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2025  
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Decision 2-2025 dated February 5, 2025

## **CITY OF TORONTO**

### **BY-LAW 93-2025**

**To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 903, Parking for Persons with Disabilities, City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 910, Parking Machines, Parking Meters and Mobile Only Zones, City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 950, Traffic and Parking, and City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 925, Permit Parking, in relation to updating accessible parking permit exemptions.**

The Council of the City of Toronto enacts:

1. A. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 903, Parking for Persons with Disabilities, is amended by:
  - i. Amending section 903-4 by inserting the word "and" after subsection B and inserting a new subsection C as follows:

“C. if the vehicle displaying the permit in accordance with § 903-4A or § 903-4B is a passenger vehicle or commercial vehicle that does not exceed 3,000 kilograms.”
  - ii. Amending section 903-5B by deleting subsection (1) and inserting a new subsection (1) as follows:

“(1) The exemptions set out in § 903-5A do not apply so as to permit any person to park or stand a vehicle with a permit displayed on any highway for a period exceeding 24 hours, except in a designated parking space on a highway licensed for overnight permit parking, a parking machine parking space or mobile only zone parking space, pursuant to the provisions of any by-law or municipal code of the City or a former municipality. For further clarity, in the event a person parks or stands a vehicle with a permit displayed on any highway for a period exceeding 24 hours, except as set out in the previous sentence, that person shall be liable to prosecution as if they had violated the restrictions or time limits in relation to parking or standing a vehicle as set out in the applicable by-law or municipal code section.”
- B. Section 910-9 of City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 910, Parking Machines, Parking Meters and Mobile Only Zones, is amended by inserting a new Subsection F as follows:

“F. Despite any other provision of the Municipal Code or any other City of Toronto By-law, a vehicle displaying an accessible permit and weighing more than 3,000 kilograms will not be exempt from the requirement to pay or deposit a fee and to use or activate the parking meter.”

- C. Section 950-405 of City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 950, Traffic and Parking, is amended by deleting subsection B and inserting a new subsection B as follows:

“B. No parking a bus certain times.

Where official signs prohibiting parking are displayed, no person shall park a bus on any highway at the side and between the limits set out in Schedule XIII in § 950-1312 during the prohibited times and/or days set out in Schedule XIII.”

- D. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 925, Permit Parking, is amended by:

- i. deleting subsection P from Section 925-5 and inserting a new Subsection P as follows:

“P. A person with an accessible parking permit issued by the Ministry of Transportation shall be exempted from this chapter provided the accessible permit is displayed on a vehicle which is under 3,000 kilograms in weight and not longer than 5.2 meters in length.”

- ii. inserting a new Subsection (6) in section 925-5N as follows:

“(6) A valid permit will be considered invalid if hooked or attached to a trailer or storage container or bin.”

2. Section 1 of this By-law shall take effect on February 10, 2025.

Enacted and passed on February 5, 2025.

Frances Nunziata,  
Speaker

John D. Elvidge,  
City Clerk

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