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Committee(s) Assignment:	Committee on License and Consumer Protection

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ORDINANCE

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

SECTION 1. Section 3-56-040 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by inserting the language underscored, as follows:

3-56-040 Issuance.

(a) Upon payment by the applicant of the wheel tax license fee hereinafter provided, the city clerk shall issue, or cause to be issued, a wheel tax license. The annual period for a wheel tax license shall begin on the required purchase date and shall end on the last day of the same month in the following year, as indicated on the face of such license; provided, however, that if a wheel tax license is issued before the required purchase date, such license shall be valid upon its issuance. In the case of renewal of a valid and current wheel tax license only: The annual period for renewing such wheel tax license shall include a 15-day grace period, during which the applicant may purchase a wheel tax license without incurring any (1) late fees under section 3-56-050, or (2) penalties under section 3-56-150 for failure to obtain the wheel tax license by the required purchase date. Such grace period shall commence at 12:00 a.m. on the day after the required purchase date and shall end at 11:59 p.m. on the fifteenth day after the required purchase date.

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance)

SECTION 2. Section 3-56-050 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by inserting the language underscored, as follows:

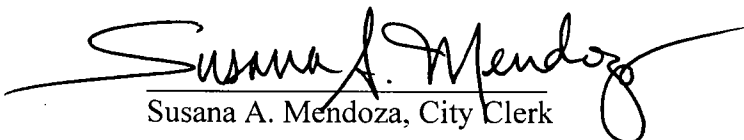
3-56-050 Fees – Late fees.

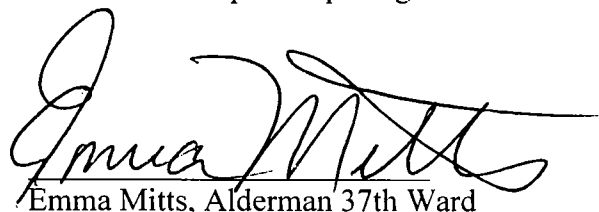
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(3) No late fee shall be imposed under this subsection (b) if (i) the applicant obtains a wheel tax license within 30 days of commencing residence in the city, as required under Section 3-56-021(a); or (ii) the applicant obtains a wheel tax license within 30 days of purchasing or otherwise acquiring ownership of a vehicle, as required under Section 3-56-021(a); or (iii) in the case of a renewal of a valid and current wheel tax license, the applicant obtains a current wheel tax license within the grace period provided for under Section 3-56-040(a).

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance)

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take full force and effect upon its passage and publication.


Susana A. Mendoza, City Clerk


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