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RAHM EMANUEL
MAYOR

March 14, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of the Commissioner of Cultural Affairs and Special Events, I transmit herewith an ordinance authorizing an amendment to the 2012 Special Events ordinance regarding ticket sales.

Your favorable consideration of this ordinance will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Mayor

ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO:

SECTION 1. Section 5 of the 2012 Special Events Ordinance, passed by the City Council of the City of Chicago on December 14, 2011, and published at pages 17787 through 17796 of the Journal of Proceedings of the City Council for that date, is hereby amended by adding the language underscored, as follows:

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance)

SECTION 5. (a) DCASE is authorized to impose application fees and/or registration fees in connection with certain Events, as follows: (i) Race to Taste (the "Race") - an application fee of up to Thirty-five and no/100 Dollars (\$35.00) on all participants in the Race; (ii) Online talent submissions to perform at Events - a fee of not more than Ten and no/100 Dollars (\$10.00); and (iii) any other Event where, based on the location of the Event, the estimated number of participants in the Event, the duration of the Event or any other relevant factor set forth in duly promulgated rules and regulations, DCASE determines that an application fee and/or registration fee is required for such Event. Provided, however, that if an application fee and/or registration fee is assessed under this item (iii), such fee shall not exceed \$100.00 and shall be reasonably related to the costs incurred by DCASE in connection with the administration of such Event. Any balance remaining from the application fees and/or registration fees after payment of the costs of the respective Event must be applied to the costs incurred by the City with respect to various other Events.

(b) DCASE is authorized to sell up to 3000 tickets per night at \$25 per seat for admittance to concerts that take place at the Petrillo Band Shell during the Taste of Chicago. In addition, DCASE is authorized to sell up to 150 tickets per day at \$40 per person for admittance to events held at the Chef of the Day Pavilion during the Taste of Chicago. Any balance remaining from the sale of tickets after payment of the costs of the Taste of Chicago shall be applied to the costs incurred by the City with respect to various other Events. Notwithstanding Section 18, the Commissioner is authorized to enter into and execute agreements with one or more entities to provide ticket selling services for the tickets referenced in this subsection, upon such terms and conditions that the Commissioner deems appropriate; provided that the term of the agreement shall expire no later than December 31, 2012.

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance)

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect after its passage and approval.