



## Licensing Panel

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Friday, 10 September 2010</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>9.45 am</b>
<b>Venue:</b>	<b>Committee Room 4 - Wallasey Town Hall</b>

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## AGENDA

**1. APPOINTMENT OF CHAIR**

To appoint a Chair of the Panel.

**2. MEMBERS' CODE OF CONDUCT - DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members are invited to consider whether they have any personal or prejudicial interests in connection with any of the items on this agenda and if so, to declare them and state what they are.

**3. OVER-AGE VEHICLE - VAUXHALL VECTRA, REGISTRATION NUMBER KY02 LSX (Pages 1 - 4)**

**4. OVER-AGE VEHICLE - PEUGEOT 406, REGISTRATION NUMBER SK02 CXM (Pages 5 - 8)**

**5. OVER-AGE VEHICLE - VAUXHALL ASTRA, REGISTRATION NUMBER SN51 AVO (Pages 9 - 12)**

**6. OVER-AGE VEHICLE - VOLKSWAGEN PASSAT, REGISTRATION NUMBER BK02 SXZ (Pages 13 - 16)**

**7. OVER-AGE VEHICLE - AUDI A6, REGISTRATION NUMBER J5 AYP (Pages 17 - 20)**

**8. URGENT BUSINESS - PART 1**

To consider any other business that the Chair accepts as being urgent.

**9. EXEMPT INFORMATION - EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

The following items contain exempt information.

RECOMMENDATION: That, under section 100 (A) (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined by the relevant paragraphs of Part I of Schedule 12A (as amended) to that Act. The Public Interest test has been applied and favours exclusion.

10. **PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - APPLICATION (PL) (Pages 21 - 22)**
11. **PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - CONVICTIONS INCURRED (AF) (Pages 23 - 26)**
12. **PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - CONVICTIONS INCURRED (RCG) (Pages 27 - 28)**
13. **HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER LICENCE - CONVICTIONS INCURRED (ROI) (Pages 29 - 32)**
14. **PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - APPLICATION TO RENEW (KJP) (Pages 33 - 34)**
15. **HOME SCHOOL CONTRACT PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - APPLICATION (PAPP) (Pages 35 - 36)**
16. **PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - APPLICATION (JAS) (Pages 37 - 40)**
17. **PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER LICENCE - APPLICATION (NAW) (Pages 41 - 42)**
18. **URGENT BUSINESS - PART 2**

To consider any other business that the Chair accepts as being urgent.

## **PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE LICENCE - APPLICATION**

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### **1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Members are asked to consider whether they are willing to re-license the following vehicle: a Vauxhall Vectra, registration number KY02 LSX, beyond the normal over-age date for a licensed private hire vehicle.

### **2.0 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The current private hire vehicle licence conditions do not allow a vehicle to be licensed beyond the date eight years from the date of first registration, unless the Council is satisfied that the vehicle is suitable, having regard to mileage, appearance, condition and safety features. This condition relating to the age of the vehicle was imposed to improve the standard of vehicle being licensed for private hire.
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### **3.0 APPLICATION**

- 3.1 The proprietor of the vehicle, Mr Eason has applied to re-license the vehicle as he considers it to be in exceptional condition.
- 3.2 The vehicle has been licensed as a private hire vehicle since 7 November 2008 and the current licence expires on 10 September 2010.
- 3.3 The date of first registration of this vehicle is 1 March 2002.
- 3.4 On expiry of a previous licence on 28 February 2010, an application was made for a further six month licence, thereby extending it beyond the vehicle's eighth birthday and after inspection and a satisfactory compliance test at Walsh Autos, one of the Council's authorised testing stations, the licence was granted under delegated powers.

3.5 The vehicle has been examined at one of the Council's authorised testing stations and the pass certificate is attached to this report.

#### **4.0 FINANCIAL & STAFFING IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 There are no financial or staffing implications arising out of this report.

#### **5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 There are no equal opportunities implications arising out of this report.

#### **6.0 HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLICATIONS**

6.1 Article 6 and Article 1 of the First Protocol are of relevance.

#### **7.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS**

7.1 There are no Local Agenda 21 implications arising out of this report.

#### **8.0 LOCAL MEMBER SUPPORT IMPLICATIONS**

8.1 This report affects the entire Borough.

#### **9.0 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS**

9.1 There are community safety implications arising out of this report due to the safety aspects of private hire vehicles.

#### **10.0 PLANNING IMPLICATIONS**

10.1 There are no planning implications arising out of this report.

#### **11.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS**

11.1 The application form applying for the grant of a Private Hire Vehicle Licence.

#### **12.0 RECOMMENDATION**

12.1 Members are asked to consider whether or not to re-license this vehicle for a further period of six months.

This report was prepared by Margaret Calvert who can be contacted on 0151 691 8476.

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## MOT REPORT

923 31 Aug 2010  
Test Centre No. 43339

Reg. No. <b>KY02 LSX</b>	Make/Model <b>Vauxhall Vectra cc</b>	Year of Manufacture <b>2002</b>	Class of Vehicle PH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> III <input type="checkbox"/> IV <input type="checkbox"/> VII <input type="checkbox"/>
VIN or Chassis <b>W0L02BF6817117515</b>	Recorded Mileage <b>183626</b>	Colour <b>Silver</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

ITEMS TESTED	Cars/LGV	Pass	Fail	Result of Inspection: Items marked * advisory only			
<b>Lighting Equipment</b>							
Front & Rear Lamps	1/1	///		<b>PLEASE PRODUCE THIS FORM IF A RE-TEST IS REQUIRED</b>			
Headlamps	1/2	///					
Headlamp Aim	1/6	///					
Stop Lamps	1/3	///					
Rear Reflectors	1/4	///					
Direction Indicators	1/5	///					
<b>Steering &amp; Suspension</b>							
Steering Control	II/1	///		<b>(A) N/S/F trackrod end</b>			
Steering Mechanism/system	II/2	///					
Power Steering	II/3	///					
Transmission Shafts	II/2,4,9	///					
Wheel Bearings	II/4	///					
Front Suspension	II/5-9	///					
Rear Suspension	II/9	///					
Shock Absorbers	II/10	///					
Wheel Alignment	N/A						
<b>Brakes</b>							
Controls	III/1,3	///		<b>No: 43339</b>			
Condition of Service Brake System	III/3,4	///					
Condition of Parking Brake System	III/1,2	///					
Service Brake Performance	III/5,8	///					
Parking Brake Performance	III/5,8	///					
<b>Tyres &amp; Wheels</b>							
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Tyre Load/Speed Rating (Class VII)		///					
Tyre Condition	IV/1	///					
Road Wheels	IV/2	///					
<b>Seat Belts</b>							
Mountings	V/1	///		<b>CLEVELAND ST./POOL ST.</b>			
Condition	V/1	///					
Operation	V/1	///					
<b>Vehicle Weight</b>							
<b>Brake Efficiency</b>	Front Brakes	N/S	D/S	Totals	Balance	Requirement	% Efficient
	Rear Brakes	647	609				
	Hand Brake	123	132				
<b>General</b>							
Windscreen Wipers & Washers	VI/1,2	///		<b>PH 1/150 / 96 / 34 /</b>			
Horn	VI/4	///					
Exhaust System	VI/3	///					
Registration No./VIN No.		///					
Vehicle Structure	VI/5	///					
View of Road							

<b>Petrol Exhaust Emissions</b>			I certify that I have read and understood the above defects and advised items, which are or may become defective before the next MOT or service is due.	Customer's name <b>R. A. EASON</b>	
Reading	Pass	Fail			Customer's address <b>1 Bladynool Rd, Blarney, Co. Cork</b>
CO	///				
HC	///				
<b>Diesel Exhaust Emissions</b>			Date of test <b>25th August 2010</b>	Tel. no. <b>07745053688</b>	
Reading	Pass	Fail	Tester's signature <b>[Signature]</b>		

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## **PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE LICENCE - APPLICATION**

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### **1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Members are asked to consider whether they are willing to re-license the following vehicle: a Peugeot 406, registration number SK02 CXM, beyond the normal over-age date for a licensed private hire vehicle.

### **2.0 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The current private hire vehicle licence conditions do not allow a vehicle to be licensed beyond the date eight years from the date of first registration, unless the Council is satisfied that the vehicle is suitable, having regard to mileage, appearance, condition and safety features. This condition relating to the age of the vehicle was imposed to improve the standard of vehicle being licensed for private hire.
- 2.2 Private hire vehicle licences are issued on a twelve monthly basis, however once a vehicle reaches six years old, six monthly licences are issued until the vehicle reaches eight years old.
- 2.3 Once a vehicle reaches eight years old, if the proprietor considers it to be in exceptional condition an application can be made to re-license the vehicle for a further six months. That licence can be issued under delegated authority, subject to the vehicle being inspected by officers and being considered to be suitable as in paragraph 2.1 above. Any further application cannot be granted under delegated authority and must be referred to the Licensing Panel.

### **3.0 APPLICATION**

- 3.1 The proprietor of the vehicle, Mr Eastwood has applied to re-license the vehicle as he considers it to be in exceptional condition.
- 3.2 The vehicle has been licensed as a private hire vehicle since 26 March 2008 and the current licence expires on 25 September 2010.
- 3.3 The date of first registration of this vehicle is 28 March 2002.
- 3.4 On expiry of a previous licence on 25 March 2010, an application was made for a further six month licence, thereby extending it beyond the vehicle's eighth birthday and after inspection and a satisfactory compliance test at Walsh Autos, one of the Council's authorised testing stations, the licence was granted under delegated powers.

3.5 The vehicle has been examined at one of the Council's authorised testing stations and the pass certificate is attached to this report.

#### **4.0 FINANCIAL & STAFFING IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 There are no financial or staffing implications arising out of this report.

#### **5.0 EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 There are no equal opportunities implications arising out of this report.

#### **6.0 HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLICATIONS**

6.1 Article 6 and Article 1 of the First Protocol are of relevance.

#### **7.0 LOCAL AGENDA 21 IMPLICATIONS**

7.1 There are no Local Agenda 21 implications arising out of this report.

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8.1 This report affects the entire Borough.

#### **9.0 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS**

9.1 There are community safety implications arising out of this report due to the safety aspects of private hire vehicles.

#### **10.0 PLANNING IMPLICATIONS**

10.1 There are no planning implications arising out of this report.

#### **11.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS**

11.1 The application form applying for the grant of a Private Hire Vehicle Licence.

#### **12.0 RECOMMENDATION**

12.1 Members are asked to consider whether or not to re-license this vehicle for a further period of six months.

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## MOT REPORT

Test Centre No. 43339

Reg. No. <b>SKODCXM</b>	Make/Model <b>PONTOON</b>	cc	Year of Manufacture <b>2002</b>	Class of Vehicle PH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> III <input type="checkbox"/> IV <input type="checkbox"/> VII
VIN or Chassis <b>VF38ERH7A846933722281</b>	Recorded Mileage <b>22281</b>	Colour <b>Blue</b>		

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<b>Petrol Exhaust Emissions</b>			I certify that I have read and understood the above defects and advised items, which are or may become defective before the next MOT or service is due. Customer's signature: <i>[Signature]</i> Date of test: <b>21/08/10</b> Tester's signature: <i>[Signature]</i>	Customer's name: <b>S. EASTWOOD</b>
Reading	Pass	Fail		Customer's address: <b>18 BACKFORD C.C.O.S.</b>
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## **PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE LICENCE - APPLICATION**

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### **1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Members are asked to consider whether they are willing to re-license the following vehicle: a Vauxhall Astra, registration number SN51 AVO, beyond the normal over-age date for a licensed private hire vehicle.

### **2.0 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The current private hire vehicle licence conditions do not allow a vehicle to be licensed beyond the date eight years from the date of first registration, unless the Council is satisfied that the vehicle is suitable, having regard to mileage, appearance, condition and safety features. This condition relating to the age of the vehicle was imposed to improve the standard of vehicle being licensed for private hire.
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### **3.0 APPLICATION**

- 3.1 The proprietor of the vehicle, Mr Lonsdale has applied to re-license the vehicle as he considers it to be in exceptional condition.
- 3.2 The vehicle has been licensed as a private hire vehicle since 4 April 2008 and the current licence expires on 10 September 2010.
- 3.3 The date of first registration of this vehicle is 23 January 2002.
- 3.4 On expiry of a previous licence on 22 January 2010, an application was made for a further six month licence, thereby extending it beyond the vehicle's eighth birthday and after inspection and a satisfactory compliance test at Walsh Autos, one of the Council's authorised testing stations, the licence was granted under delegated powers, from 5 March 2010.

3.5 The vehicle has been examined at one of the Council's authorised testing stations and the pass certificate is attached to this report.

#### **4.0 FINANCIAL & STAFFING IMPLICATIONS**

4.1 There are no financial or staffing implications arising out of this report.

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## MOT REPORT

Test Centre No. 43339

Reg. No. <b>SWS1 AVO</b>	Make/Model <b>Vauxhall</b>	cc <b>N/A</b>	Year of Manufacture <b>2001</b>	Class of Vehicle PH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> III <input type="checkbox"/> IV <input type="checkbox"/> VII																																				
VIN or Chassis <b>WJ0LO19F4828015954</b>	Recorded Mileage <b>20478</b>	Colour <b>BLUE</b>																																						
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## **PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE LICENCE - APPLICATION**

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### **1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Members are asked to consider whether they are willing to re-license the following vehicle: a Volkswagen Passat, registration number BK02 SXZ, beyond the normal over-age date for a licensed private hire vehicle.

### **2.0 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The current private hire vehicle licence conditions do not allow a vehicle to be licensed beyond the date eight years from the date of first registration, unless the Council is satisfied that the vehicle is suitable, having regard to mileage, appearance, condition and safety features. This condition relating to the age of the vehicle was imposed to improve the standard of vehicle being licensed for private hire.
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### **3.0 APPLICATION**

- 3.1 The proprietor of the vehicle, Mr Severns has applied to re-license the vehicle as he considers it to be in exceptional condition.
- 3.2 The vehicle has been licensed as a private hire vehicle since 19 April 2006 and the current licence expires on 18 September 2010.
- 3.3 The date of first registration of this vehicle is 26 March 2002.
- 3.4 On expiry of a previous licence on 18 March 2010, an application was made for a further six month licence, thereby extending it beyond the vehicle's eighth birthday and after inspection and a satisfactory compliance test at Walsh Autos, one of the Council's authorised testing stations, the licence was granted under delegated powers.

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10.1 There are no planning implications arising out of this report.

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## MOT REPORT

Test Centre No. 43339

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Reg. No. <b>BK02 SWZ</b>	Make/Model <b>V.W Passat</b>	cc	Year of Manufacture <b>02</b>	Class of Vehicle PH <input type="checkbox"/> III <input type="checkbox"/> IV <input type="checkbox"/> VII <input type="checkbox"/>
VIN or Chassis <b>WVWZ2Z3PZP344114</b>	Recorded Mileage <b>161014</b>	Colour <b>Silver</b>		

ITEMS TESTED	Cars/LGV	Pass	Fail	Result of Inspection: Items marked * advisory only
				<b>PLEASE PRODUCE THIS FORM IF A RE-TEST IS REQUIRED</b>
<b>Lighting Equipment</b>				
Front & Rear Lamps	1/1	✓		
Headlamps	1/2	✓		
Headlamp Aim	1/6	✓		
Stop Lamps	1/3	✓		
Rear Reflectors	1/4	✓		
Direction Indicators	1/5	✓		
<b>Steering &amp; Suspension</b>				
Steering Control	II/1	✓		
Steering Mechanism/system	II/2	✓		
Power Steering	II/3	✓		
Transmission Shafts	II/2,4,9	✓		
Wheel Bearings	II/4	✓		
Front Suspension	II/5-9	✓		
Rear Suspension	II/9	✓		
Shock Absorbers	II/10	✓		
Wheel Alignment	N/A	✓		
<b>Brakes</b>				
Controls	III/1,3	✓		
Condition of Service Brake System	III/3,4	✓		
Condition of Parking Brake System	III/1,2	✓		
Service Brake Performance	III/5,8	✓		
Parking Brake Performance	III/5,8	✓		
<b>Tyres &amp; Wheels</b>				
Tyre Type	IV/1	✓		
Tyre Load/Speed Rating (Class VII)		✓		
Tyre Condition	IV/1	✓		
Road Wheels	IV/2	✓		
<b>Seat Belts</b>				
Mountings	V/1	✓		
Condition	V/1	✓		
Operation	V/1	✓		

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**W.B.C. VEHICLE PASS**

Vehicle Weight	N/S	O/S	Totals	Balance	Requirement	% Efficient
<b>Brake Efficiency</b>						
Front Brakes	459	617				
Rear Brakes	243	251				
Hand Brake	390	369				

General	Cars/LGV	Pass	Fail
Windscreen Wipers & Washers	VI/1,2	✓	
Horn	VI/4	✓	
Exhaust System	VI/3	✓	
Registration No./VIN No.		✓	
Vehicle Structure	VI/5	✓	
View of Road		✓	

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## **PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLE LICENCE - APPLICATION**

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### **1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

- 1.1 Members are asked to consider whether they are willing to re-license the following vehicle: an Audi A6, registration number J5 AYP, beyond the normal over-age date for a licensed private hire vehicle.

### **2.0 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The current private hire vehicle licence conditions do not allow a vehicle to be licensed beyond the date eight years from the date of first registration, unless the Council is satisfied that the vehicle is suitable, having regard to mileage, appearance, condition and safety features. This condition relating to the age of the vehicle was imposed to improve the standard of vehicle being licensed for private hire.
- 2.2 Private hire vehicle licences are issued on a twelve monthly basis, however once a vehicle reaches six years old, six monthly licences are issued until the vehicle reaches eight years old.
- 2.3 Once a vehicle reaches eight years old, if the proprietor considers it to be in exceptional condition an application can be made to re-license the vehicle for a further six months. That licence can be issued under delegated authority, subject to the vehicle being inspected by officers and being considered to be suitable as in paragraph 2.1 above. Any further application cannot be granted under delegated authority and must be referred to the Licensing Panel.

### **3.0 APPLICATION**

- 3.1 The proprietor of the vehicle, Mr Wheadon has applied to re-license the vehicle as he considers it to be in exceptional condition.
- 3.2 The vehicle has been licensed as a private hire vehicle since 5 May 2006 and the current licence expires on 5 September 2010.
- 3.3 The date of first registration of this vehicle is 6 March 2002.
- 3.4 On expiry of a previous licence on 5 March 2010, an application was made for a further six month licence, thereby extending it beyond the vehicle's eighth birthday and after inspection and a satisfactory compliance test at Walsh Autos, one of the Council's authorised testing stations, the licence was granted under delegated powers.

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## MOT REPORT

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 Test Centre No. 43339

Reg. No. <b>JS AYP</b>	Make/Model <b>Audi A6</b>	cc <b>—</b>	Year of Manufacture <b>2002</b>	Class of Vehicle <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PH <input type="checkbox"/> III <input type="checkbox"/> IV <input type="checkbox"/> VII
VIN or Chassis <b>WAUZZZ4B7ZNO86519</b>	Recorded Mileage <b>225909</b>	Colour <b>Silver</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	

ITEMS TESTED	Cars/LGV	Pass	Fail	Result of inspection: Items marked * advisory only				
<b>Lighting Equipment</b>								
Front & Rear Lamps	1/1	/		<b>PLEASE PRODUCE THIS FORM IF A RE-TEST IS REQUIRED</b>				
Headlamps	1/2	/						
Headlamp Aim	1/6	/						
Stop Lamps	1/3	/						
Rear Reflectors	1/4	/						
Direction Indicators	1/5	/						
<b>Steering &amp; Suspension</b>								
Steering Control	II/1	/		<b>No: 43339 ALF WALSH AUTO ENG'R LTD CLEVELAND ST./POOL ST. BIRKENHEAD Tel: 0151 666 6625</b>				
Steering Mechanism/system	II/2	/						
Power Steering	II/3	/						
Transmission Shafts	II/2,4,9	/						
Wheel Bearings	II/4	/						
Front Suspension	II/5-9	/						
Rear Suspension	II/9	/						
Shock Absorbers	II/10	/		<b>W.B.C. VEHICLE PASS</b>				
Wheel Alignment	N/A							
<b>Brakes</b>								
Controls	III/1,3	/						
Condition of Service Brake System	III/3,4	/						
Condition of Parking Brake System	III/1,2	/						
Service Brake Performance	III/5,8	/		<b>P/H A/C</b>				
Parking Brake Performance	III/5,8	/						
<b>Tyres &amp; Wheels</b>								
Tyre Type	IV/1	/						
Tyre Load/Speed Rating (Class VII)								
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Road Wheels	IV/2	/						
<b>Seat Belts</b>								
Mountings	V/1	/						
Condition	V/1	/						
Operation	V/1	/						
<b>Vehicle Weight</b>								
			N/S	O/S	Totals	Balance	Requirement	% Efficient
<b>Brake Efficiency</b>								
		Front Brakes	516	584	/	/	50	93
		Rear Brakes	179	173				
		Hand Brake	366	389				
<b>General</b>								
Windscreen Wipers & Washers	VI/1,2	/						
Horn	VI/4	/						
Exhaust System	VI/3	/						
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Vehicle Structure	VI/5	/						
View of Road								

<b>Patrol Exhaust Emissions</b>			I certify that I have read and understood the above defects and advised items, which are or may become defective before the next MOT or service is due.	Customer's name <b>J.P. WHEADON</b>	
Reading	Pass	Fail		Customer's address <b>62 TEEHEY LANE HIGHER BEBINGSTON</b>	
CO	/			Customer's signature <i>[Signature]</i>	
HC	/			Date of test <b>26th August 2010</b>	
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