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CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 525-2006

To amend the City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 767, Taxation, to provide a Tax Rebate Program for Veteran's Clubhouses and Legion Halls for the years 2007 and beyond.

WHEREAS section 361(4) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides authority for municipalities to create tax rebate programs which provide tax rebates to organizations that are similar to charities, or a class of such organizations defined by the municipality; and

WHEREAS pursuant to Article IX of Chapter 767, Taxation, of The City of Toronto Municipal Code, City Council created a tax rebate program for Veteran's Clubhouses and Legion Halls which program provides rebates in the amount of 100% of taxes levied, for the years 2002 to 2006; and

WHEREAS Council wishes to continue the Tax Rebate Program for eligible Veteran's Clubhouses and Legion Halls in 2007 and beyond;

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

1. Section 767-37 of Chapter 767, Taxation is amended by inserting the words “, or a portion thereof,” into the definition of “Eligible Property” after the words “Lands or building”.
2. Section 767-38 of Chapter 767, Taxation, is amended by:
 - (1) adding the words “or credited to the property tax account for the eligible property” after the words “paid to the eligible organization”; and
 - (2) deleting the words “for each of 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006”.
3. Section 767-39C of Chapter 767, Taxation, is deleted and the following substituted:
 - C. No taxes or other charges remain in arrears on the eligible property, or on a non-eligible portion of the property occupied by the eligible organization.
4. Subsection 767-39D of Chapter 767, Taxation, is amended by deleting the words “by September 1 of each year” and substituting the words “by the application due date set by the Treasurer for each year”.
5. Subsection 767-40C of Chapter 767, Taxation, is deleted, and the following substituted:
 - C. Include the applicant's acknowledgment and consent that the information provided on the application form may be verified by the City.

6. Subsection 767-40D of Chapter 767, Taxation, is amended by deleting the words “the first day of September of each year” and substituting the words “the annual application due date set by the Treasurer”.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 29th day of June, A.D. 2006.

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