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Drivers of vehicles that fall outside the scope of the EU drivers' hours rules are covered by the GB domestic drivers' hours rules

This includes vehicles working in the following areas:

 <p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>Vans</b> Not exceeding 3.5 tonnes</p>	 <p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>BUILDER</b></p> <p><b>Tradesmen</b> (e.g. building or construction)</p>	 <p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>Passenger transport</b> (operating on regular routes up to 31 miles/50km)</p>	 <p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>Local authority services</b> For the elderly &amp; disabled</p>
 <p><b>5</b></p> <p><b>NON PROFIT</b></p> <p><b>Charity work</b> (where employed drivers are used)</p>	 <p><b>6</b></p> <p><b>NHS</b></p> <p><b>NHS &amp; publicly owned medical vehicles</b></p>	 <p><b>7</b></p> <p><b>UTILITIES</b></p> <p><b>Utilities &amp; road maintenance</b> (e.g. gas / water)</p>	 <p><b>8</b></p> <p><b>MILK</b></p> <p><b>Milk</b> (not including bulk milk tankers)</p>
 <p><b>9</b></p> <p><b>WASTE</b></p> <p><b>Refuse collection</b></p>	 <p><b>10</b></p> <p><b>Breakdown</b></p>	 <p><b>11</b></p> <p><b>Agricultural, fishing and forestry</b> (used within a 62 mile (100km) radius from the base of operations)</p>	 <p><b>12</b></p> <p><b>GRIT</b></p> <p><b>"Gritters"</b> Vehicles designed for the spreading of rock salt directly onto roads/pavements.</p>
 <p><b>13</b></p>	 <p><b>LPG</b></p>		

**Special vehicles**  
(e.g. vehicles that operate on natural gas, electric or are not capable of speeds over 24mph (40km/h))

The main limits and requirements for goods vehicle drivers are:



**10 HOURS MAXIMUM DAILY DRIVING**      **11 HOURS MAXIMUM DAILY DUTY**

The main limits and requirements for passenger vehicle drivers are:



**10 HOURS MAXIMUM DAILY DRIVING**      **16 HOURS MAXIMUM DAILY DUTY**      **10 HOURS DAILY REST**      **NO WEEKLY REST REQUIREMENT**

At least one period of 24 hours off duty in any two consecutive weeks.



Domestic drivers hours regulations **do not apply** in an emergency situation.