

FILE NO. 98-1039

ORDINANCE NO. 301-98

1 [Paratransit]
 2 AMENDING PART II, CHAPTER VIII, ARTICLE 16 OF THE SAN FRANCISCO MUNICIPAL
 3 CODE (POLICE CODE) BY ADDING SECTION 1147.8 THERETO, REQUIRING ALL
 4 TAXICAB COLOR SCHEMES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CITY'S PARATRANSIT
 5 PROGRAM.

Note: This entire section is new.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. Article 16 of the San Francisco Police Code is hereby amended by adding Section 1147.8, to read as follows:

SEC. 1147.8. PARTICIPATION IN PARATRANSIT PROGRAM.

(a) Beginning January 1, 2000, each holder of a taxicab color scheme permit, as defined in Section 1125 of this Article, must participate in the City's paratransit program. The color scheme permit-holder must be under contract to and approved for participation by the Paratransit Broker who operates the Paratransit Program of the Public Transportation Commission.

(b) Thereafter, each color scheme permit-holder shall operate at all times subject to the rules and regulations of the City's Paratransit Program, including, but not limited to, the paratransit scrip program, the debit card program including hardware and software capabilities, fare discount and reimbursement procedures, and training in safe and courteous paratransit operations. Each taxicab permit-holder who enters into an agreement or contract with a color scheme permit-holder to use that color scheme, and each taxicab driver who

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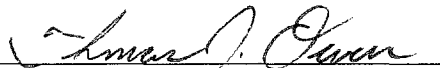
1 operates under a taxicab permit affiliated with the color scheme, shall at all times operate
2 subject to the rules and regulations of the City's Paratransit Program.

3 (c) The Chief of Police, in consultation with the Paratransit Program, may issue
4 appropriate rules and regulations to ensure compliance with this Section.

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8 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

9 LOUISE H. RENNE, City Attorney

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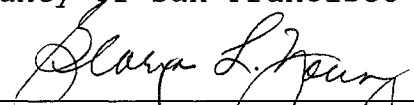


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Board of Supervisors, San Francisco

Passed on First Reading	§	Finally Passed
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September 22, 1998	§	September 28, 1998
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Ayes: Supervisors Ammiano Brown	§	Ayes: Supervisors Ammiano Brown
Katz Kaufman Leno Medina Newsom	§	Katz Leno Medina Newsom Teng Yaki
Teng Yaki Yee	§	Yee
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Absent: Supervisor Bierman	§	Absent: Supervisors Bierman Kaufman

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was finally passed by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco



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 Mayor

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