

## Hackney Carriage Livery Petition

### Petition to Remove the RBWM Hackney Carriage Livery

RBWM licenced hackney carriages (taxis) are currently required to be white with a purple bonnet and boot and a large RBWM coat of arms on the side. This livery makes the vehicles instantly identifiable as RBWM licenced vehicles.

The RBWM Licensing Panel of 16 October 2023 agreed that consultation should be conducted with taxi users, taxi drivers and all other interested parties as to possible changes to this livery.

We, the Hackney Carriage drivers of RBWM, petition the Licensing Panel to remove the current RBWM Hackney Carriage Livery. There are several reasons why we believe this should be done:

- Due to the lack of street business, most of the vehicles operate on designated taxi ranks, which already make it clear that the vehicles are taxis.
- The addition of the livery does not offer anything substantial, with respect to both the driver's (no increase in business) and customer's (they either are already using taxi apps on the streets (Uber, Bolt etc. which have become increasingly popular), or use Hackney carriages at the designated taxi ranks).
- Purchasing white vehicles adds roughly an additional £2000 to the purchase of a vehicle, as white vehicles are more difficult to find/acquire.
- Applying the livery to vehicles costs around £1000.
- Other neighbouring boroughs such as Slough, Runnymede, Bracknell Forest, High Wycombe, Beaconsfield, Amersham, do not have a colour/ livery requirement.
- Hackney Carriage vehicles are more susceptible to break ins. The RBWM livery stands out to criminals, who have been increasingly targeting the drivers' homes with their vehicles parked outside.

### Proposal

We propose that the current RBWM Hackney Carriage Livery be removed, with these new guidelines coming into effect:

- Vehicles can be of any colour.
- Vehicle to display magnetic signage (example shown below) for vehicles to still be recognised as RBWM Hackney Carriages. These magnetic signs can be displayed on both front doors of the vehicle.



**TAXI • 838**  
**LICENSED HACKNEY**  
**CARRIAGE**

Proposed Magnetic Signage to be displayed on RBWM Hackney Carriages.

Proposed dimensions are 12cm x 30cm.

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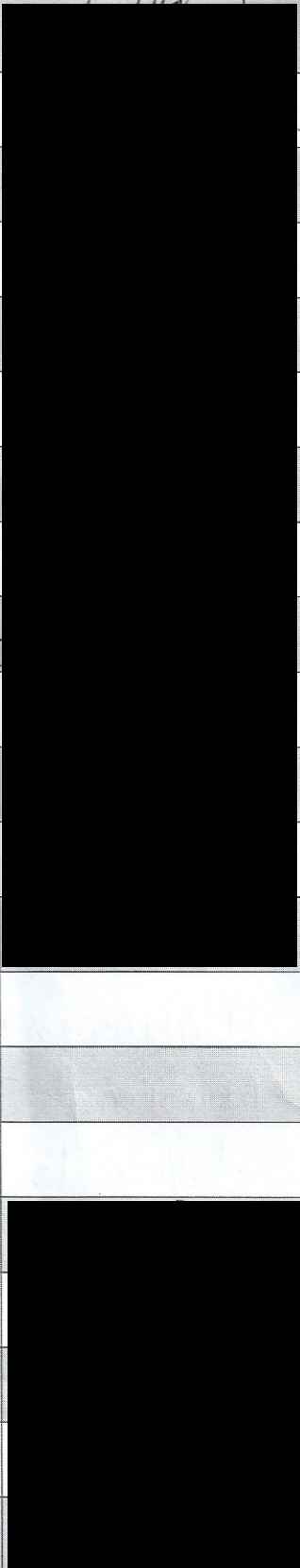
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1	Mohammad YASIN	CD 7110	
2	MOHAMMAD RAHIB	HD 268	
3	RAHEES MALIK	CD 7195	
4	T Nair Zam	HD0031 HD0050	
5	MANAZIR Hossain	HD0055	
6	Abid Ali	HD6898	
7	ABDUL-WSAR	CD7146	
8	Mohammad Mustafa	CD 7009	
9	SHAHIDALI	HCD6556	
10	ZAHID ALI	HCD.292	
11	JANGHIR ALI	HD6970	
12	A. FUSFAIB	HD-830	
13	RIZWAN TARIQ	CD7168	
14	PARVEZ AKHTAR	CD 7134	
15	SAJID Mahmood	HD-6931	
16	AMIN	<del>HD</del> 7031	
17	M. SABET	HD00947 1096	
18	Mezha	CD 2232	
19	SAJIDALI	CD 5255	
20	PARVAIZ AKHTAR	HD.0211	



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21	Tanveer Munir	HD7008	[Redacted Signature Column]
22	ARSHAD. M	HD7046	
23	SAURAJ. S. ATWAL	<del>HD</del> CD7219	
24	MOHAMMAD HASSAN KHAN	CD7162	
25	NASER AHMED	HD7040	
26	JEHANGIR MEHRBAN	HD7094	
27	MAJID NAZIR CHOUDHRY	CD5132	
28	M. MAJID	HD143	
29	Muhammady ASAMIR	HD0448	
30	NASIR Hussain	CD7625	
31	M. MUNIR	CD5990	
32	S. QASIM	CD7236	
33	Mawin Singh	HD7000	
34	Kamran Hussain	CD7120	
35	SAJID AYUB	CD7210	
36	CH. R. HUSSAIN	HD6993	
37	AMJAD ALI	CD7073	
38	Faiz Ali	HD0340	
39	ASIM ALI	HD7071	
40	A. WAHID	HD032	
41	M. SAKER	HD0013	



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42	M. Rashad	HD 148	
43	H. Amjheel Ali	HD 0043	
44	Ashiq Anzir	HD 6883	
45	Abdul Ashiq	HD 7115	
46	M. Razaq	CD 7124	
47	Salam Sir	HD 6996	
48	TARIQ MAHMOOD	HD 0346	
49	MAHBOOB Ahmed	HD 0336	
50	SAJJAD ALI	HD 0303	
51	Umar Hayat	HD 0254	
52	Ali Asghar	HD 0983	
53	Mohammed Nurir	HD 0145	
54	Abdul Sattar	HD 7033	
55	Sajjad Nazir	HD 6890	
56	Wajid Hussain	HD 6949	
57	Muhammad AZHAR	HD 7019	
58	SASID BAIG.	HD 7002	
59	M. ARIF	HD 6933	
60	Y. HUSSAIN	H 0823	
61	Masood Ahmed	PF59HVO	
62	SHAKEEL AHMED	CD 5223	



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64	SASID ALI	CD 5255	
65	KHZEERU ISLAM	HD 6892	
66	Mohammad Naseem	HD 7116	
67	SHAIKAT Riani	CD 7215	
68	M. AJAIB	HD 6959	
69	Amit Ali	HD 155	
70	Mohammed Ansar	HD 048	
71	Surmandar Khan	CD 7209	
72	A. Khan	HD 7068	
73	Ajaib Hussain	CD 7163	
74	Javed Iqbal	HD 6905	
75	Jawad MASOOD	HD 7080	
76	Mohammed Ashfaq	HD <del>6999</del>	
77	Mohammed Saleem	HV 0943	
78	Javed Iqbal	HV 0802	
79	Hassan Bhatti	HV 0915	
80	Mohammed Zheed	HV 0972	
81	Amir Mehmood	HV 881	
82	Zarman Ali	HV 828	
83	Mohammed Ayob	HV 975	