

I. Purpose

- Implement a temporary taxi camera surcharge that contributes to a portion of the costs to install and start operating taxi cameras in all taxis in the Fraser Valley (excluding Hope).

II. Background

- All taxi licensees in the Fraser Valley (west of Hope) asked to start using taxi cameras and have met the requirements set out in the Board rule, “BC Taxi Camera Rule.”
- Participating licensees requested a temporary surcharge of \$0.10 on the flag rate for 1 year to help cover a portion of the initial purchase and installation costs.
- This rule is amended to temporarily apply the requested \$0.10 surcharge to the rates of licensees that operate under this rule (see Part IV, “Applicable Licensees”).
- The surcharge will remain in effect for approximately one year at which point the Board will make the necessary amendments to end the surcharge.

III. Rates for Taxicab Companies

The following rates and taxi meter formula must be implemented **January 15, 2017**:

Type of Rates	Rates without GST	Rates with 5% GST	Rounded Rates with 5% GST	Taxi meter formula with 5% GST included
Flag	3.2119	3.3725	3.35	\$3.35 for the first 52.91 metres
Distance (per km)	1.8001	1.8901	1.89	\$0.10 for each additional 52.91 metres
Wait Time (hourly)	32.2056	33.8158	33.82	\$0.10 for each consecutive 10.65 seconds (or \$33.8158 per hour)

IV. Applicable Licensees

This Board Rule applies to all Fraser Valley taxi operators. The list below 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

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V. Dates

Start Date of New Rates: **January 15, 2017** Date of Rule: December 5, 2016

VI. 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The “Board Rule Respecting Fraser Valley Taxicab Rates” effective October 15, 2016, is rescinded.