Vehicle Age Retirement Extension FAQs

1. **What is the vehicle age retirement extension?**
   This is a rulemaking DFHV enacted that extends the vehicle retirement age for taxicabs currently in service from 8 to 10 years with a maximum odometer mileage of 300,000.

2. **Is there an application for the 10-year age limit increase?**
   No. The increase will occur automatically, and no action is needed from the taxicab owner.

3. **What is the latest year a vehicle can enter service as a taxicab?**
   A vehicle can only enter service if it is at least 3 years from retirement age, passes a DMV inspection and does not exceed 65,000 miles.

4. **Do I need to get an inspection?**
   Yes. Drivers must continue to get the yearly DMV inspection with their vehicle registration.

5. **My car is in great condition but has more than 300,000 miles, is my vehicle eligible for the 10-year age limit?**
   No. The vehicle mileage limit cannot exceed 300,000 at any time the vehicle is in service as a taxicab.

6. **Are vehicle extensions still available?**
   No. The vehicle age limit has increased to 10 years and extensions are not available beyond this time limit.

7. **Are there any exemptions?**
   No. There are no exemptions.

8. **Are company-owned vehicles eligible for the automatic age increase limits?**
   Yes. The age limit increase is available for all taxicabs that pass the DMV inspection with mileage of 300,000 or below.

9. **Do I need to obtain a vehicle age waiver at the DMV Inspection Station?**
   No. A waiver is not needed to complete the DMV inspection.

10. **I sold or traded my vehicle in because it did not meet the 8-year requirement. Can I register that vehicle again for service?**
    Yes. If the vehicle meets the requirements to enter service.