

# URGENT NEWS FOR BLACK CAR DRIVERS

## What You Need to Know Now About New NYC TLC Driving Regulations!

### VISION ZERO



IN EFFECT NOW!

### LOCAL LAW 27



EFFECTIVE LATE  
SEPTEMBER 2014

### LOCAL LAW 30



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OCTOBER 2014

## HOW DOES THIS AFFECT YOU?

### Local Law 27

- TLC drivers who cause any fatalities or critical injuries to pedestrians, as determined by an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) responding to the accident will immediately have their TLC license suspended, pending a hearing.
- If TLC drivers are found to have violated any State traffic laws by the TLC's Tribunal, their license can be taken away permanently.

### Local Law 30

- TLC & DMV points are now combined. Drivers who accumulate 6-9 combined points in a 15-month period will face up to 30-day suspension.
- Drivers who accumulate 10 or more points in a 15-month period are subject to losing their TLC license permanently.
- TLC now issues points strictly for safety violations.
- TLC will now have an enforcement squad dedicated to issuing speeding tickets to TLC drivers.
- While there are certain rules TLC is actively enforcing on Yellow Taxicabs, it is only a matter of time before they begin enforcing industry-wide!



## The Black Car Fund Is Here To Help You!

You Can Take a Defensive Driving Course at **The Black Car Safety Center**

Get A Maximum of 3 DMV Points Taken Off Your License

Check The Black Car Safety Center's Website at

[BLACKCARSAFETYCLASSES.COM](http://BLACKCARSAFETYCLASSES.COM) for a Schedule of Classes

- A TLC or DMV class can be qualified for point reduction on your TLC license only once- every 18 months.
- If you have already taken the course at the Black Car Safety Center within the past 3 years, you will not be eligible for the \$300 check. But, you can take the class for free again, and be eligible for point reduction on your DMV license when you are qualified, or to meet your regular TLC license requirements.
- If you currently have 6 or more points, you can take the course to get them reduced. It may not help prevent a suspension but can help fend off losing your license altogether.

Learn more about Vision Zero, visit [nyc.gov/visionzero](http://nyc.gov/visionzero). Refer to NYC TLC's Rules and Regulations at [nyc.gov/tlc](http://nyc.gov/tlc) for up-to-date information.