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IMPORTANT REMINDER: FOR-HIRE VEHICLE BASE OWNERS MUST RECEIVE TLC APPROVAL PRIOR TO CHANGING OWNERSHIP OR LOCATION

The New York City Taxi and Limousine Commission (TLC) reminds all its Licensed For-Hire Vehicle (FHV) **Base Owners** that, according to TLC regulations, they **must receive TLC approval PRIOR to changing ownership or location.**

TLC FHV Rule 6-06(e) states that: "a base owner shall not transfer or assign the base owner's license to another without the Commission's written approval," and TLC FHV Rule 6-06(f) states that "a base owner shall not dispatch a for-hire vehicle from any location other than that specified in the base license." Pursuant to these rules, bases that change ownership or location without prior approval are subject to enforcement action, which may include the issuance of summonses and suspension of the base license.

If a base is changing owners or location, an application must first be filed and approved by the Commission. Applications for Changes of Ownership and/or Location, along with instructions for filing, can be conveniently downloaded at: <http://www.nyc.gov/tlc/fhvbaseowners>.