

Authority: Economic and Community Development
Committee Item EC10.3, adopted as amended by City of
Toronto Council on March 20, 21 and 22, 2024

CITY OF TORONTO

Bill 281

BY-LAW -2024

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 591, Noise, to update noise regulations with respect to stationary motor vehicles.

Whereas the City has the authority to pass by-laws respecting the health, safety and well-being of persons under section 8 of the City of Toronto Act, 2006; and

Whereas City Council wishes to update the regulations for noise with respect to stationary motor vehicles in the City of Toronto;

The Council of the City of Toronto enacts:

1. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 591, Noise, is amended by:
 - a. Amending § 591-2.5C so it reads as follows:
 - C. No person shall emit or cause or permit the emission of any sound from a stationary motor vehicle exceeding the following when measured at least 50 cm from the exhaust outlet using a sound level meter:
 - (1) 92 dB(A) at idle; or
 - (2) 96 dB(A) at any engine speed greater than idle.
2. This by-law shall come into force on June 1, 2024

Enacted and passed on March , 2024.

Frances Nunziata,
Speaker

John D. Elvidge,
City Clerk

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