

LEGISLATIVE DIGEST

[Administrative Code - Repeal of Legacy Business Registry Fee]

Ordinance amending the Administrative Code to remove the requirement to charge a Legacy Business Registry administrative fee.

Existing Law

The Legacy Business Registry recognizes longstanding, community-serving businesses, most of which have operated in San Francisco for more than 30 years, have contributed to the history or identity of a particular neighborhood or community, and are committed to maintaining the physical features or traditions that define the business. Under existing law, the Executive Director of the Office of Small Business must establish a one-time non-refundable administrative fee, not to exceed \$50, to be paid by businesses that are nominated for and interested in inclusion in the Registry. The purpose of the fee is to offset the costs of administering the program.

Amendments to Current Law

This proposed ordinance eliminates the Legacy Business Registry fee. The Office of Small Business Executive Director would no longer be required to, nor have discretion to, establish a Legacy Business Registry fee.

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