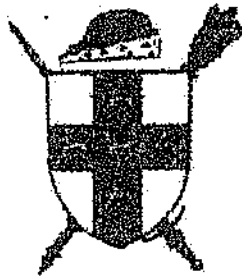


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YORK HACKNEY CARRIAGE ASSOCIATION

(EST 2016)

**PETITION TO REMOVE THE £40 FEE FOR THE SAFEGUARDING TRAINING
PLEASE SIGN.**

WE THE UNDERSIGNED ALL AGREE THAT YORK CITY COUNCIL ARE VICTIMISING THE YORK LICENSED TRADE BY DEMANDING WITH MENACE THE SUM OF £40 PER DRIVER FOR THE COMPULSORY SAFEGUARD TRAINING COURSE WHICH MEANS THE COUNCIL WILL TAKE FROM THE TRADES 888 DRIVERS £35,520.00. THIS WILL BE DONE UNDER THE THREAT OF DISMISSAL BY THE YORK TAXI LICENSING DEPARTMENT IF THE COURSE IS NOT TAKEN OR FAILED. WE BELIEVE THAT THIS IS INTIMIDATION AND VICTIMISATION AS AT THE SAME TIME YORK TAXI LICENSING DEPARTMENT ARE TURNING A BLIND EYE TO THE OUT OF TOWN PRIVATE HIRE AND HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVERS WHO WILL NOT BE EXPECTED TO TAKE THE COURSE AND AS USUAL WILL NOT CONTRIBUTE A SINGLE PENNY TO THE CITY COFFERS. WE FEEL THAT THIS IS THE FINAL STRAW, ENOUGH IS ENOUGH, YORK CITY COUNCIL AND NORTH YORKSHIRE POLICE ALREADY CONDONE THE DRIVING OF PRIVATE HIRE AND HACKNEY CARRIAGE OUT OF TOWN VEHICLES WITHOUT INSURANCE, I.E TOUTING FOR WORK WHICH IS AN OFFENCE AND THEREFORE IN CONDONING THE OFFENCE IT IS IN ITSELF AN OFFENCE. IF THERE IS IN THE FUTURE A SERIOUS ACCIDENT NORTH YORKSHIRE POLICE AND THE CITY OF YORK COUNCIL MUST BE MADE TO STAND ACCOUNTABLE FOR THEIR LACK OF ACTION TO THE ONGOING PROBLEM. PLEASE SIGN...

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