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## **1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The Planning, Protective Services and Licensing Committee agreed at their meeting on 18 November 2020 that Officers should prepare periodic reports at least every six months providing updates on the number of private hire cars and taxis across the licensing authority's area.

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**2.0 INTRODUCTION**

2.1 Following publication of the Scottish Government's best practice guidance on

## **5.0 CONCLUSION**

5.1 An update of these figures will be provided on a 6 monthly basis.

## **6.0 IMPLICATIONS**

6.1 Policy: None

6.2 Financial: None

6.3 Legal: None

6.4 HR: None

6.5 Fairer Scotland Duty:

6.5.1 Equalities - protected characteristics

6.5.2 Socio-economic Duty

6.5.3 Islands

6.6 Climate Change: None

6.7 Risk: none

6.8 Customer Service: None

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**Policy Lead Kieron Green**

2<sup>nd</sup> October 2023

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Appendix 1 – STATISTICS ON NUMBER OF TAXI LICENCES ARGYLL AND BUTE October 1  
2023

Appendix 2 - STATISTICS ON NUMBER OF PRIVATE HIRE CAR LICENCES (with addresses in  
the areas) ARGYLL AND BUTE Oct 2023



