ordinance no. 81 100

An Ordinance amending Section 20-6307, Article 63 of Ordinance No. 76398 (License and Business Code) so as to abolish the position of motor bus inspector and transfer the duties of said position to the police officer in immediate charge of the Traffic Division, Bureau of Police; defining certain words; and declaring an emergency.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. It appearing to the Council that in the interests of economy and good government and betterment of the service relative to the control of motor vehicles, the position of motor bus inspector should be abolished and the duties of said position be transferred to the Traffic Division, Bureau of Police, as herein provided; now, therefore, the position of motor bus inspector is hereby abolished and the duties pertaining to said office are hereby transferred and assigned to the officer in charge of the Traffic Division, Bureau of Police, and to such subordinate officer or officers as he may assign to the performance of such duties, and any and all of such police officers are hereby invested with all of the power and authority heretofore vested in the motor bus inspector; and, the better to effecuate said purposes, Section 20-6307, Article 63 of Ordinance No. 76398 (License and Business Code) he, and the same hereby is, amended to read as follows:

Section 20-6307 MOTOR BUS INSPECTIONS. The police officer in immediate charge of the Traffic Division, Bureau of Police, shall examine all drivers and chauffeurs and likewise examine all vehicles herein defined, in order to determine their safety. Such officer shall, on making a reinspection of licensed vehicles, if he finds to his satisfaction that the steering gear, brakes or other safety devices of such vehicle is not in proper working condition or is dangerous or likely to become dangerous, place or cause to be placed on such vehicle a metal tag on which shall be printed or embossed the words "out of repair". Such tags shall be attached securely to the frame of the windshield or other machine part by wires, the ends of which shall be sealed, and it shall be unlawful for any one other than such officer or other authorized police officer to remove such tag.

Said tag shall not be removed until such officer shall find that the required repairs have been made to such vehicle, and such vehicle shall not be allowed to carry passengers within the City of Portland with such tag attached. Any person other than such authorized police officer who shall remove such tag shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this article and subject to the penalties herein imposed.

The police officer in charge of the Traffic Division, Bureau of Police, may, with the written, signed consent and approval of the Chief of Police, designate one or more subordinate officers assigned for duty with the Traffic Division, to perform, under his direction and supervision, all of the duties and functions heretofore performed by the motor bus inspector; and whenever the words "motor bus inspector", "bus inspector", or "inspector", are used in this article, they shall be taken and deemed to refer to, designate, and mean the police officer in charge of the Traffic Division, Bureau of Police, or his subordinate or subcrdinate in said Division duly authorized to perform the duties and functions of said position.

Section 2. Inasmuch as this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, peace and safety of the City of Portland in this: Because it is the beginning of a new fiscal year and the abolition of the position of motor bus inspector and transfer of duties thereof should become immediately effective; therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage by the Council.

Passed by the Council JUN 7 1945

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Mayor of the City of Portland

Attest:

Auditor pro tem of the City of Portland

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