

Version 5

6 December 2018

These updated FORS Terms and Conditions are issued to accompany the following documents:

- FORS Standard (version 5)
- FORS Rules and Procedures
- FORS Compliance and Enforcement Guidance for Operators

Your FORS membership and accreditation are governed by these Terms and Conditions. Please read them carefully. Your attention is brought in particular to the following changes:

Summary of changes to this document between version 4.1.iii 21 May 2018 and version 5 December 2018

Item	Version 4.1.iii	Version 5	Summary of change
2.1	-	Membership fee	Membership fee introduced for dormant organisations wishing to be reinstated more than once within their 12 months membership period
2.4	Whole Fleet Accreditation (WFA)	Internal Audit Fleet Accreditation (IAFA)	Change of terminology
2.4	Routes to FORS accreditation	Routes to FORS accreditation	Now refers to FORS Rules and Procedures for more details
2.6	Eligibility for accreditation	Accreditation award	Eligibility for accreditation details merged and incorporated into accreditation award condition
2.7	-	Audit appeal	New audit appeal condition
3.2	Progression	Progression	New detail about fitment of required vehicle safety equipment added
3.2.4	General obligations	General obligations	Now refers to offence under any other legislation as listed in the FORS Compliance and Enforcement Guidance for Operators
3.6	Changes to company details	Changes to company details	Now refers to the FORS Rules and Procedures for more details
8.2	Provision and use of data	Provision and use of data	Includes TfL and Environment Agency
15.3	Consequences of downgrading, suspension or termination	Consequences of downgrading, suspension or termination	Rewritten to incorporate second enhanced audit within the 6 month probation period
15.6	Consequences of downgrading, suspension or termination	Consequences of downgrading, suspension or termination	Rewritten to incorporate successful completion of two enhanced audits in order to reinstate the FORS accredited status after a suspension or downgrade period