CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 520-2003

To amend Municipal Code Chapter 844, Waste Collection, Residential Properties, to provide for an exemption to the six item collection limit for garbage.

WHEREAS certain provisions in Municipal Code Chapter 844, Waste Collection, Residential Properties, require amendment to provide for an exemption to the six item collection limit for garbage;

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

1. The City of Toronto Municipal Code is amended as follows:

A. Section 844-1 is amended as follows:

(1) By adding the following definitions after the definition of DWELLING UNIT:

EXEMPTION POLICY – The policy established by the Commissioner from time to time, as authorized by City Council, which sets out the terms and conditions under which owners may apply for and be granted permission to set out a number of garbage containers which exceeds the limit set out in §§844-9A.

EXEMPTION TAG – A tag provided by the City to an owner to enable an owner to set out a number of garbage containers which exceeds the limit set out in §§844-9A.

B. Section 844-9 is amended as follows:

(1) By adding the following as subsection C:

C. Despite Subsection A, an owner may set out a number of garbage containers which exceeds the limit set out in §§844-9A if:

(1) The owner applies for and is granted an exemption under the exemption policy; and

(2) The exemption is not revoked and the owner complies with all applicable provisions of the exemption policy and this chapter.

C. Section 844-20 is amended as follows:

(1) By deleting the word “or” at the end of Subsection G.
(2) By adding the following as Subsection I:

I. Sell or otherwise transfer in any manner an exemption tag to any other person; or

(3) By adding the following as Subsection J:

J. If the person has been granted an exemption under an exemption policy, set out a number of garbage containers which exceeds the limit set out in §§844-9A unless the person has placed, in accordance with the exemption policy, an exemption tag on each garbage container which exceeds the limit set out in §§844-9A.

D. Section 844-24 is amended as follows:

(1) By deleting the word “and” at the end of Subsection H.

(2) By renumbering Subsection I as Subsection J.

(3) By adding the following as Subsection I:

I. Receive applications under an exemption policy, grant, deny or revoke exemptions in accordance with the exemption policy and otherwise enforce the exemption policy; and

2. The following By-laws shall continue to be in effect, provided that in the event of a conflict between Chapter 844 and a by-law referred to below, Chapter 844 shall prevail.

A. Toronto, Chapter 309, as amended.
B. Etobicoke, Chapter 149, as amended.
C. East York, By-law No. 1-86, as amended.
D. York, By-law No. 2890-78, as amended.
E. Scarborough, By-law No. 24478, as amended.
F. North York, By-law No. 21732, as amended.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 26th day of June, A.D. 2003.

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