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CONCLUSION

I welcome most of the changes proposed in the “Eastbourne Borough Council Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Licensing Guidance”. The safety of both drivers and passengers is of major importance and the proposals address these concerns. The installation of CCTV in vehicles increases safety for both users and drivers but given the current financial situation and lack of detail should be delayed for further consultation with the trade.

I would however bring to your attention my proposal for the reduction in size of council door signs and their relocation to the rear door panel. The standardisation with regard location and type of signage will also make it easier and safer for members of the public to correctly identify a licenced vehicle.

Yours sincerely

Name redacted