City and County of San Francisco Meeting Minutes

City Hall 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

mic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee

Members: Supervisors Michael Yaki, Leslie Katz, Mark Leno

Clerk: Gail Johnson

Thursday, November 12, 1998

11:00 AM

Special Meeting

Veterans Building, Legislative Chamber, 401 Van Ness Ave., Room 404 San Francisco, CA 94102

Meeting Convened

Meeting convened at 11:26 a.m.

Present: 3 - Michael Yaki, Leslie Katz, and Mark Leno

980972 [Mayor's Taxi Task Force Recommendations]

Sponsor: Newsom

Hearing to consider plans of the Department of Parking and Traffic, Airport and Police Taxi Detail, if any, for pursuing recommendations of the Mayor's Taxi Task Force which require department action.

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Original Version 1

06/08/98; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee.

09/15/98; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Continued at the request of sponsor.

Heard in Committee.

A motion was made that this matter be FILED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

981292 [Cab Pooling Trial Program]

Sponsor: Newsom

Ordinance amending Police Code by adding Section 1147.9 to authorize the Chief of Police to establish a trial program for cab pooling.

(Adds Section 1147.9.)

08/03/98; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee.

09/15/98; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Continued at the request of sponsor.

Heard in Committee.

A motion was made that this matter be RECOMMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

980909 [Tobacco Advertising on Taxicabs]

Sponsor: Newsom

Ordinance amending the Police Code by adding Section 1147.7, prohibiting advertising of tobacco products on taxicabs.

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Original Version 1

(Adds Section 1147.7.)

06/01/98; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee.

09/15/98; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Continued at the request of sponsor.

Heard in Committee.

AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE

Ordinance amending the Police Code by adding Section 1147.7, prohibiting advertising of tobacco products on taxicabs, effective September 1, 1999. (Adds Section 1147.7.)

A motion was made that this matter be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

981723 [Ramp Taxi]

Sponsor: Newsom

Hearing to examine the possibility of reducing the commitment necessary for driving a ramp taxi from 10 years to 5 years.

10/13/98; RECEIVED AND ASSIGNED to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee.

Heard in Committee.

A motion was made that this matter be CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

981381 [Taxicab Drivers Petition for Employee Status]

Sponsor: Newsom

Ordinance amending Police Code by adding Section 1124.5, establishing procedures for taxicab drivers to petition for employee status and prohibiting independent contractors as drivers upon acceptance of such petition.

(Adds Section 1124.5.)

08/17/98; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee, expires on 9/16/1998.

Heard in Committee.

AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING SAME TITLE

(Adds Section 1124.5.)

A motion was made that this matter be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

981040 [Taxicab Lease Fees]

Sponsor: Newsom

Ordinance amending Police Code by adding Section 1135.2, setting a cap on taxicab lease fees, authorizing regulations and penalties, and providing effective and expiration dates for the ordinance. (Adds Section 1135.2.)

06/22/98; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee, expires on 7/22/1998.

09/15/98; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Continued at the request of sponsor.

Heard in Committee.

AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE

Ordinance amending Police Code by adding Section 1135.2, setting a cap on taxicab lease fees, authorizing regulations and penalties, the cap to become operative when Ordinance No. 188-98 fare increases become operative, requesting the Taxi Commission to report to the Board within nine months on the impact of this legislation, providing for expiration of the ordinance. (Adds Section 1135.2.)

A motion was made that this matter be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

980761 [Taxicab Gate Fees]

Sponsor: Newsom

Ordinance amending Police Code by adding Section 1135.1, setting a cap on taxicab gate fees, authorizing regulations and penalties, and providing for expiration of the ordinance (twenty-four months after the effective date of the section).

(Adds Section 1135.1.)

05/11/98; ASSIGNED UNDER 30 DAY RULE to Economic Development, Transportation, and Technology Committee, expires on 6/10/1998.

09/15/98; CONTINUED TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. Continued at the request of sponsor.

Heard in Committee.

AMENDED, AN AMENDMENT OF THE WHOLE BEARING NEW TITLE

Ordinance amending Police Code by adding Section 1135.1, setting a cap on taxicab gate fees, authorizing regulations and penalties, the cap to become operative when Ordinance No. 188-98 fare increases become operative, requesting the Taxi Commission to report to the Board within nine months on the impact of this legislation, providing for expiration of the ordinance. (Adds Section 1135.1.)

A motion was made that this matter be RECOMMENDED AS AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 3 - Yaki, Katz, Leno

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 2:48 p.m.