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CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 1272-2007

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, respecting the addition of approved professional holistic associations to Appendix L.

WHEREAS the *City of Toronto Act, 2006* grants the City of Toronto the authority to enact by-laws for the licensing, regulating and governing of businesses wholly or partly carried on in the City of Toronto; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto has decided that it is in the public interest to require all applicants for a holistic practitioners license to present proof that they are members in good standing of a professional holistic association to prevent unqualified people from obtaining holistic practitioners licenses; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto has evaluated the Ontario Natural Therapists Certification Program (ONTCP), Reflexology Association of Canada, and Ontario Osteopathic and Alternative Medicine Association on the basis of their governance, membership and membership services, and ethics and discipline, and confirmed that they meet the City of Toronto's criteria to be included as professional holistic associations;

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

1. Appendix L, List of Professional Holistic Associations, to Chapter 545, Licensing, is amended by adding, to the end of the current list, the following associations as Professional Holistic Associations for the purposes of licensing holistic practitioners and owners:
 20. Ontario Natural Therapists Certification Program (ONTCP);
 21. Reflexology Association of Canada; and
 22. Ontario Osteopathic and Alternative Medicine Association.

ENACTED AND PASSED this 20th day of November, A.D. 2007.

SANDRA BUSSIN,
Speaker

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City Clerk

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