

Appendix 2 - Licensing Activity and Demand Comparison Data

Application Type	2025/2026	2024/2025	2023/2024	Trend
Taxi & Private Hire Dual Driver Licence	210	395	345	↓ Decreasing
Private Hire Driver Licence	39	64	58	↓ Decreasing
Taxi Vehicle Licence	661	707	692	↓ Decreasing
Private Hire Vehicle Licence	396	406	408	↓ Decreasing
Private Hire Operator Licence	12	6	16	↕ Fluctuating
New Driver Application	62	72	79	↓ Decreasing
Medical Assessments Processed	282	271	277	→ Stable
Wheelchair Exemption Application	23	10	15	↑ Increasing
Total	1,685	1,931	1,890	↓ Decreasing

Trend	Year-on-Year	
→ Stable = no material change or unchanged across years	2023/24 → 2024/25:	-2.26%
↑ Increasing = consistent upward trend	2024/25 → 2025/26:	-11.65%
↓ Decreasing = consistent downward trend	Overall decrease since 2023/24:	-13.65%
↕ Fluctuating = rises and falls between years		

