

## THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF BRAMPTON



## 107-78

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A By-Law to amend By-Law 77-74 as amended

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the City of Brampton wish to amend By-Law 77-74 as amended to extend the period which an automobile may be utilized as a taxicab in the City of Brampton;

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

- That By-Law 77-74 as amended be further amended as follows:
  - A) That Section 9 be deleted and the following substituted therefore:
    - 9.(1) Every owner shall have affixed to each cab (other than a livery cab) in respect of which such owner is licensed, a taximeter which shall register distances travelled, record trips and units, and compute fares to be paid, and for all cabs so equipped, the taximeter shall be:
      - (a) Submitted for the testing, inspection and sealing by such person as the License Issuer designates in the period between April 15th and May 31st (both inclusive) and September 15th and October 31st, (both inclusive) in each year, and at such other times as required by such person designated by the Licensing Issuer.

- 9.(b) Illuminated between sunset and sunrise.
  - (c) In a raised position in plain view of the passengers and approved by the License Issuer or a person designated by the Licensing Issuer.
  - (d) Adjusted in accordance with the rates prescribed by Tariff "A" of this By-Law.
  - (e) Tested by running the cab to which it is attached over a measured track or distance before being sealed, or by such mechanical means as the License Issuer may approve.
  - (f) Used only when the seal thereon is intact.
  - (g) Kept in good working condition at all times and not used when defective in any way.
  - (h) Numbered and not used until approved by the License Issuer or person designated by the License Issuer.
  - (i) Equipped with a luminous yellow or illuminated metal plate or flag attached to the top thereof and approved by the License Issuer or person designated by the License Issuer; which plate or flag shall be in a lowered position when the taxi meter is in operation and in a raised position clearly visible from any direction outside the cab when such meter is not in operation, and shall be connected to the electric sign, referred to in section 9...hereof in such manner that the sign is lighted when the plate or flag is raised and extinguished when the same is lowered.

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9.(2)	If a Taximeter is repaired or altered when
	the License Issuer is not available, the
	Taxicab to which such Taximeter is affixed
	may be operated without the Taximeter having
	been tested or sealed, until the License
	Issuer or his designate is again on duty;
	but only if the owner or driver of such
	Taxicab has in his possession a certificate
	from the person who makes the repairs or
	alteration, stating the time, date and
	nature thereof and the place where the
	work was done, (and such certificate has
	been countersigned by the officer in
	charge of the Police Station nearest to
	such place).

- 9.(3) No Driver or Owner of a Taxicab equipped with a Taximeter shall operate or permit to be operated any such Taxicab until:
  - (a) He has submitted such metered vehicle to the License Issuer for approval.
  - (b) He has attended the office of the License Issuer and produced a Provincial motor vehicle permit issued with respect to such motor vehicle for the current year.
  - (c) The Taximeter has been tested and sealed by the License Issuer or a person authorized by him.

b) That Section 10 be inserted as follows:

10. No motor vehicle shall be used as a Taxicab by an Independent Owner being the sole driver of such Taxicab unless the year date for such motor vehicle is less than five years prior to the year in which the cab owners License is issued or renewed for such cab and;

By any other cab owner unless the year date B) of such motor vehicle is less than 5 (five) years prior to the year in which the cab owner's License for such a cab is issued or renewed.

READ a FIRST, SECOND and THIRD TIME and PASSED in Open Council this 8th day of May, 1978.

am James E. Archdekin, Mayor

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Kenneth R. Richardson, Clerk

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