



Private Hire Vehicles (London) Act 1998

1998 CHAPTER 34

Regulation of private hire vehicles in London

11 Prohibition of taximeters.

- (1) No vehicle to which a London PHV licence relates shall be equipped with a taximeter.
- (2) If such a vehicle is equipped with a taximeter, the owner of that vehicle is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.
- (3) In this section “taximeter” means a device for calculating the fare to be charged in respect of any journey by reference to the distance travelled or time elapsed since the start of the journey (or a combination of both).

Commencement Information

- II** S. 11 in force at 8.3.2004 for specified purposes and 8.4.2004 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2004/241, art. 2\(1\)](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Private Hire Vehicles (London) Act 1998, Section 11.