

COMMISSIONER NEY'S VIRTUAL MEETING
Friday, 26th February, 2016

Present:- Commissioner Ney.

1. VARIATION TO THE REQUIREMENTS REGARDING THE PROVISION AND USE OF TAXI CAMERAS IN LICENSED VEHICLES - FEBRUARY 2016

Commissioner Ney considered the report which highlighted the requirement for the installation of taxi cameras in licensed vehicles which was agreed on 6th July 2015. The requirement became effective on 6th January 2016, with licence holders being required to install a suitable camera in their vehicle by 1st March 2016.

Following further consideration of the requirements regarding taxi cameras, it was proposed to amend the policy in relation to the use of audio recording in licensed vehicles. The amendments related to audio recording only, all other aspects of the policy on the installation of taxi cameras remain unchanged. The proposed amendment was set out in detail as part of the report and appendices.

Minded to Grant Decision:- (1) That the proposed amendment detailed in Appendix 1 of this report be approved.

(2) That appropriate amendments be made to the Council's conditions that are attached to Private Hire Vehicle licences, Hackney Carriage licences, Private Hire/Hackney Carriage Driver licences.

(3) That appropriate amendments be made to the Council's technical specification and system requirements relating to taxi cameras.