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2019 TLCI

PT Board allows taxi rate increases of up to 2.7% based on rise in cost index

Taxi licensees can request a 2019 TLCI tax rate increase of up to 2.7%. The Passenger Transportation Board is now accepting completed [TLCI request forms](#) until the request deadline of **August 31, 2019**.

The Board established the TLCI—Taxi & Limousine Cost Index—as an objective way to identify periodic rate increases as operating costs rise. The TLCI uses the Consumer Price Index (CPI) for BC to track annual cost changes. The 2019 TLCI increase is based on CPI data for 2018 which shows a broad cost increase of 2.7% in the past calendar year.

In addition, the Board has been receiving taxi industry calls and concerns about rising gas prices, and the TLCI increase gives taxi companies a way to defray some of these cost pressures.

More Info:

- [TLCI webpage](#)
- [Taxi rates webpage](#)
- [TLCI request form](#)