ORDINANCE 3660

Repealed by 3884

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO BUSINESS REGULATION AND LICENSING, CHANGING THE ANNUAL BUSINESS LICENCE TERM FROM A CALENDAR YEAR BASIS TO A 12 MONTH PERIOD EXPIRING AS OF THE ANIVERSARY DATE OF THE LICENSE APPLICATION FILING, DECLARING THE BUSINESS NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS OF A LICENSED BUSINESS TO BE A PUBLIC RECORD FOR PURPOSES OF RCW CHAPTER 42.17 AND AMENDING SECTIONS 7.02.040 AND 7.02.060 OF THE KIRKLAND MUNICIPAL CODE.

The City Council of the City of Kirkland do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Subsection 7.02.040(2) of the Kirkland Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

7.02.040(2)

(2) Businesses Subject to Regulatory Licenses Issued by the City of Kirkland. A person holding a valid City of Kirkland regulatory license issued pursuant to any of the following chapters of the Kirkland Municipal Code shall be as to that business activity only, exempt from the license and license fee requirements of this chapter; provided, however, such organization shall file the application form for informational purposes only:

7.08,	Ambulances
7.12,	Amusement Devices
7.16,	Auctions, Auctioneers
7.20,	Cabarets
7.22,	Carnivals and Circuses
7.24,	Dances and Dance Halls
[7.28,	-Private-Investigators-and-Guards]
7.32,	Massage Parlors and Public Bath Houses
7.36,	Pawnbrokers - Junk Dealers
7.44,	Taxicabs and For Hire Vehicles
7.60,	CATV Franchises
11.60,	Sale of Fireworks
19.24,	Temporary Special Events

<u>Section 2</u>. Section 7.02.060 of the Kirkland Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follow:

7.02.060 Fee-Terms.

[(a) Commencing January 1, 1987, business licenses required to be obtained pursuant to this chapter shall be issued on a calendar year basis and shall expire on December 31st for the year for which they are issued.] (a) Commencing January 1, 1999, business licenses required to be obtained pursuant to this chapter shall be issued or renewed for a 12 month period commencing as of the date of application filling

and shall expire on the last date of the twelfth month thereafter.

- (b) Fees for the annual license issued hereunder shall be as follows:
- (1) There shall be no fees for businesses having a gross revenue of two thousand dollars or less per year.
- (2) For all other businesses the fee shall be twenty-five dollars per year.
- (3) For persons engaging in a temporary business (business conducted for less than one month in any calendar year) the fee shall be twelve dollars and fifty cents per year.

(c) Initial filing fee: in addition to the annual license fee, a one-time initial filing fee in the amount of ten dollars shall be paid with each new application form.

[(d) All-businesses-required-to-obtain-licenses hereunder shall-obtain-the-same and pay all fees required on or before February 15th of each respective-year; provided however, that for the year 1987 only businesses-shall be required to obtain the license before April 1st.] (d) All businesses required to obtain licenses or license renewals shall obtain the same prior to engaging in or conducting business within the license term, and shall pay all fees within 30 days following the commencement of the license term. Any business which fails to obtain and pay the license fees within said period of time shall, in addition to any other penalties provided for in this chapter, be assessed an amount equal to fifty percent of the license fee for said business as a penalty for such late application and/or payment.

[(e) Any-business required-to-obtain-a-license-under-this chapter which does not commence business on or before July 31st of a given calendar year shall pay only one-half of the annual license fee for that year, and upon such payment shall be issued a license for the remaining portion of said calendar year.] (e) The business name and address of each licensed business is for the purposes of RCW Chapter 42.17 a public record, subject to request for public record disclosure.

Section 3. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect five days from and after its passage by the Kirkland City Council and publication, as required by law.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in regular, open meeting this <u>3rd</u> day of <u>November</u>, 1998.

Signed in authentication thereof this 3rd day of November, 1998.

DEPUTY MAYOR

Attest:

Approved as to Form:

City Attorney

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City Clerk