CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 951-2000

To amend further Metropolitan Toronto By-law No. 20-85, a by-law “Respecting the licensing, regulating and governing of trades, callings, businesses and occupations in the Metropolitan Area”, a by-law of the former Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto, and to amend further By-law No. 574-2000, a by-law “Respecting the licensing, regulating and governing of trades, businesses and occupations in the City of Toronto, respecting taxicabs”.

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

1. Schedule 8 to By-law No. 20-85, as amended, a by-law “Respecting the licensing, regulating and governing of trades, callings, businesses and occupations in the Metropolitan Area”, a by-law of the former Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto, as amended, is further amended by adding the following section:

2.1 (1) Every applicant for the renewal of a licence as a driver shall:

(a) attend and successfully complete the taxicab driver’s refresher training course provided by the Municipal Licensing and Standards Division once every two consecutive years, which course shall address skills relating to taxicab driving as set out in a curriculum approved by the Executive Director or his or her designate; and

(b) subject to subsection (2) of this section, successfully complete a one-day First Aid and Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation course provided by the Ambulance Services Division of the City of Toronto’s Works and Emergency Services Department, or by such other agency as may be approved by the Executive Director, once every three consecutive years.

(2) Clause (1)(b) of this section does not apply to any driver who is unable to attend the course prescribed therein due to health reasons and who files with the Municipal Licensing and Standards Division a medical certificate or report from a qualified medical practitioner stating that such driver is unable to attend the course due to health reasons.
2. Schedule 8 to By-law No. 574-2000, “A By-law for the licensing, regulating and governing trades, businesses and occupations in the City of Toronto,” as amended, is further amended by adding the following section:

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(2) Clause (1)(b) of this section does not apply to any driver who is unable to attend the course prescribed therein due to health reasons and who files with the Municipal Licensing and Standards Division a medical certificate or report from a qualified medical practitioner stating that such driver is unable to attend the course due to health reasons.

3. (1) Section 1 of this by-law shall be deemed to have come into effect on August 3, 2000.

(2) Section 2 of this by-law shall come into effect on January 1, 2001.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 5th day of October, A.D. 2000.

CASE OOTES, NOVINA WONG,
Deputy Mayor City Clerk

(Corporate Seal)