

ORDINANCE NO. 956, FOURTH SERIES

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 17 OF ORDINANCE NO. 401, FOURTH SERIES, PASSED NOVEMBER 30 1928, AND ENTITLED: " AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF TAXICABS, AUTOMOBILES AND PUBLIC VEHICLES FOR HIRE, FIXING RATE TO BE CHARGED FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF PERSONS AND PERSONAL BAGGAGE, AND THE LICENSE FOR SOLICITING SUCH TRANSPORTATION, PROVIDING A PUNISHMENT FOR ANY VIOLATION THEREOF, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH," AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 846, FOURTH SERIES, PASSED DECEMBER 8 1939, AND MAKING THIS ORDINANCE AN EMERGENCY MEASURE TO TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO:

SECTION 1. Section 17 of Ordinance No. 401, fourth Series, passed November 30 1928, is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 17. Each applicant for a driver's permit from the Chief of Police must:

(a) Be of good moral character and be a citizen of the United States or have made a declaration of intention to become such citizen; provided, however, that a driver's permit issued to one by reason of his having made such declaration of intention to become a citizen shall be canceled and revoked unless he makes and files his petition to become a citizen within sixty days after he is first eligible to file such petition;

(b) Be of the age of 21 years or more. However, during the National Emergency caused by the war with Germany, Italy, and Japan, etc., a permit may be issued to a male applicant between the ages of 18 and 21 years;

(c) Be of sound physique with good eyesight and hearing and not subject to epilepsy, vertigo, heart trouble, communicable disease, or any other infirmity of the body or mind, and not be addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor or narcotics, which might render him unfit for the safe operation of a taxicab or automobile, or bus;

(d) Be able to read and write the English language;

(e) Be clean in dress and person;

(f) Produce certificates of good character from two reputable citizens of the City of Sacramento or of the city in which he has last worked who have known him personally and observed his conduct during one year preceding the date of his application;

(g) Fill out a blank form to be provided by the Chief of Police, a statement giving the following information:-

Full name, residence, age, place of birth, nationality, date of naturalization and place. Height, weight, color of eyes, married or single. State badge number. Has Operator's or Chauffeur's license

ever been revoked or suspended. Have you ever been arrested. Date of photograph. Have you ever had an accident while operating a motor vehicle. Length of time resident of Sacramento. Are you familiar with the traffic ordinances of the City of Sacramento and requirements of the State Vehicle Code regarding operation of motor vehicles. Have you any mental or physical incapacity or infirmity of which you are aware which would in any way interfere with the proper management and control by you of a motor vehicle. Do you use intoxicating liquor, or are you addicted to the use of morphine or other drugs. If so, to what extent. And such other information as might be required by the Chief of Police.


SECTION 2. Ordinance No. 846, Fourth Series, passed December 8 1939, is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect immediately; such emergency being that the said war hereinabove mentioned has caused a scarcity of able-bodied men of the age of 21 years or over, and it is necessary, in order to carry on essential services, to employ youths between the ages of 18 and 21 years.

PASSED: July 3, 1942
EFFECTIVE: July 3, 1942


MAYOR

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK