## DfT BLUE BADGE STATISTICS RETURN: 2012-13 [to be issued summer 2013]

d. If you have any additional comments on the above figures or general comments about abuse of the scheme, please include here:

## 1. Total Number of Valid Badges on Issue at 31 March 2013 Individuals eligible without further assessment i.e. recipients of the Higher Rate Mobility Component of the Disability Living Allowance, War Pensions' Mobility Supplement, or those who are registered blind. On issue at 31 March 2013 a. On Higher Rate Mobility Component of the Disability Living Allowance b. On War Pensioner's Mobility Supplement c. Who are registered blind Individuals eligible subject to further assessment i.e. individuals with a permanent and substantial disability which affects their mobility but are not eligible under the criteria described in a, b or c. d. Motorists with very severe disabilities in both arms (who are unable to operate, or have considerable difficulty in operating, all or some types of parking meters) e. People who have a permanent and substantial disability which causes inability to walk or very considerable difficult f. Children under the age of two who are dependent upon bulky medical equipment, or need to be near their vehicle in case they need emergency medical treatment Organisation i.e. organisations that care for disabled people (i.e. people that would qualify for a Badge under one or more of the eligibility criteria), e.g. residential or nursing homes On issue at 31 March 2013 g. Number of blue badges on issue to organisations TotalBlue Badges On issue at 31 March 2013 h. Total number of valid Blue Badges (sum a to g above) 0 2. Number of prosecutions for abuse of the scheme 1 April 2012 – 31 March 2013 a. Do you have a policy for prosecuting for abuse of the Blue Badge scheme? YES / NO b. How many people were prosecuted for abuse of the Blue Badge Scheme? c. How many of the prosecutions were targeted at i) the actual Badge holder (even if their Badge had expired by the time of the prosecution)? ii) A non-Badge holder using another person's Badge?

3. General	
a. Have there been any major changes that might have affected this year's form?	YES / NO
b. If YES, please give details here:	
c. Do you have any comments on the data that you have supplied (e.g. data quality issues, data unavailability)?	