

MOTION

6. Taxi Licensing

MOVED by Councillor Meggs

SECONDED by Councillor Stevenson

WHEREAS

1. Premier Christy Clark appointed Peter Fassbender, Minister of Community, sport and Cultural Development, to conduct a province-wide review of ride-sharing and taxi services in January 2016;
2. The Minister's interim report was released late in September and the final report is not expected until after the provincial election;
3. Council urged the province to undertake such a policy review in October last year and extended its moratorium on new licences for 12 months in the hope of aligning City policy with Provincial policy through the Passenger Transportation Board.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Vancouver City Council reaffirm its decision of October 2015 and extend the moratorium on new taxi licences for a further 12 months pending the completion of the provincial process.

* * * * *