

RTI 135/05715

Department of Transport and Main Roads

Scope of Application	Response
The number of Tow Truck Licence applications refused	1
Date of Tow Truck Licence application being refused	16 April 2018
Reason for refusal of application	<p><i>Applications for tow truck licences are considered under section 6 of the Tow Truck Act 1973. The relevant matters considered, including the report of the police commissioner, include regard to the need to ensure the reputation of the tow truck industry is not affected by the involvement in the industry of persons likely to adversely affect the industry's reputation and the legitimate expectation members of the public, particularly vulnerable members, have that they will not be subject to assaults or aggressive, coercive or otherwise inappropriate behaviour from persons involved in the tow truck industry.</i></p> <p><i>The decision maker was not satisfied that the applicant was an appropriate person to hold a tow truck licence and as such the application was refused.</i></p> <p><i>A Tow Truck Licence applicant has the right to ask that the decision be reviewed.</i></p>