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RESOLUTION SETTING JUST AND REASONABLE FARES FOR THE HIRE OF TAXICABS WITHIN THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO PURSUANT TO SECTION 72.0102 OF THE SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, Section 72.0102 of the San Diego Municipal Code requires that the City Council shall, after hearing, set just and reasonable fares for the hire of taxicabs; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held by the Council on March 2, 1977 where evidence, testimony and opinions were given; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, as follows:

1. Just and reasonable fares for the hire of taxicabs within the City of San Diego shall be eighty cents (80¢) for the first one-seventh (1/7) mile and ten cents (10¢) for each additional one-seventh (1/7) mile or lesser fraction thereof. Waiting time shall be seven dollars and twenty cents (\$7.20) per hour.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that these rates will take effect on Wednesday, March 2, 1977.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Manager be and he is hereby directed to:

- (a) Develop a program of phased economic incentives designed to encourage increased economic and operating efficiencies within the taxicab industry.
- (b) Develop a procedure to conduct an annual sampling of the taxicab industry's financial and operating MICROFILMED

statistics to assist the rate analyst in improving the completeness and accuracy of industry data.

Closely monitor the taxicab industry subsequent to approval of the rate increase to determine whether the taxicab companies are making expenditures for driver wages and fringe benefits in accordance with the representations presented by the taxicab management during the rate review process.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Manager and City Attorney be and they are hereby directed to study possible alternatives to the current Municipal Code requirement for taxicab operators to carry a minimum of \$300,000 combined single limit public liability and property damage insurance policy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Attorney be and he is hereby directed to study the feasibility of implementing a system of alternative or variable taxicab rates of fare which would enable operators to charge fares lower than the levels of fares found just and reasonable by the Council.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

Senior Chief Deputy

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