

Information Bulletin

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PTDAS – Passenger Transport Driver Authorisation System

The Passenger Transport Driver Authorisation System (PTDAS) is a free online service that enables the currency of a driver authorisation to be checked.

The PTDAS only confirms the currency of a driver authorisation and does not contain any personal driver information.

Why is using the PTDAS important for operators?

Under section 15 of the *Transport Operations (Passenger Transport) Act 1994*, passenger transport operators have a responsibility to ensure their drivers have current driver authorisation. The PTDAS provides a means for operators to check the currency of driver authorisations. If a driver authorisation has expired or been suspended or cancelled it will not be reported on the PTDAS as a current driver authorisation.

The reason a specific driver authorisation is not reported as current will not be disclosed to operators. However, operators may care to note that there are various reasons that might lead to a suspension or cancellation of a driver authorisation.

If the holder of a driver authorisation has their driver licence suspended, cancelled, or disqualified then their driver authorisation is also automatically suspended, cancelled or disqualified. Other reasons a driver authorisation may be suspended or cancelled include the holder being charged or convicted of a driver disqualifying offence or failure to meet medical fitness requirements.

How to access PTDAS

The currency of a driver authorisation can be checked on the PTDAS website at <https://www.support.transport.qld.gov.au/ptdas>