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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
CITY OF CHICAGO

RAHM EMANUEL  
MAYOR

September 14, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of the Director of the Department of Administrative Hearings, I transmit herewith an ordinance amending Section 9-100-060 of the Municipal Code regarding display of registration plates.

Your favorable consideration of this ordinance will be appreciated.

Mayor

Very truly yours,

## ORDINANCE

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

SECTION 1. Section 9-100-060 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by adding the language underscored and deleting the language struck through as follows:

#### **9-100-060 Grounds for contesting a violation.**

(a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (d) of this section, a person charged with a parking, standing or compliance violation may contest the charge through an administrative adjudication limited to one or more of the following grounds with appropriate evidence to support:

- 1) that the respondent was not the owner or lessee of the cited vehicle at the time of the violation;
  - 2) that the cited vehicle or its state registration plates were stolen at the time the violation occurred;
  - 3) that the relevant signs prohibiting or restricting parking or standing were missing or obscured;
  - 4) that the relevant parking meter was inoperable or malfunctioned through no fault of the respondent;
  - 5) that the facts alleged in the violation notice are inconsistent or do not support a finding that the specified regulation was violated;
  - 6) that the illegal condition described in the compliance violation notice did not exist at the time the notice was issued;
  - 7) that the compliance violation has been corrected prior to adjudication of the charge; provided, however, that this defense shall not be applicable to:
    - i) compliance violations involving display of the city wheel tax license emblem under Section 9-64-125;
    - ii) to compliance violations involving motor vehicle exhaust systems under subsection (a)(2) of Section 9-76-140;
    - iii) to compliance violations involving registration plates under subsection (a) of Section 9-76-160;
    - iv) to compliance violations involving display of registration plates, temporary registration or temporary permits under subsection (f) of Section 9-76-160, except to the extent that 625 ILCS 5/3-821.2(b) provides for an affirmative defense;
    - v) to compliance violations relating to glass coverings or coating under Section 9-76-220;
- or
- vi) to compliance violations involving the use of a mobile, cellular, analog wireless or digital telephone while driving a motor vehicle under Section 9-76-230.

*(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance)*

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect following due passage and approval.