

Agenda: Item 6

Consideration of Proposed Rule 5.H.18, Requiring Designated Managers
for Color Schemes [ACTION]



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At the meeting of the Taxicab Commission on Tuesday, July 22, 2008, the following resolution was adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-XX

ADDING RULE 5.H.18 OF THE TAXICAB/RAMPED TAXI RULES AND REGULATIONS:

WHEREAS, the Rules and Regulations Subcommittee recommends adding 5.H.18 of the Taxicab/Ramped Taxi Rules and Regulations as follows; and

Rule 5.H.18:

- a. All Color Schemes shall be required to fill out a new application by September 1, 2008 which will designate a manager who shall serve as the central point of contact for all matters of regulatory compliance. This manager shall be an individual who has not had a permit suspended or revoked by the Commission in the past five years. A Color Scheme may designate additional managers for specialized matters subject to approval by the Commission.
- b. The manager shall be designated as the official agent and agent for service of process for the color scheme. The Color Scheme shall be held strictly accountable to the Commission for all activities of the manager. Failure to accept service of process shall be a cause for discipline of the Color Scheme.
- c. Designation of a manager for purposes of this section shall not mean that the manager qualifies as key personnel under MPC § 1081.5.

WHEREAS, the Rules and Regulations Subcommittee recommends classifying Rule 5.H.18 as a Major Violation with a penalty structure of \$250 for the first violation, \$400 for the second violation, and \$500 for the third violation; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Taxi Commission adopts the changes described above.

AYES:
ABSENT:

NOES:
RECUSED:

Respectfully submitted,

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