

CURRENT INTRODUCTION NUMBER:

[Int. No. 587](#)

INITIAL SPONSORS:

Council Member Eugene

TITLE:

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the taxi and limousine commission to create a fine and civil penalty payment plan.

BILL SUMMARY:

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Drivers licensed by the Taxi and Limousine Commission (TLC) can face fines and civil penalties for violations of dozens of TLC rules and Administrative Code provisions. If a TLC-licensed driver does not pay any owed fines or penalties within 30 days of a decision of the Taxi and Limousine Tribunal, their license will be suspended. Under the bill, the TLC would be required to establish a payment plan program to allow drivers to pay fines and penalties in installments and would be prohibited from suspending a driver's TLC license for non-payment, so long as the driver is in compliance with the payment plan.

CODE SECTIONS AFFECTED:

- Adds Code § 19-544.

EFFECTIVE DATE:

90 days from enactment.

NOTE: When reading the [full text of the bill](#) online at legistar.council.nyc.gov, language that is enclosed by [brackets] is proposed to be removed, and language that is underlined is proposed to be added.