

To the licensing panel  
Brighton Council for the Uber license hearing.

Dear Panel Members.

I am writing to support the continuation of the Uber operating licence in the city of Brighton and Hove.

The license should be extended as in my opinion Uber operate a safe and reliable service to the public.

My reasons for my support of the Uber licence includes the fact that the journey can be tracked, the drivers name, registration number, licensing authority and private hire licence details can be viewed prior to the customer accepting the ride.

The app make the booking of an Uber easier for the customer and with the transaction digitally taking place the driver is less likely to be attacked making it safer for the driver. Uber also limit the amount of hours a driver can work in any one day therefore reducing driver fatigue.

I also believe that competition is good for customers giving passengers more freedom of choice when ordering a private hire ride. There will always be a demand for normal Hackney Carriages.

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