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**UPDATED OPERATING STANDARDS FOR PAINTED AND UNPAINTED TAXI COMPANIES/SERVICES IN ANAMBRA STATE**

**A. Introduction**

Transport Companies/Corporate entities desiring to manage/operate taxi services in Anambra State are to apply to the Ministry for permit to operate in the State.

**B. Requirements for Taxi Companies**

1. The application is to be accompanied by:

- i. Evidence of Registration with CAC;
- ii. Company's ANSSID No and ANSSID Numbers of the Director and Secretary of the company;
- iii. List of vehicles with up-to-date valid vehicle papers and valid driver's license of the drivers OR proforma invoice of vehicles to be procured by the company;
- iv. Director's tax clearance certificate;
- v. List and location of proposed vehicle terminals;
- vi. Company's Standard Operating Procedures/Guidelines;
- vii. Written guarantee on compliance of their drivers to State road traffic laws and Regulations in the State.
- viii. Evidence of Registration as a Contractor with the Ministry of Transport.

2. Upon receipt of the application and accompanying documents, Ministry's Transport Operations Team is to check the application for completeness, inspect the company's office and proposed terminals and carry out due diligence/checks on the Company.

xxix. In addition to inspections referenced above, the Ministry may mandate a Licensed Operator to submit its vehicle(s) for an inspection based upon a complaint.

xxx. Such complaint and mandatory inspection notice shall be brought to the notice of the Licensed Operator via phone call, e-mail, or citation. The Operator must submit the vehicle(s) to the Ministry for inspection within two (2) business days of Ministry's notification.

xxxi. Licensed Operator who fails to bring his taxicab (vehicle) for inspection as required under this Regulation/policy and failed to either secure a rescheduled vehicle inspection date as approved by the Ministry shall be liable to a fine of N 25,000 per vehicle/taxicab not presented for inspection.

**E. General**

1. The Operator's License may be suspended or revoked if:

- a. Any of the conditions upon which the license was granted is contravened
- b. Persistent contravention of State Road Traffic Laws and Regulations by the drivers under the Operator.
- c. A court prohibition order against the operator or a criminal conviction imposed by a Court of law.

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