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CITY OF TORONTO

BY-LAW No. 496-2009

To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, to prohibit operation of re-built vehicles as limousines and repeal requirement that vehicles have been continuously registered in Ontario since purchase.

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, pursuant to that authority, the City of Toronto has decided that it is in the public interest to prohibit the use of any vehicle branded by the Ontario Ministry of Transportation as a rebuilt vehicle as a limousine; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that authority, the City of Toronto has decided that it is no longer necessary for the protection of the public interest to require every vehicle used as a limousine to have been registered in Ontario at the time of its original purchase and to have maintained continuous registration in Ontario from the time of its original purchase;

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

1. Article VIII, Owners and Drivers of Cabs, Chapter 545, Licensing, is amended by deleting subsection 545-140K.
2. Subsection 545-476, Age of Vehicles, of Article XXXIX, Owners and Drivers of Limousines and Limousine Service Companies, Chapter 545, Licensing, is amended by adding section 545-476C which shall contain the words "No owner shall use or permit any motor vehicle to be used as a limousine if it is branded by the Ontario Ministry of Transportation as a rebuilt vehicle."

ENACTED AND PASSED this 30th day of April, A.D. 2009.

SANDRA BUSSIN,
Speaker

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