## **CITY OF TORONTO**

## BY-LAW 396-2021

## To amend City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, Chapter 546, Licensing of Vehicles-for-Hire, and Chapter 547, Licensing and Registration of Short-Term Rentals to extend the licence and registration cancellation periods for 2021 renewals.

Whereas authority is given to Council by the City of Toronto Act, 2006 to create a system of business licences and to set corresponding fees and charges; and

Whereas Council wishes to extend the time to renew licences and registrations before they are cancelled from 90 days to 150 days for 2021 renewals, without applying late fees during this extended renewal period;

The Council of the City of Toronto enacts:

1. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 545, Licensing, is amended by adding a new § 545-6G, which reads as follows:

Despite Subsections D and E, with respect only to licences issued under this chapter that expire in 2021, no person shall be required to pay a late renewal administration fee, but where a person holding such licence fails to renew it within 150 days of the specified renewal date, the licence shall be cancelled and the person shall be required to apply for a new licence under this chapter and pay all applicable fees.

2. City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 546, Licensing of Vehicles-for-Hire, is amended by adding a new § 546-6G, which reads as follows:

Despite Subsections D and E, with respect only to licences issued under this chapter that expire in 2021, no person shall be required to pay a late renewal administration fee, but where a person holding such licence fails to renew it within 150 days of the specified renewal date, the licence shall be cancelled and the person shall be required to apply for a new licence under this chapter and pay all applicable fees.

**3.** City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 547, Licensing and Registration of Short-Term Rentals, is amended by adding a new §547-2.2D that reads as follows:

Despite Subsection B and C, with respect only to licences or registrations issued under this chapter that expire in 2021, no person shall be required to pay a late renewal administration fee, but where a person holding such licence or registration fails to renew it within 150 days of the specified renewal date, the licence or registration shall be cancelled and the person shall be required to apply for a new licence or registration under this chapter and pay all applicable fees. Enacted and passed on May 6, 2021.

Frances Nunziata, Speaker John D. Elvidge, City Clerk

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