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by City of Toronto Council on July 25, 26 and 27, 2006
Enacted by Council: September 27, 2006

CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 968-2006

**To amend Municipal Code Chapter 223, Remuneration for Council Members, to provide
for term and annual adjustments.**

WHEREAS in the *Municipal Act, 2001*, the authority to pay remuneration to members of Council is found in section 8, as interpreted under section 9, and is subject to the limitations in section 283; and

WHEREAS the *City of Toronto Act, 2006* may come into force before January 1, 2007, and in that Act the authority to pay remuneration is continued in section 7, as interpreted under section 6, and is subject to the limitations in section 222; and

WHEREAS Council adopted changes to the compensation for elected officials in 2007 as set out in Clause 57 of Policy and Finance Committee Report 6, as amended and adopted by City of Toronto Council at its meeting held on July 25, 26 and 27, 2006; and

WHEREAS under § 169-26A of the Municipal Code, the City Solicitor may process by-laws where an action is authorized by Council and if the recommendation to amend a by-law or introduce a bill has been omitted, and Municipal Code Chapter 223, Remuneration for Council Members, should also be amended to reflect the changes;

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

1. Chapter 223, Remuneration for Council Members, of The City of Toronto Municipal Code is amended by deleting §§ 223-1, 223-2 and 223-3 and substituting the following:

§ 223-1. Four year adjustment.

- A. A study shall be done before the beginning of each term of Council to determine an appropriate comparator group defined by a specialist consultant for the Mayor and for the other members of Council.
- B. On the first January 1 of each term of Council:
 - (1) The remuneration paid to the Mayor shall be the greater of the current remuneration for the Mayor and the 75th percentile of the comparator group for the Mayor on that date.
 - (2) The remuneration paid to each member of Council, other than the Mayor, shall be the greater of the current remuneration for the other members of Council and the 75th percentile of the comparator group for the other members of Council on that date.

§ 223-2. Annual increase.

In the years following 2007, the remuneration paid to the Mayor and the other members of Council shall be increased annually on January 1 of the year by the increase in Statistics Canada's Toronto Consumer Price Index, as calculated by the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer and based on the previous year's average.

2. This by-law comes into force on January 1, 2007.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 27th day of September, A.D. 2006.

DAVID R. MILLER,
Mayor

ULLI S. WATKISS
City Clerk

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