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Taxi Driver Assessments



Overview

The Blue Lamp Trust is a leading supplier to local authorities of driving assessment tests for taxi licence applicants and existing drivers. Candidates who pass the assessment will have demonstrated a high degree of driving competence allowing them to proceed with their application for a private hire licence.

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Benefits

- ▶ Assist local authorities with H&S compliance
- ▶ Reduce driving risk for driver and passengers
- ▶ Improve driving standards of taxi drivers
- ▶ Public peace of mind
- ▶ Proceeds use to secure the homes of the elderly and vulnerable under the "Bobby Scheme"

- £87 (Inclusive of VAT)
- 1 Hour Session
- 1:1 Assessments
- Suitable for Private Hire Licence Applicants

Taxi Test Structure

The assessment consists of a driving licence and eyesight check followed by a 45 minute driving test across a variety of road types. Each candidate will be asked to perform 2 reversing manoeuvres and possibly an emergency stop. A maximum of 9 driving faults are allowed and a high level of driving competence is required to pass.

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Successful candidates will be issued with a copy of their marking sheet and the relevant licencing authority issued with an e-certificate.

Portsmouth City Council's Licensing Committee had previously received a report about road traffic incidents involving licensed drivers and other road users in Portsmouth including cyclists and pedestrians. As a consequence, the committee expressed a view that the possibility of driver training should be explored. Consequently, the committee received a report from their officers and a presentation from Mr David Watkins of The Blue Lamp Trust and unanimously resolved to introduce mandatory driver training with effect from July 2016.

Locations

We can deliver this training nationwide

Booking

To book a taxi test, call the office on 0300 777 0157, Monday to Friday 09:30 - 16:00

The committee were impressed by both the evidenced skills and vision of The Blue Lamp Trust who are now recognised as a preferred local supplier of training in Portsmouth.



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