## **Regulatory and Appeals Committee**

Dear Chairman and Councillors

I would like to appeal for an extension to my vehicle KV08 XOC, a Silver Mercedes E220 first registered 27th March 2008.

The licence is due to expire 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2025 and will be 17 years and 1 month old.

The vehicle is in excellent condition inside and out. It has an original Mercedes engine which is far superior to the modern engines now being fitted in Mercedes.

The vehicle complements my other Mercedes that is often used for weddings and special occasions. Having a 2<sup>nd</sup> high class Mercedes will enable customers to order both vehicles for weddings.

Have a fleet of vehicles but have a few problems with 3 at the moment that are garage bound awaiting engine parts. To keep this vehicle as part of my fleet at this current moment in time would be invaluable to me.

It was extremely well maintained by its previous long- time owner. I will present my vehicle to the Licensing Officer for inspection on request so that they can confirm that it was in good physical condition.

If the vehicle is granted an extension, I understand that it will be subject to 6 monthly inspections and I will be happy to comply with this.

This vehicle is still in excellent working order so please consider my application for an extension.

Yours faithfully

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Gem's Market Taxis