

I. Background

- The Board uses its Taxi & Limousine Cost Index (TLCI) as an objective measurement for identifying rate increase for taxis. TLCI uses Consumer Price Index (CPI) data for BC that is obtained from Statistics Canada. Details are posted at www.ptboard.bc.ca/tlci.htm.
- On July 29, 2020, the Board approved the “Taxi & Limousine Cost Index 2020” rule that implements a taxi rate increase of 2.3% for licensed taxi operators in British Columbia.

II. Rates for Taxicab Licensees

The following rates and taxi meter formula are in effect and must be implemented by each licensee:

| Type of Rates | Rates without GST | Rates with 5% GST | Rounded | Taxi meter formula with 5% GST included |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| | | | Rates with 5% GST | |
| Flag | \$3.3745 | \$3.5432 | \$3.55 | \$3.55 for the first 50.36 metres |
| Distance (per km) | 1.8912 | 1.9857 | 1.99 | \$0.10 for each additional 50.36 metres |
| Wait Time (hourly) | 33.8358 | 35.5276 | 35.53 | \$0.10 for each consecutive 10.13 seconds (or \$35.5276 per hour) |

III. Applicable Licensees

This Rule applies to the following six taxi licensees in the Fraser Valley. The list is subject to change.

| Operator | PT Licence |
|--------------------------|------------|
| Abbotsford Taxi Ltd. | 70617 |
| Central Valley Taxi Ltd. | 70798 |
| Cheam Taxi Ltd. | 70912 |
| Chilliwack Taxi Ltd. | 70254 |
| Matsqui Taxi Ltd. | 70586 |
| Mission Taxi (1980) Ltd. | 70587 |

IV. Dates

Start Date of New Rates: **November 8, 2020** Date of Rule: November 4, 2020

V. Other Rules

The Board Rule “Standard Rules for Taxicab Rates” effective November 16, 2016, as amended from time to time, applies to licensees listed in this rule.

The “Board Rule Respecting Fraser Valley Taxicab Rates” effective July 6, 2019, is rescinded.