



# Private Hire Vehicles (London) Act 1998

## 1998 CHAPTER 34

### *Regulation of private hire vehicles in London*

#### **11 Prohibition of taximeters.**

- (1) No vehicle to which a London PHV licence relates shall be equipped with a taximeter.
- (2) If such a vehicle is equipped with a taximeter, the owner of that vehicle is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale.
- (3) In this section “taximeter” means a device for calculating the fare to be charged in respect of any journey by reference to the distance travelled or time elapsed since the start of the journey (or a combination of both).

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#### **Commencement Information**

- II** [S. 11](#) in force at 8.3.2004 for specified purposes and 8.4.2004 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2004/241, art. 2\(1\)](#)

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 08/04/2004.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Private Hire Vehicles (London) Act 1998, Section 11.