

ANGUS COUNCIL

Section 19 of the Transport Act 1985

Small Bus Permit

The attached application form for a Small Bus Permit should be completed and returned to the Head of Law and Administration, Angus House, Orchardbank Business Park, Forfar, DD8 1AN.

A fee of £11 should be submitted with the application form and please note that the fee is not refundable.

Cheques should be made payable to Angus Council.

A small bus can carry up to 16 passengers excluding the driver. Permits are necessary so that voluntary groups and other bodies can charge (on a non-profit making basis) for providing transport for their own members or other people whom the organisation serves without having to comply with the full PSV requirements.

A permit is normally issued to a specific group e.g. a scout group and the group may be issued with more than one permit but can only use one vehicle at a time under each permit.

Drivers will be either over 21 years of age and hold a full driving licence or be the holder of a PSV driver's licence.

Any vehicle used under a permit must comply with the following ; -

- will comply with the appropriate construction requirements and conditions of fitness
- will be kept fit and serviceable and regular maintenance inspections will be carried out
- will be properly insured for the uses authorised by the permit