

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
TAXICAB COMMISSION



July 2, 2012

Office of the Chairman

**Effective November 23, 2010**

**Due to pending regulatory updates and on-going industry inspections and organizational restructuring, the following Commission Policy changes on the acceptance of certain applications will remain in effect indefinitely, but will be reviewed again on September 30, 2012:**

**Independent Taxicab Vehicle Numbers**

The DC Taxicab Commission will continue its suspension of the issuance of new Independent Taxicab Vehicle Numbers.

New regulations addressing the issuance of independent taxi numbers are being promulgated and areas of concern will be addressed prior to reinstatement of this application process.

**New Limousine Companies**

The DC Taxicab Commission will not be accepting any new applications for New Limousine Companies until an audit and inspection of existing companies is complete.

**New Limousine Operators - Revised**


The DC Taxicab Commission will begin registering new applicants for the Limousine Operator license examination starting July 24, 2012. The Commission has determined that there is a need to increase the pool of new limousine operators to meet public demand for licensed limousine operators licensed in the District of Columbia.

## **New Taxicab Companies**

The DC Taxicab Commission will not be accepting applications for New Taxicab Companies. During this period, the Commission will be conducting an extensive audit of the inventory of existing companies, associations and fleets to ensure compliance with regulations to include appropriate office space, vehicle inventory, internal record maintenance and EPA Safety standards.

The Commission will review this policy again on September 30, 2012.

Respectfully,

  
Ron M. Linton  
Chairman