



Legislation Text

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Item Title & Description:

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A bill for an ordinance repealing and reenacting chapter 32 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code to modernize the City's licensing code and make conforming changes throughout the Code.

Amends Chapter 32 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code regarding licensing policies and procedures for the Department of Excise and Licenses to provide clear definitions, as well as update and clarify processes, procedures and policies. The Committee approved filing this item at its meeting on 5-10-2023.

Affected Council District(s) or citywide? Citywide

Executive Summary with Rationale and Impact:

Detailed description of the item and why we are doing it. This can be a separate attachment.

Chapter 32 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code governs licensing policies and procedures for the Department of Excise and Licenses. Over the course of this administration, the Department has learned where chapter 32 can be modernized and improved to promote transparency, clarity, and flexibility. This bill amends chapter 32 by defining common licensing terms, codifying and clarifying application and licensing procedures, and updating policies for license fees. The bill also codifies and updates procedures for investigations, enforcement, and disciplinary actions. The proposed changes will leave the next administration with a more sound and operable licensing chapter.

Address/Location (if applicable):

Legal Description (if applicable):

Denver Revised Municipal Code (D.R.M.C.) Citation (if applicable):

Draft Bill Attached?