



CITY OF TAUNTON

In the year two thousand and twenty four

AN ORDINANCE REVISING CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECKS FOR LICENSE APPLICANTS

**Chapter 298
LICENSES AND PERMITS**

Be it ordained by the Municipal Council of the City of Taunton and by authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 298 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Taunton, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding new subsections K and L to Article II, as follows:--

§ 298-9 Submission of applicants to fingerprinting.

Any applicant for a license to engage in any of the following occupational activities within the City of Taunton shall submit a full set of fingerprints taken by the Taunton Police Department within 10 days of the date of the application for said license, for the purpose of conducting a state and national criminal record background check to determine the suitability of the applicant for the license:

- A.**
Hawker and peddler.
- B.**
Liquor licensee.
- C.**
Manager or alternate manager of a liquor licensee.

D.

Solicitors and canvassers.

E.

Dealers in junk, secondhand articles and antiques.

F.

Secondhand motor vehicle dealer.

G.

Hackney carriage operator.

H.

Ice cream truck vendor.

I.

Door-to-door solicitors.

J.

Bodywork practitioners and bodywork establishment operators.

K.

Managers of cannabis establishments.

L.

Cannabis livery drivers.

All ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

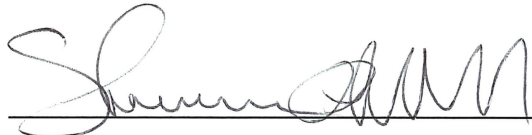
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In Municipal Council

First Reading: March 12, 2024

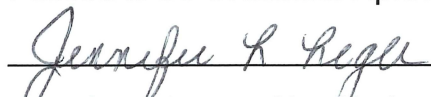
Second Reading: March 26, 2024

Presented to the Mayor and Approved:



Shaunna O'Connell, Mayor

Passed to be Ordained: April 2, 2024 Approved as to Form and Character:



Jennifer L. Leger, City Clerk



Matthew J. Costa, City Solicitor