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DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY TAXICAB AUTHORITY

TAXICAB AUTHORITY NOTICE OF WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON AMENDING/REPEALING REGULATIONS AND TO DETERMINE THE IMPACT OF PROPOSED REGULATIONS ON SMALL BUSINESSES

The Nevada Taxicab Authority ("<u>TA</u>") will hold a public Workshop to receive comments from all interested persons regarding the amendment and/or repeal of regulations within Nevada Administrative Code ("<u>NAC</u>") chapter 706.450-9918. The comment session has been set for **11:00 a.m. on March 19, 2025.** The public may attend this Workshop at the Nevada State Business Center 3300 W. Sahara Avenue, Suite 400, Nevada Room, Las Vegas, Nevada 89102.

Date and Time of Meeting: Wednesday, March 19, 2025

11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Place of Meeting: Nevada State Business Center

3300 W. Sahara Avenue, Suite 400 Nevada Room

Las Vegas, Nevada 89102

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<u>AGENDA</u>

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION: Open discussion on possible regulation updates to submit for Board review (For Discussion and Possible Action)

- Call to Order.
- 2. Public Comment—Public comment is welcomed during public comment periods and is limited to 3 minutes per person per public comment period. Unused time may not be allocated to other speakers. A speaker's viewpoint will not be restricted; however, reasonable restrictions may be imposed upon the time, place, and manner of speech. Irrelevant statements, unduly repetitious statements, and personal attacks that would objectively antagonize or incite others are examples of speech that may be reasonably limited.
- 3. Discussion concerning amendments/repeal of regulations within NAC chapter 706.450-706.9918. While it is expected the repeal of NAC 706.991-706.9918 requiring appeals to be made to the Nevada Transportation Authority will be addressed, other sections of the regulations including, but not limited to, NAC 706.450(6) and (7) and the definitions of lease medallions and the definition of medallion in general; NAC 706.462, the 706.465 application process and the fees association therewith; 706.473 and the equity capital requirement; 706.474; repeal 706.481(3); 706.486(1)(b) unit numbers displayed 4 inches in height rather than 6 inches and correct the telephone number located in (f); NAC 706.487 and a discussion pertaining to identifying taxicabs; 706.489 re digital medallions; 706.492(8) regarding windows free from obstructions and vision not impaired; discussion re tint on windows per 11(d); NAC 706.496; 706.497(3)(d) repeal; 706.501(2) and tinted windows, amber lights, and the ability to read meters from outside a cab; 706.510 needs updated; 706.519(1)(b) and the timing of health certificates; 706.525 discussion re how often renew and a fee change; 706.531 re repeal "bracket"; NAC 706.540 discussion re lease drivers and apparel; 706.543(8) re valid medallion issued by TA rather than affixed and (11) re electronic trip sheet. and (4) re 6 passengers instead of 5 passengers; 706.546 and discussion re employee and independent contractor language and repeal 706.546(3) re permanent driver based on periods of duty; 706.549(5) time clocks are no longer used; 706.551 discussion re how often driver searches interior of cab to discovery lost property; 706.5551(1)(a) lease template instead of lease agreement; 706.5557(1)(f)(4)(II) discussion re inspection one time per week; 706.5559 re money owed to any certificate holder and use of security deposits; 706.556(2) using a digital copy of the lease; 706.5563 trip sheets are electronic now; 706.5565(3)(a) and change requested re one-half of the number of medallions issued; 706.669 a change to definition of fixed asset; 706.795 and 706.813 and discussion re income and not expense; NAC 706.858 and .861 to be more specific to avoid misinterpretations re determination of elderly or disabled; NAC 706.876 to include deadlines for agenda control, requests for relief to be deemed complete, and other practice rules to streamline and modernize intervention requests,

- authority of the Chairperson, setting forth terms of office, respective duties and the selection of Chair and Vice-Chair.
- 4. Discussion concerning impact of any proposed changes or repeals on small businesses.
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- 6. Adjournment.

Interested persons who wish to address their comments, data, views or arguments in written form may do so. Written submissions must be received by the Authority no later than 3:00 p.m. Friday March 14, 2025. They may be emailed to: LMWebb@taxi.state.nv.us; or by contacting Lona Monson Webb, Administrative Attorney, Nevada Taxicab Authority, 2090 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119, (702) 668-4084.

The State of Nevada Taxicab Authority is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the State of Nevada Taxicab Authority, in writing, at 2090 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119 or by calling (702) 668-4000 at least 24 hours prior to the date of the meeting.

Members of the public may request the supporting material for this meeting from: Lona Monson Webb, Nevada Taxicab Authority, 2090 E. Flamingo Road, Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119, (702) 668-4084, email: LMWebb@taxi.state.nv.us

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March 3, 2025