

Factsheet

Scrap Metal Dealers Licensing Fee Structure 2021/2022

As 1st April 2021 Scrap Metal Dealers Fees will be set as follows:

| Application Type | New Application (£) | Renewal Fee (£) | Copy of Licence (£) |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Site Licence Application | £ 440.00 | £ 345.00 | £ 11.00 |
| Collectors Application | £ 265.00 | £ 218.00 | £ 11.00 |
| Variation to Site Application | £ 235.00 | - | £ 11.00 |
| Variation to Collectors Application | £ 142.00 | - | £ 11.00 |
| Replacement Vehicle Badge | £ 20.00 | - | - |
| Change of Details | £ 48.00 | - | - |

The fee is such sum as, in the authority's opinion, is sufficient to meet the direct and indirect costs which they may incur as a result of the application.

There are two types of scrap metal dealer's licence:

1. **Site Licence** – this allows the licensee to carry on a business as a scrap metal dealer at identified sites and transport scrap metal to and from those sites from any local authority area.
2. **Collectors Licence** – this allows the licensee to operate as a collector in the area of the issuing local authority. It does not allow the collector to operate in any other local authority area, so a separate licence has to be obtained from each council the collector wishes to operate in. This licence does not allow the licensee to operate a site.

NB: It should be noted that a dealer can only hold one type of licence in any one local authority area. They have to decide whether they are going to have a site or a mobile licence in any one area. They cannot hold both a site and a mobile collector's licence from the same council.