

**GREATER LONDON AUTHORITY ACT 1999**  
**PRIVATE HIRE VEHICLES (LONDON) ACT 1998**

The Private Hire Vehicles (London PHV Driver's Licences)  
(Amendment) Regulations 2019

*Made*

*12 March 2019*

*Coming into force*

*13 March 2019*

Transport for London, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 13(2) and 32 of the Private Hire Vehicles (London) Act 1998<sup>1</sup> and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations: —

**1. Citation and commencement**

These Regulations which may be cited as the Private Hire Vehicles (London PHV Driver's Licences) (Amendment) Regulations 2019 come into force on 13 March 2019.

**2. Preliminary**

The Private Hire Vehicles (London PHV Driver's Licences) Regulations 2003<sup>2</sup> are amended in accordance with the following provisions of these Regulations.

**3. English language requirement**

For regulation 3B substitute:

“3B. The English language requirement will apply to all applications received by Transport for London on or after 14 October 2016, but in respect of applications received on or before 30 September 2020, the applicant must satisfy Transport for London that they have met the requirement in regulation 3A(2) on any date on or before 30 September 2020.”

Signed by authority of Transport for London



Mike Brown MVO  
Commissioner

12 March 2019

<sup>1</sup> 1998 c. 34; the Private Hire Vehicles (London) Act 1998 was extensively amended by Schedule 21 to the Greater London Authority Act 1999 (c. 29).

<sup>2</sup> Made by Transport for London on 6 March 2003 and in force on 1 April 2003; as amended.