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CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 514-2010

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, respecting inclusion of the harmonized sales tax (H.S.T.) in taxicab fares for Toronto licensed taxicabs.

WHEREAS Subsection 94(1) of the *City of Toronto Act, 2006* grants the authority establish the rates or fares to be charged by owners and drivers of taxicabs; and

WHEREAS the G.S.T. since its inception has been included in taxicab fares in the City of Toronto; and

WHEREAS the Province of Ontario is harmonizing Ontario's 8% Provincial Sales Tax (P.S.T.) with the Federal government's Goods and Services Tax (G.S.T.) of 5%; and

WHEREAS this Harmonized Sales Tax (H.S.T.) of 13%, which will be applied to all taxicab fares in the Province of Ontario, will come into effect on July 1, 2010;

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

1. Appendix C to Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, is amended by

A. deleting the following entries:

For the first 0.155 Km or part thereof	\$4.00
For each additional 0.155 Km or part thereof	\$0.25
For waiting time while under engagement, for each 31 seconds	\$0.25

B. replacing the deleted entries in Appendix C with the following:

For the first 0.143 Km or part thereof	\$4.25
For each additional 0.143 Km or part thereof	\$0.25
For waiting time while under engagement, for each 29 seconds	\$0.25

ENACTED AND PASSED this 12th day of May, A.D. 2010.

GLORIA LINDSAY LUBY,
Deputy Speaker

ULLI S. WATKISS
City Clerk

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