	NITE TIME TAXIS
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28	Telephone/email	01609 7716703 NITE TIME TAXIS@hotmail.com
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29	Are you the sole proprietor of the vehicle?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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* If no, any other proprietor(s) must complete Part A and/or Part B and/or a separate sheet (in the case of multiple company proprietors).

30	Has the company secretary, any director or any other officer of the company been convicted or cautioned for any motoring or criminal offence since your last application? If yes, please provide details below. Use a separate sheet if necessary.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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	Date	Offence	Court	Sentence
i				
ii				
iii				

SECTION 4 – DECLARATION AND SIGNATURE

To be completed by all persons named on the application form. In the case of a company proprietor, the form should be signed by an authorised officer of the company.

31 It is a criminal offence to make a false statutory declaration in connection with an application.

- I hereby declare that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge.
- I hereby declare that I intend to use the vehicle (either entirely or predominantly) to ply for hire within the district of Hambleton.

32	Signature	
33	Name (please print)	JAMES ARMSTRONG
34	Date of signature	6-8-2018
35	Signature	
36	Name (please print)	
37	Date of signature	

Please call the Licensing Section on 01609 767079/767017 to arrange an appointment if you wish to return this form in person.

This authority is under a duty to protect the public funds it administers, and to this end, may use the information you have provided on this form for the prevention and detection of fraud. It may also share this information with other bodies responsible for auditing and administering public funds for these purposes.

Office Use Only

S509HACKVEH / 093VEH : £305.00

Temporary or Official Receipt No:

LFtx.5

4. Vehicle details

A Registration number **H13 AYP** 2 [A.1] Validation character **X** 3

B Date of first registration **06 08 2004**
 [B.1] Date of first registration in the UK **06 08 2004**

D.1 Make **MERCEDES**
 D.2 Type

Variant **U016F0**
 Version **SFAAA500**

D.3 Model **E270 CDI AVANTGARDE AUTO**
 D.5 Body type **4 DOOR SALOON**
 [X] Taxation class **DIESEL CAR**
 [D.6] Suspension Type

[Y] Revenue weight **2200 KG GROSS**
 P.1 Cylinder capacity (cc) **2685 CC**
 V.7 CO₂ (g/km) **180 G/KM**
 P.3 Type of fuel **HEAVY OIL**
 S.1 Number of seats, including driver **5**
 S.2 Number of standing places (where appropriate)

[D.4] Wheelplan **2-AXLE-RIGID BODY**
 J Vehicle category **M1**
 K Type approval number **e1*98/14*0183*00 ***

P.2 Max. net power (kW)
 E VIN/Chassis/Frame No. **WDB2110162A593664**
 P.5 Engine number **64796130113240**
 F.1 Max. permissible mass (exc. m/c)
 G Mass in service **1695**
 Q Power/Weight ratio (kW/kg) (only for motorcycles)
 R Colour **BLACK**

O **Technical permissible maximum towable mass of the trailer:**
 O.1 braked (kg)
 O.2 unbraked (kg)

U **Sound level:**
 U.1 stationary (dB(A))
 U.2 engine speed (min-1)
 U.3 drive-by (dB(A))

V **Exhaust Emissions:**
 V.1 CO (g/km or g/kWh) **0.147**
 V.2 HC (g/km or g/kWh) **0.024**
 V.3 NO_x (g/km or g/kWh) **0.375**
 V.4 HC+NO_x (g/km) **0.399**
 V.5 particulates (g/km or g/kWh) **0.038**

5. Registered keeper

If any details are wrong enter the correct details in section 6, sign section 8, and return to DVLA

C.4.c - This document is not proof of ownership.

C.1.2 **JAMES**
 C.1.1 **ARMSTRONG**
 C.1.3 **5 HOWE HILL CLOSE**
YAFFORTH
NORTHALLERTON
DL7 0NT

I **ACQUIRED VEHICLE ON 14 11 2015**
 Please write in **black ink and CAPITAL LETTERS.**

6. New keeper or new name/new address details

Please see section 12

Mr 1 Mrs 2 Miss 3 Please tick the appropriate box **W** 4

Title (for example, Ms, Rev and so on) or business name:
 First names:
 Surname:

For company use only DVLA/DVA Fleet number 7
 Date of birth (not required by law) 8 Postcode: 9
 Please help us to help you by giving your postcode.

House No:
 Address:
 Post town:

New keeper? **K** 12 **Date of sale or transfer:** 13
 If so tick this box:
 Driving licence number of the new keeper (not required by law)
 Present mileage (not required by law) 15
R 16 **S** 17

7. Changes to current vehicle

Only enter corrected or altered details

H 18

Wheelplan / Body type 20
 VIN / Chassis / Frame Number 21
 New revenue weight 22 Date of change 23 Cylinder capacity (cc) 24
 No. of seats inc. driver 25 No. of standing places 26 Type of fuel 27
 Engine number 28
 New colour 29 Date of change 30 CLR 31
 Tax class* **Y** 31 32
 The tax class shown in section 4 can only be changed when taxing. Please apply at your nearest Post Office.

8 Declaration - You MUST sign, date and return this page to DVLA, Swansea, SA99 1BA when you notify any changes.

Registered keeper: I declare that the new details I have given are correct to the best of my knowledge.
 Signature: _____ Date: _____

New keeper: I declare that this vehicle was sold or transferred to me on the date shown in section 6 and my name and address are correctly shown.
 Signature: _____ Date: _____

Law: If the vehicle is sold or transferred, both the registered keeper and the new keeper must sign this Certificate.

Official use only - Please do not write below this line.

V5C-0116

Doc. Ref. N° 6319 920 4504 15 11 16
 Des. Codes 1349327120 / 003288 22

H13 AYP



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Driver & Vehicle
Standards
Agency

MOT Test Certificate

MOT Test Number 655811578356	Vehicle Registration Mark H13AYP	Vehicle Identification Number WDB2110162A593664
Make MERCEDES	Model E 270	Colour Black
Issuer's Name R. GOULDTHORPE	Test Class 4	Country of Registration Great Britain
Expiry Date 15 November 2018 (EIGHTEEN)	Issued 15 Nov 2017	Test Station V100133

Odometer Reading and History

15 11 2017: 88925 mi
24 10 2016: 58157 mi
16 11 2015: 28926 mi
18 8 2015: 28603 mi

Inspection Authority

THOMPSON OF NORTHALLERTON
OAK TREE GARAGE
DARLINGTON ROAD
NORTHALLERTON
DL6 2PA 01609 779213

Additional Information

To preserve the anniversary of the expiry date, the earliest you can present your vehicle for test is 16 October 2018.

Signature of Issuer

Advisory Information

About this document

- 1 This document is a receipt style certificate telling you that an MOT Test pass result has been recorded in the Driver & Vehicle Standards Agency's (DVSA's) database of MOT Test results; this can be verified at www.gov.uk/check-mot-status.
 - 2 A test certificate relates only to the condition of the components examined at the time of test. It does not confirm the vehicle will remain roadworthy throughout the validity period of the certificate.
 - 3 Check carefully that the details are correct.
 - 4 Whilst advisory items listed above do not constitute MOT failure items, they are drawn to your attention for advice.
 - 5 For further information about this document, please visit www.gov.uk/getting-an-mot or contact DVSA on 0300 123 9000*.
- *Your call may be monitored or recorded for lawful purposes.



Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Inspection Form

Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976

IMPORTANT: Read Standards of Inspection Overleaf

Chassis No: WDB2110162A593664	Inspection Form Reference:		Class of Inspection: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hackney Carriage <input type="checkbox"/> Private Hire
Vehicle Registration: H13A7P	Make and Model: MERCEDES E CLASS	Year of Manufacture: 2004	
Plate No: 87	Mileage: 106365	Colour: BLACK	

All Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles must be maintained to no less than the standards set out in the VOSA publication 'MOT Inspection Manual – Private Passenger and Light Commercial Vehicle Testing', ISBN 978-0-9549352-5-2.

Failure to meet such standards would constitute an automatic fail of the Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles Inspection.

In addition, the inspection should be failed if any of the reasons overleaf apply.

Item Tested	Pass (✓)	Fail (x)	Reasons for Failure (see overleaf for guidance)
MOT			
MOT requirements	✓		
Lighting Equipment			
Front and rear lamps	✓		
Headlamps	✓		
Stop lamps	✓		
Rear reflectors	✓		
Direction indicators	✓		
Steering and suspension			
Steering control	✓		
Steering mechanism/system	✓		
Power steering	✓		
Transmission	✓		
Wheel bearings	✓		
Front suspension	✓		
Rear suspension	✓		
Shock absorbers	✓		
Brakes			
Controls/ABS warning system	✓		
Condition of service brake system	✓		
Condition of parking brake system	✓		
Service brake performance	✓		
Parking brake performance	✓		
Tyres and wheels			
Tyre type	✓		
Tyre condition (including spare)	✓		
Road wheels	✓		
Seat belts			
Mountings	✓		
Conditions	✓		
General			
Driver's view of the road, mirrors	✓		
Horn	✓		
Exhaust system	✓		
Fuel system	✓		
Exhaust emissions	✓		
Body interior	✓		
Luggage space	✓		
Fire extinguisher and first aid kit	✓		
Meter – test and seal	✓		
Licence plates/discs (if applicable)	✓		
Roof sign and For Hire sign (HC only)	✓		
Body exterior	✓		
Doors	✓		
Seats	✓		
Electrical wiring and equipment	✓		
Speedo	✓		
Oil and water leaks	✓		
Wheelchair accessible vehicles			
Restraints and seatbelts			
Ramps			
Lifts			

See overleaf...

Standards of Inspection

Lighting Equipment	Reasons for Failure
Front and rear lamps	Lights inoperable or of insufficient intensity. Incorrect bulbs fitted. Lamps not properly aligned. Lamp flickers when tapped lightly by hand.
Headlamps	
Stop lamps	
Rear reflectors	
Direction indicators	
Steering and suspension	Reasons for Failure
Steering control	Inoperable, worn or faulty steering or suspension. Jagged edges on steering wheel rim.
Steering mechanism/system	
Power steering	
Transmission	
Wheel bearings	
Front suspension	
Rear suspension	
Shock absorbers	
Brakes	Reasons for Failure
Controls/ABS warning system	Any of the systems do not operate effectively and/or safely.
Condition of service brake system	
Condition of parking brake system	
Service brake performance	
Parking brake performance	
Tyres and wheels	Reasons for Failure
Tyre type	Damaged, worn, substandard or otherwise illegal tyres. Spare wheel, jack and wheelbrace (or manufacturers' alternative) not provided and secured.
Tyre condition (including spare)	
Road wheels	
Seat belts	Reasons for Failure
Mountings	Damaged, worn or incorrectly operating seatbelts. Insufficient seatbelts.
Conditions	
General	Reasons for Failure
Driver's view of the road, mirrors	Loose, damaged, missing or defective mirrors.
Horn	Defective horn.
Exhaust system	Missing, insecure or inadequate heat shield.
Fuel system	Leaks, excessive wear, damaged or insecure pipes, missing filler cap.
Exhaust emissions	Excessive smoke emission.
Body interior	Excessive corrosion/damage, unsightly appearance, staining, sharp edges.
Body exterior	Excessive corrosion/damage, unsightly appearance, poor repair/paint match, sharp edges.
Luggage space	No separation from passenger seating area.
Fire extinguisher and first aid kit	First aid kit or fire extinguisher is missing, out of date or in a poor/contaminated condition.
Meter – test and seal	Meter not linked to roof sign. Meter not sealed.
Licence plates/discs	Damaged/illegible/insecure plate. Licence plate details do not match registration details.
Roof sign and For Hire sign (HC only)	Insecure sign, inconsistent/insufficient illumination, excessive damage to wiring.
Doors	Defective locks, windows, door lights, damaged/missing door seals.
Seats	Insecure seats or excessive dirt, stains, holes or tears.
Electrical wiring and equipment	Evidence of overheating. Heavily contaminated with oil.
Speedo	Speedometer inoperative or defective.
Oil and water leaks	Evidence of oil or water leaks including sun roof/windows.
Wheelchair accessible vehicles	Reasons for Failure
Restraints and seatbelts	Restraints/seatbelts missing, anchorage insecure, webbing frayed, locking ineffective
Ramps	Inappropriate/insufficient ramps, non-slip provision worn, risk of obstruction or trip hazard.
Lifts	Wiring defects, leaks, insufficient safety barriers, safe working load not displayed.

<p>I hereby certify that the above vehicle has been inspected to the standards above and has/has not* been found to be roadworthy to be used as a hackney carriage/private hire vehicle* at the time of inspection.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">*delete as appropriate</p>		<p>Garage Name and Address: OAKTUBE GARAGE DARLINGTON ROAD NORTHALLERTON DL6 2JH</p> <p>VTS (Vehicle Testing Station) Number: V100133</p> <p>Authorised Examiner Number: A500220</p>
<p>Signed  (Tester/Inspector)</p>		
<p>Name (in capitals) <u>R. J. GOUCOTHORPE</u> Date <u>3/8/18</u></p>		

WARNING: IN MY OPINION, THE VEHICLE IS DANGEROUS TO DRIVE BECAUSE OF THE FOLLOWING DEFECT:

*If the test is failed, please contact the Licensing Team on 01609 767079 or 01609 767017

Certificate of Motor Insurance



Policy number 50023238

1. Description of vehicle(s)

Registration / Chassis mark of vehicle: H13AYP

2. Name of policyholder

Mr James Armstrong

3. Effective date and time of the commencement of insurance for the purpose of the relevant law

12 August 2018 00:01

4. Date of expiry of insurance

11 August 2019

5. Persons or classes of persons entitled to drive

The policyholder only.

Providing that the person driving has a licence to drive the vehicle or has held and is not disqualified from or prohibited by law from holding or obtaining such a licence.

6. Limitations as to use

- A. Use for public & private hire, including the carriage of passengers and goods for hire or reward.
- B. Use for social, domestic and pleasure purposes.

Unless specified under section 6 of this certificate of insurance, this policy does not cover: Use for hiring, the letting on hire, the carriage of passengers and goods for hire or reward, racing, pacemaking, use in any contest, reliability or speed trial or the use for any purpose in connection with the motor trade.

I hereby certify that the policy to which this certificate of insurance relates satisfies the requirements of the relevant law applicable in Great Britain, Northern Ireland, Isle of Man and the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey and Alderney.

For and on behalf of the Underwriter subscribing ERS, 52-54 Leadenhall Street, London, EC3A 2BJ

Authorised Insurer

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Martin Hall'.

Martin Hall
Active Underwriter

Advice to third parties - Nothing contained in this certificate of insurance affects your rights as a third party to make a claim.

Note: For full details of the insurance cover reference should be made to the policy document, which can be obtained from your broker or via our website at www.ers.com

5 HOWE HILL CLOSE
YAFFORTH
NORTHALBERTON
DLT ONT
NITETIME TAXIS
07702219430
6-8-18

Dear Sir

Following my conversation
with MR FISHER, I would like to
apply to renew my Hackney Licence
87 keeping my current vehicle,
which although over the age limit
I feel is well within the Council's
policy for the following reasons,
The vehicle is a prestige car
Mercedes E270 CDI Avantgarde
Auto. (PRIVATE NUMBER PLATE)
I have FULL SERVICE HISTORY,
MOT HISTORY,
Hackney Carriage and Private Hire
INSPECTION FORM (which shows a
Full Pass record) and Smoke test
FORM dated 3/8/18.
CURRENT INSURANCE certificate
I feel therefore that my vehicle
passes all requirements stated on
the Council's policy regarding
Maintenance, reliability and public
Safety and also appearance is
important to me; my vehicle is
always clean inside and out.
The mileage for a Mercedes is



Check MOT history (<https://www.gov.uk/check-mot-history>)

H13AYP

MERCEDES-BENZ E

Colour	Fuel type	Date registered
Black	Diesel	6 August 2004

MOT valid until
15 November 2018

MOT history

Check mileage recorded at test, MOT expiry date, defects and advisories

The MOT test changed on 20 May 2018

Defects are now categorised according to their severity – dangerous, major, and minor.

Date tested	Mileage	MOT test number
15 November 2017	88,925 miles	6558 1157 8356
PASS	Test location	Expiry date
		15 November 2018

Date tested	Mileage	MOT test number
14 November 2017	88,844 miles	8755 0838 3094
FAIL	Test location	
	Reason(s) for failure	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nearside Headlamp aim too low (1.8) • Offside Headlamp aim too low (1.8) • Exhaust emits an excessive level of metered smoke for a turbo charged engine (7.4.B.3b) 	

Date tested	Mileage	MOT test number
24 October 2016	58,157 miles	1428 1188 9059
PASS	Test location	Expiry date

15 November 2017

Date tested
16 November 2015
PASS

Mileage
28,926 miles

Test location

MOT test number
3865 3795 5274

Expiry date
15 November 2016

Date tested
18 August 2015
PASS

Mileage
28,603 miles

Test location

MOT test number
2648 9937 2132

Expiry date
17 August 2016

Date tested
18 August 2015
PASS

Mileage
28,603 miles

Test location

MOT test number
8045 4191 2602

Expiry date
17 August 2016

Date tested
30 June 2014
PASS

Mileage
28,166 miles

Test location

MOT test number
7980 4138 4158

Expiry date
30 June 2015

Date tested
1 July 2013
PASS

Mileage
27,003 miles

Test location

MOT test number
7493 8228 3121

Expiry date
30 June 2014

Date tested
29 June 2013
FAIL

Mileage
27,003 miles

Test location

MOT test number
7260 4018 3117

Reason(s) for failure

- **Nearside Rear Tyre has a cut in excess of the requirements deep enough to reach the ply or cords (4.1.D.1a)**

Date tested
30 June 2012

Mileage
25,624 miles

MOT test number
7853 8208 2108

PASS

Test location

Expiry date

29 June 2013

Date tested

16 June 2011**PASS**

Mileage

24,513 miles

MOT test number

5854 0726 1112

Test location

Expiry date

29 June 2012

Date tested

30 June 2010**PASS**

Mileage

23,087 miles

MOT test number

4609 9118 0163

Test location

Expiry date

29 June 2011

Date tested

29 June 2010**FAIL**

Mileage

23,087 miles

MOT test number

9118 0048 0128

Test location

Reason(s) for failure

- **Nearside Front Tyre tread depth below requirements of 1.6mm (4.1.E.1)**
- **Offside Front Tyre tread depth below requirements of 1.6mm (4.1.E.1)**
- **Offside Rear Tyre tread depth below requirements of 1.6mm (4.1.E.1)**
- **Rear Brake pad(s) less than 1.5 mm thick (3.5.1g)**
Dangerous
- **Nearside Rear brake disc in such a condition that it is seriously weakened (3.5.1i) Dangerous**

Date tested

17 June 2009**PASS**

Mileage

21,190 miles

MOT test number

4516 8816 9138

Test location

Expiry date

16 June 2010

Advisory notice item(s)

- **Front brake disc worn, pitted or scored, but not seriously weakened (3.5.1i)**
- **Rear brake disc worn, pitted or scored, but not seriously weakened (3.5.1i)**
- **Rear Brake pad(s) wearing thin (3.5.1g)**
- **Offside Rear Tyre worn close to the legal limit (4.1.E.1)**
- **Offside Front Tyre worn close to the legal limit (4.1.E.1)**

- **n/s rear brakes slight restriction**

Date tested

7 August 2007**PASS**

Mileage

17,372 miles

Test location

MOT test number

7621 5991 7207

Expiry date

6 August 2008

Outstanding vehicle recallsCheck if MERCEDES-BENZ E H13AYP has outstanding recalls

Service Booklet

Confirmations

Bodywork repairs

oil + filter service

Vehicle identification number

Date **30-10-17**

Odometer reading **87890**

Repair order number **WDB2110762A593664**

including parts not including parts

- Roof
- Bonnet
- Boot lid / tailgate
- Front left / right door
- Rear left / right door
- Front left / right wing
- Rear left / right wing
- Left / right sill
- Left / right A-pillar
- Left / right B-pillar
- Left / right C-pillar
- Underbody
- Fittings

**ANDREW WILLEY
MOTOR MECHANIC
01609 710808
07970984905**

Signature / stamp of Mercedes-Benz

Full service

Vehicle identification number

Date **4-4-18**

Odometer reading **98231**

Repair order number **WDB2110762A593664**

including parts not including parts

- Roof
- Bonnet
- Boot lid / tailgate
- Front left / right door
- Rear left / right door
- Front left / right wing
- Rear left / right wing
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Bodywork repairs

Full service

Vehicle identification number

Date **15-8-18**

Odometer reading **107360**

Repair order number **WDB2110762A593664**

including parts not including parts

- Roof
- Bonnet
- Boot lid / tailgate
- Front left / right door
- Rear left / right door
- Front left / right wing
- Rear left / right wing
- Left / right sill
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Odometer reading

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Roof

Bonnet

Boot lid / tailgate

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