

## THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BRAMPTON

## **BY-LAW**

Number 264 - 2016

To amend Mobile Licensing By-law 67-2014, regarding English language requirements for applicants applying for Taxicab or Limousine Driver Licences.

Whereas the *Municipal Act, 2001,* Section 11, provides that a municipality may regulate businesses for the health, safety and well being of persons;

Whereas the *Municipal Act, 2001,* Part IV – Licenses, provides that a municipality may pass by-laws for licensing, regulating and governing any business wholly or partly carried on within a municipality;

Whereas the *Municipal Act, 2001, Subsection 151 (1)*, provides that a municipality may provide for a system of licenses with respect to a business and may prohibit the carrying on or engaging in the business without a licence, refusing, revoking or suspending a licence, imposing conditions on a licence, regulating property used for a business that requires a licence and regulating persons carrying on a business that requires a licence; and

Whereas the Council for the City of Brampton considers it desirable to include a provision that the taxi applicant be able to communicate in English.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Corporation of the City of Brampton ENACTS as follows:

- 1. Mobile Licensing By-law 67-2014, as amended, is further amended by DELETING subsection 6(2);
  - 6(2). Every Applicant for a Taxicab or Limousine Driver's Licence shall have a working knowledge of English.
- 2. Mobile Licensing By-law 67-2014, as amended, is further amended by ADDING the revised subsection 6(2);
  - 6(2). Every Applicant for a Taxicab or Limousine Driver's Licence shall be able to communicate in English.

## ENACTED and PASSED this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2016.

Approved as to form.

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**Denis Squires** 

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