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Hiring a stretched limousine need not be a hit and miss affair if you ask the right questions

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Tips for renting a stretched limousine

Hiring a stretched limousine need not be a hit and miss affair if you ask the right questions

No two limousine operators are the same and different organisations place varying levels of em

Similarly telephone enquiries can also provide an insight into how a limousine operator is lik

If you are visiting websites look for signs that they are a professional limousine operator. D

Because the limousines are a critical aspect of the hire, look to see if the website includes

If you come across a broker offering to secure quotations on your behalf you will need to cons

Whilst there is inevitably a temptation to decide on price, this should only form part of the

Another aspect to consider is the length of the hire. The average time taken to prepare a stre

Another aspect to bear in mind when searching for a limousine for your event is reliability. S

Questions to ask Limousine Operators

How long have you been in business?

How many vehicles do you have?

Where are you based?

How old are your vehicles?

Where can I view your limousines?

Are there any minimum charges or hire durations?

Are you a full-time limousine operator?

What does the price include (VAT, Drinks, Gratuities etc)?

What contingencies do you have if the limousine breaks down?

What guarantee do I have that I will receive the limousine I have chosen?

Do you have the appropriate private hire insurance, can I view it?

Will I receive a written confirmation of the price?

Do you provide a booking confirmation with the itinerary and price included?

What payment methods do you accept?

What is the deposit and when is the balance due?

What livery is on the limousine is it discreet?

Questions to ask Brokers

What does your accreditation or approval process consist of?

How often do you complete this procedure?

Will I be able to see a copy of the last report for the company I book with?

How can I be certain that I will receive the limousine I ask for?

Do you provide any guarantees regarding operator reliability?  
Will I have to pay any extra if I use your service, either directly or indirectly?  
Who do I pay?  
How can I be certain that you are truly an independent service?  
Can I be sure that my email address will only be used for the purpose of a quotation?

None of these questions are unreasonable and no professional limousine operator will have any

In summary:

Prepare your questions in advance  
Know who you are dealing with (Trading name, physical address, landline number etc)  
Don't be frightened of asking probing questions.  
Insist on viewing images of the actual limousine or visit the premises  
Get everything in writing, the quotation and the itinerary  
Make sure you are comparing on a genuine 'like for like' basis  
Consider hiring your limousine mid-week, where significant savings can be gained  
Never be tempted to decide on price alone  
If in doubt, keep searching!

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