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Dear sir/madam,

I am writing to you in my capacity as the interim General Manager of Taxi and Private Hire at Transport for London.

As you may be aware, the Knowledge of London is widely recognised as the most comprehensive local knowledge test in the world. Those who pass the Knowledge of London examination process and become licensed London taxi drivers, have an unrivalled understanding of London's complicated road network.

Following discussions with various members of your team over the past months, we have recently submitted our application for formal recognition as an accrediting body, which is a first step in achieving our overall ambition of establishing the world-famous Knowledge of London as a formal qualification. The Mayor of London, Sadiq Khan, first committed to exploring the options that are available to achieve this in his [Taxi and Private Hire Action Plan \(2016\)](#).

This is an important mayoral commitment and we are extremely grateful for the constructive meetings our two departments have had to date.

I would be grateful if you could give our application due consideration, as a priority. If there is anything I can do to help move the application along, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Kind regards,

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