

1 [Modifying the driving requirement for designated taxi company managers.]

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3 **Ordinance amending the San Francisco Police Code by adding Section 1081.5, to**
4 **modify the driving requirement for designated taxi company managers.**

5 Note: Additions are *single-underline italics Times New Roman*;
6 deletions are *strikethrough italics Times New Roman*.
7 Board amendment additions are double underlined.
8 Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough normal~~.

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

9 Section 1. The San Francisco Police Code is hereby amended by adding

10 Section 1081.5, to read as follows:

11 **SEC. 1081.5. DRIVING REQUIREMENTS FOR DESIGNATED TAXI COMPANY MANAGERS.**

12 *(a) Driving Requirement. Beginning January 1, 2007 and notwithstanding any other provision*
13 *of this Code, include subdivision (f) of Section 1081, taxi permit-holders who are also taxi company*
14 *managers designated pursuant to this Section may satisfy their annual driving requirement under*
15 *Section 1081(f) by driving 120 hours per year and performing 1,500 hours of work per year as a*
16 *manager for the company. This Section shall not apply to the calendar year in which the permit-holder*
17 *first receives the permit and the first full calendar year thereafter, or to any calendar year prior to*
18 *2007.*

19 *(b) Definitions. For purposes of this Section:*

20 *(i) "Taxi company" shall mean a person or entity holding a valid color scheme permit under*
21 *Section 1125.*

22 *(ii) "Manager" shall mean a person who handles, directs or controls some or all of the*
23 *executive or administrative operations of the taxi company involving the exercise of judgment and*
24 *discretion. A manager must be a payroll employee of the taxi company and work on-site at the*
25 *company's principal place of business.*

1 (c) **Designation.** Each taxi company seeking to designate one or more of its managers for a
2 calendar year pursuant to this Section must file the designation, on a form to be provided by the Taxi
3 Commission, by December 1st of the preceding year. The company may not change designations
4 during the year. A manager may only be designated by one company at a time, and may not be
5 designated by more than one company during a calendar year.

6 The Taxi Commission will only recognize as designated managers those permit-holders named
7 in the designation form signed and filed by the color scheme permit-holder or its authorized
8 representative as of December 1st.

9 **(d) Number of Designated Managers At a Company.**

10 A taxi company with 1 to 10 permits may not designate a manager under this Section.

11 A taxi company with 11 to 20 permits may designate one manager.

12 A taxi company with 21 to 40 permits may designate two managers.

13 A taxi company with 41 to 60 permits may designate three managers.

14 A taxi company with 61 to 80 permits may designate four managers.

15 A taxi company with 81 to 100 permits may designate five managers.

16 A taxi company with 101 to 150 permits may designate six managers.

17 A taxi company with 151 to 200 permits may designate seven managers.

18 A taxi company with 201 to 300 permits may designate eight managers.

19 A taxi company with 301 to 400 permits may designate nine managers.

20 A taxi company with over 400 permits may designate nine managers, plus one additional
21 manager for every 100 permits over 400.

22 The number of permits affiliated with a particular taxi company for the year shall be determined
23 as of December 1st of the previous year, based on the records of the Taxi Commission. The number of

1 designated managers at a taxi company shall not be increased or decreased during the subsequent
2 calendar year even if the number of permits at that company changes during the year.

3 (e) **Statement of Work Done as a Manager.** No later than February 1st of each year, each
4 company that has designated one or more managers pursuant to this Section must submit a written
5 statement, under oath, of the number of hours each of its designated managers worked as a manager
6 for the company during the previous year. The taxi company shall be responsible for the accuracy of
7 the statement.

8 (f) **Partial Completion of Managerial Requirements.** If a designated manager leaves the taxi
9 company or is fired during the year, but has performed at least 750 hours of work as a manager for the
10 company during that year, the former manager may satisfy the remaining portion of his or her driving
11 requirement by driving 400 hours by the end of the year. If a designated manager leaves the taxi
12 company or is fired during the year, and has not performed at least 750 hours of work as a manager for
13 that company during that year, the former manager must drive 800 hours by the end of the year to
14 satisfy his or her driving requirement.

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