

Agenda: Item 8

Proposed Amendments to Color Scheme Section of The Taxicab/Ramped
Taxi Rules and Regulations [DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION]:

- Proposed Rule 5.H.3
- Proposed Rule 5.H.4



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December 10, 2008

At the meeting of the Taxi Commission on Tuesday, December 9, 2008 the following resolution(s) and finding(s) were adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-XX

WHEREAS, the Taxi Commission currently has a rule requiring preservation of daily driver's rosters; and

WHEREAS, the Taxi Commission must ensure that these rosters are preserved as required; and

WHEREAS, over the past several years, many companies have claimed that the electronic versions of their rosters have been destroyed due to computer problems; and

WHEREAS, the Taxi Commission wishes to amend Rule 5.H.3 as follows; and

A current roster shall be maintained at the principal place of business. It shall contain the following information: driver's name, home address, home telephone number, "A" card number and California driver's license number, of all permitted drivers who currently operate taxicab vehicles. A copy of said roster shall be available for inspection by the Taxicab Commission or *its* ~~their~~ designee. The roster is to be made available twenty-four (24) hours a day and updated on a weekly basis. *Color Schemes Holders shall submit a copy of the roster to the Taxi Commission on the first day of each month.*

WHEREAS, the Taxi Commission wishes to amend Rule 5.H.4 as follows; and

Every Color Scheme Holder shall post a daily ~~roster~~ *schedule* to include, but not limited to: the shift assignment, driver's name, vehicle number and/or medallion number, ~~if different~~ and the hours worked for that shift. This ~~roster~~ *schedule* shall be updated on a daily basis and shall be made available for inspection by the Taxicab Commission or their designee. *Color Schemes shall submit copies of the daily schedules to the Taxi Commission on the first day of each month.* All original rosters shall be retained at the color scheme's *principal* place of business for a period of not

less than six (6) years. ~~to document that driving performed by drivers of taxicabs and ramped taxis affiliated with the Color Schemes have met the specific driving requirements mandated by Section 1121(b).~~ Color Schemes shall maintain at ~~minimum~~ *the principal place of business* the most recent twelve (12) months of ~~rosters~~ schedules in a traditional hard-copy format. Color Schemes may store rosters more than twelve (12) months old in a reasonably secure electronic form and/or on a computer storage diskette.

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

AYES:
ABSENT:

NOES:
RECUSED:

Respectfully submitted,

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