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amended by City of Toronto Council on July 19 and
20, 2022

CITY OF TORONTO

Bill 1070

BY-LAW -2022

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 591, Noise, with respect to time restrictions for noise from power devices and new provincial limits on the City's authority to regulate noise in connection with the delivery of goods.

Whereas Council authorized amendments to Chapter 591, Noise on July 19 and 20, 2022;

The Council of the City of Toronto enacts:

1. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 591, Noise, is amended as follows:

a. Amending § 591-2.4 so that it reads as follows:

§ 591-2.4. Loading and unloading.

- A. No person shall emit or cause or permit the emission of sound resulting from loading, unloading, delivering, packing, unpacking, and otherwise handling any containers, products or materials from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. the next day, except until 9 a.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and statutory holidays.
- B. In accordance with section 115.1 of the City of Toronto Act, 2006, Subsection A does not apply to the delivery of goods to the following, except as otherwise authorized by a regulation made under that section:
 - (1) Retail business establishments.
 - (2) Restaurants, including cafes and bars.
 - (3) Hotels and motels.
 - (4) Goods distribution facilities.

b. Amending § 591-2.6 so that it reads as follows:

§ 591-2.6. Power devices.

- A. No person shall emit or cause or permit the emission of sound from a power device from 7 p.m. until 8 a.m. the next day, except until 9 a.m. on Saturdays, Sundays and statutory holidays.

- B. Subsection A does not apply to a power device used to maintain a golf course or public park or carry out City operations including services contracted by the City.
- c. Adding a new § 591-3.1E as follows:
 - E. Waste collection.
- 2. This by-law shall come into force on the day it is passed, except for the following section:
 - a. Section 1b of this by-law shall come into force on September 1, 2022.

Enacted and passed on July , 2022.

Frances Nunziata,
Speaker

John D. Elvidge,
City Clerk

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