West Northamptonshire Council

TAXI & PRIVATE HIRE DRIVER'S MEDICAL CERTIFICATE ASSESSMENT

(Under DVLA Group 2 Medical Standards)

Details of person being medically assessed

Surname:

Forename(s):

Date of birth:

Address:

Assessment

I, a GP, have:

- Conducted a medical examination
- Access to the persons **summary medical records**
- Applied the notes overleaf
- Applied all appropriate tests
- Considered the medical information available

and have made an assessment, by applying the medical standards required of a Group 2 Driver, and confirm the above names person:

☐ **Meets**

☐ **Does not meet**

The requirements of a Group 2 Driver and taking into consideration factors raised during this medical examination, I believe there is a good reason for the above names person to undergo a medical examination on or before _ _/_ _ /_ _ _ _ (if no date is entered a medical will be required every 3 years prior to a licence being issued until 65 years old and then annually every year thereafter)

Reasons (s) for the above named person not meeting the requirements of a Group 2 Medical (use separate sheet if necessary):

1.

2.

3.

4.

Medical Practitioner Name, Telephone number and address or Stamp

Signature:

Date assessment completed:

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Notes for Taxi Medical Examination Board Members & General Practitioners

1. The Taxi & Private Hire Licensing Office requires a medical assessment: -
   - Before granting a first hackney carriage or private hire driver's licence; 3-yearly thereafter up to the age of 65 (and annually thereafter).
   - When officers at the Licensing Department have reason to doubt that a licensed hackney carriage or private hire driver or a person applying for a renewal or re-grant hackney carriage or private hire driver's licence, would meet the current Group 2 Driver's Medical Standards.

2. For the person to be considered fit to be licensed as a hackney carriage or private hire driver he/ she must meet the requirements of the Group 2 standards, as laid down in the current Driver & Vehicle Licensing Agency (DVLA) publication for Medical Practitioners "At a Glance Guide to the Current Medical Standards of Fitness to Drive" which can be found through the following link https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/assessing-fitness-to-drive-a-guide-for-medical-professionals

3. Any relevant tests (e.g. exercise/ECG) that are required in order to support the assessment must be undertaken and a record of the results made available if required.

4. Any fees charged in connection with this medical assessment, including any fee(s) charged for additional test(s), are payable by the person receiving the medical unless, by prior agreement with the Licensing Department

5. The Medical Practitioner who conducted this medical assessment examination must be a qualified GP and may, with reasonable notice, be required to support their medical judgement by giving evidence during appeal proceedings in the Magistrates' or Crown Court.

6. In order to meet our 'Quality Management' obligations we cannot accept photocopies of this form. The West Northamptonshire Council logo must be correctly displayed for this form to be considered valid.

7. On completion of the certificate the applicant must return this form via email to the licensing team at **licensing@westnorthants.gov.uk**.

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