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ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Report Date: March 18, 2010 Contact: Janice MacKenzie Contact No.: 604.871.6146

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VanRIMS No.: 08-2000-20 Meeting Date: April 6, 2010

TO: Vancouver City Council

FROM: City Clerk

SUBJECT: Business License Hearing Panels - April and May 2010

RECOMMENDATION

THAT Council delegate the holding of hearings under Section 275 or 278, or appeals under Section 277 of the Vancouver Charter or under Section 36(7) of the Motor Vehicle Act, for those hearing dates designated by Council to a panel of three Council Members as follows:

April 8, 2010 - 7:30 pm Councillor Cadman - Chair Councillor Jang Councillor Woodsworth Councillor Anton - Alternate

April 14, 2010 - 9:30 am Councillor Jang - Chair Councillor Chow Councillor Cadman Councillor Deal - Alternate

April 20, 2010 - 9:30 am Councillor Reimer - Chair Councillor Anton Councillor Louie Councillor Chow - Alternate May 6, 2010 - 7:30 pm Councillor Deal - Chair Councillor Woodsworth Councillor Stevenson Councillor Meggs - Alternate

May 18, 2010 - 9:30 am Councillor Stevenson - Chair Councillor Louie Councillor Reimer Councillor Cadman - Alternate

Should any of the above Members of Council be unable to attend the hearings, the hearings and the power to make a Council decision in relation to those hearings be delegated to the remaining two Councillors and alternate Councillor.

COUNCIL POLICY

Council has the authority to delegate the holding of hearings to a panel of Council Members under Sections 275 or 278, or appeals under Section 277 of the Vancouver Charter, and under Section 36(7) of the Motor Vehicle Act.

PURPOSE

To establish a panel for the Hearings presently scheduled for April and May 2010.

DISCUSSION

Council has the authority to delegate the holding of hearings to a panel of Council Members under Sections 275 or 278, or appeals under Section 277 of the Vancouver Charter, and under Section 36(7) of the Motor Vehicle Act. Council must designate, by resolution, Members of Council who will deal with each specific Hearing.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications.

CONCLUSION

Staff recommend that Council pass the recommendation contained in this report.

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