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Taxi Private Hire (TPH) - Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Checks

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Scope

Reference

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Description

The contract will deliver DBS checks to candidates applying for a new or renewal Private Hire Vehicle (PHV) driver licence or Taxi driver licence. Completing an Enhanced DBS is a compulsory requirement order to be eligible for a licence. In addition, there is a requirement for TfL's Dial-a-Ride staff to have completed either a DBS or Enhanced DBS check. The DBS is an executive non-departmental public body, sponsored by the Home Office, which undertake DBS checks. The DBS has identified umbrella bodies who can manage a DBS check application on behalf of organisations or candidates, as candidates cannot request an Enhanced check directly.

Contract dates (estimated)

- 28 February 2026 to 27 February 2031
- 5 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 75000000 - Administration, defence and social security services

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

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Contracting authority

Transport for London

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHMT-6197-NWNZ

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