

CITY OF PRINCE GEORGE
BYLAW NO. 7559

A Bylaw of the City of Prince George to amend City of Prince George Business License Bylaw No. 6279.

WHEREAS Council enacted "City of Prince George Business License Bylaw No. 6279, 1994" to authorize the issuance of business licenses and to regulate businesses within the boundaries of the City of Prince George;

AND WHEREAS Council wishes to amend the "City of Prince George Business License Bylaw No. 6279, 1994" by removing the fees and charges schedules set out in the Bylaw and listing them in the "City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004";

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the City of Prince George, in open meeting assembled, **ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That Schedules "A", "B", and "C" of the "City of Prince George Business License Bylaw No. 6279, 1994" be, and are, hereby removed in their entirety and placed in "City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557" as Schedules "A-2(a)", "A-2(b)", and "A-2(c)", respectively.
2. That Section 2.3 – FEES, be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"The fees payable for Business Licenses are those set forth in the "City of Prince George Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004" as Schedules "A-2(a)", "A-2(b)", and "A-2(c)", and no license shall be issued until the fee has been paid to the City and the Business License Inspector has approved the granting of the license."
3. That Section 2.5 – TRANSFER be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"No License shall be transferred from one person in respect of certain premises to that same person in respect of another premises, without prior approval of the License Inspector, and the payment for the required transfer fee outlined in Schedule "A-2(b)" of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004". Such transfer shall be refused by the License Inspector where the premises to which the applicant wishes to transfer the License do not comply with the requirements of the City's bylaws regulating building, zoning, health, sanitation, and business."
4. That Section 2.13 – ASSIGNMENT ON SALE OF BUSINESS be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"In the event of a sale of the business for which such License is issued, the Inspector may permit an assignment of the License to the purchaser of the business on an application for assignment upon receipt of the fee outlined in Schedule "A-2(b)" of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004". Such transfer shall not, however, be approved if the proposed Assignee is not a person qualified under the terms of this or any other Bylaw to carry on the business for which the License was issued, or if the premises do not comply with the requirements of the Bylaws of the City regulating building, zoning, health, sanitation, and business."

5. That Section 5.1 – FEES be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"The Business License fees are those set forth in Schedule "A-2(a)" of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004", and shall be tendered with the Business License application."

6. That Section 5.2 – TRANSFER FEES be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"The fees to transfer a business license or to change of the ownership of the business are set forth in Schedule "A-2(b)" of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004" and shall be tendered with appropriate application."

7. That Section 5.3 – PAYMENT OF FEES be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"No License shall be issued to an applicant for a business until the fee prescribed for that business or class of business in Schedule "A-2(a)", of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004", has been paid by the City."

8. That Section 6.4(b) – PAYMENT OF FEES be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"The application fees are those set out in Schedule "A-2(c)" of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557"."

9. That Section 6.7 – REPLACEMENT OF LICENSE be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:


"Where a license plate is lost, stolen, destroyed, or becomes illegible or mutilated, the owner may apply for a replacement thereof. The License Inspector, if satisfied of the truth of the facts, may cause a new license plate to be issued, for a fee as outlined in Schedule "A-2(c)" of the "Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004"."

10. That Section 6.8 – TRANSFER OF LICENSE be, and is, removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:
“Upon application a license plate may be transferred from:
a) person to person for the same vehicle, or
b) vehicle to vehicle for the person,
subject to the payment of the transfer fee as outlined in Schedule “A-2(c)” of the “Comprehensive Fees and Charges Bylaw No. 7557, 2004” and any sum representing the difference in license fee required for the transfer of a license plate to a vehicle of greater gross vehicle weight (GVW).”
11. That Section 8.3 – SCHEDULES be, and is, removed in its entirety, and Section 8.4 – CITATIONS is renumbered as Section 8.3.
12. That “City of Prince George Business Licence Bylaw No. 6279, 1994, Amendment bylaw No. 7467, 2003” is hereby repealed in its entirety.
13. The Mayor and Clerk are hereby empowered to do all things necessary to give effect to this Bylaw.
14. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "City of Prince George Business License Bylaw No. 6279, 1994, Amendment Bylaw No. 7559, 2004".


READ A FIRST TIME THIS THE 4th DAY OF October , 2004.
READ A SECOND TIME THIS THE 4th DAY OF October , 2004.
READ A THIRD TIME THIS THE 4th DAY OF October , 2004.

All three readings passed by a unanimous decision of Members of City Council present and eligible to vote.

ADOPTED THIS THE 18th DAY OF October 2004, BY A unanimous DECISION OF ALL MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL PRESENT AND ELIGIBLE TO VOTE.



MAYOR



CLERK