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CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 1520-2013

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 27, Council Procedures, to suspend certain powers of the Mayor for the remainder of the Council term.

Whereas pursuant to Municipal Code Chapter 27-7, Council Procedures, Council may suspend rules in the Procedures By-law and substitute special rules for a defined period of time;

The Council of the City of Toronto enacts:

1. The following rules in Municipal Code Chapter 27, Council Procedures, are suspended until November 30, 2014:
 - (a) Subsection 27-57C;
 - (b) Subsection 27-90B;
 - (c) Appendix B - Committees, II - Special Committees, section 2B(1), the words "including the Mayor as Chair or the Deputy Mayor if the Mayor so assigns";
 - (d) Appendix B - Committees, II - Special Committees, section 3B, the words "including the Mayor or the Mayor's designate as Chair";
 - (e) Appendix B - Committees, II - Special Committees, section 5B(1)(b);
 - (f) Subsection 27-65C(1);
 - (g) Appendix B - Committees, I - Executive Committee, section 3B and 3C; and
 - (h) Section 27-133.
2. The following special rules are substituted:
 - (a) The Mayor can no longer designate or set times for key matters.
 - (b) The Mayor can no longer elect to speak first or last on agenda items.
 - (c) The Deputy Mayor chairs the Striking Committee by virtue of office and the Mayor no longer has the power to chair or assign the chair's position.
 - (d) If a vacancy in the chair of the Civic Appointments Committee occurs, City Council fills the vacancy and the committee elects its own chair.
 - (e) If a vacancy occurs in the position designated by the Mayor on the Affordable Housing Committee, City Council fills the vacancy.

- (f) The City Clerk consults with the Speaker instead of the Mayor on the urgency of motions without notice received after the agenda closing and before the Council meeting under § 27-65.
- (g) The Deputy Mayor is the Chair of Executive Committee and the Executive Committee elects a vice chair from among its members.
- (h) The Mayor is no longer a member of all Council committees by virtue of office and does not enjoy the rights and privileges of other committee members when present at a committee meeting.

Enacted and passed on November 18, 2013.

Frances Nunziata,
Speaker

Ulli S. Watkiss,
City Clerk

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