

**LEGISLATIVE DIGEST**

[Initiative Ordinance - Business and Tax Regulations and Administrative Codes - Hotel Tax to Fund Housing Services for Homeless Families]

**Motion ordering submitted to the voters an ordinance amending the Business and Tax Regulations Code and Administrative Code to impose an additional 1% tax on the transient occupancy of hotel rooms to fund housing programs and services to end family homelessness, at an election to be held on June 7, 2016.**

Existing Law

Current law imposes a 14% tax on the rent for every occupancy of a guest room in a hotel in the City.

Amendments to Current Law

This initiative ordinance would add an additional 1% surcharge to the tax, bringing the total hotel tax to 15%. The additional 1% would be dedicated to increase funding for programs and services to end family homelessness.