Driver pre-trip walk-around inspection guide

**Before moving off check**
- ✔ Steering for excessive free movement
- ✔ No apparent air leaks from brakes
- ✔ All switches and warning lights operate correctly
- ✔ Heating and ventilation system operate correctly
- ✔ Sufficient fuel to complete trip

**Horn and speedometer**
- ✔ Working correctly

**Labels**
- ✔ CoF label is displayed on the windscreen and is current
- ✔ Certificate of loading is displayed and is visible to the driver

**Vision**
- ✔ Forward vision is clear of any obstructions (including on dashboard)
- ✔ Wipers work correctly
- ✔ Windscreen clean and not cracked
- ✔ Wiper blades not damaged
- ✔ Washer fluid container full
- ✔ Windscreen washers work correctly
- ✔ Sunvisor is clean and not cracked
- ✔ Rear-vision mirrors are intact, clean and correctly adjusted

**Lights and indicators**
- ✔ All lights work correctly including hazard lights
- ✔ Lenses are clean and not cracked

**Licences**
- ✔ Registration licence is current and displayed
- ✔ Road User Licence is current and displayed
- ✔ Correct TSL label displayed

**Door and seatbelts**
- ✔ All doors open and close fully
- ✔ Fire extinguishers serviced and ready to use
- ✔ Seatbelts working correctly

**Fluid leaks** (this check must also be carried out on the other side of the vehicle)
- ✔ No fluid leaks from engine, fuel system or waste water tank

**Wheels and tyres** (this check must also be carried out on the other side of the vehicle)
- ✔ Tyres are correctly inflated and not damaged
- ✔ Wheel nuts are tight
- ✔ Wheels not damaged
- ✔ No cuts or bulges in tyre sidewalls
- ✔ Adequate tread depth

**Reflectors, tow coupling, load anchorages, tail lights, indicators and air hoses**
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**Hubodometer**
- ✔ Fitted and not damaged
- ✔ Recording correctly
- ✔ Easily readable

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