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CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 825-2004

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, respecting the mechanical inspections of taxicabs.

WHEREAS Section 150 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, grants local municipalities the authority to license, regulate and govern any business wholly or partly carried on within the municipality for purposes of health and safety, consumer protection and/or nuisance control, and

WHEREAS Section 169-26.1 of Municipal Code Chapter 169, Officials, City, allows the City Solicitor to process by-laws required to implement an action of Council where the recommendation to amend a particular by-law has been omitted; and

WHEREAS The Joint Report dated January 22, 2004, addressed to the Planning and Transportation Committee from the Commissioner of Urban Development Services and the Commissioner of Corporate Services entitled "Mechanical Inspections of Licensed Vehicles" and referred to the Policy and Finance Committee for consideration with the 2004 Operating Budget, inadvertently omitted a recommendation to amend Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, to reflect the change in policy to providing mechanical inspections of taxicabs twice per year instead of three times per year; and

WHEREAS the Council of the City of Toronto has deemed it desirable to clarify in Chapter 545 the new policy of providing mechanical inspections of taxicabs twice per year instead of three times per year;

The Council of the City of Toronto HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

1. Subsection 545-139A(1) of Article VIII of Chapter 545, Licensing, of The City of Toronto Municipal Code is amended by deleting the phrase, "regularly thereafter" and replacing it with the phrase, "twice a year thereafter as scheduled by the Executive Director".

ENACTED AND PASSED this 30th day of September, A.D. 2004.

DAVID R. MILLER, Mayor ULLI S. WATKISS
City Clerk

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