# **The New York City Council**

City Hall New York, NY 10007



**Meeting Minutes** 

Wednesday, April 29, 2020

1:00 PM

Jointly with the Committee on Consumer Affairs and Business Licensing REMOTE HEARING

# **Committee on Small Business**

Mark Gjonaj, Chair Members: Stephen T. Levin, Bill Perkins, Ydanis A. Rodriguez and Helen K. Rosenthal

Roll Call	
	Present: Gjonaj and Rosenthal
	Absent: Levin, Perkins and Rodriguez
T2020-6100	Oversight - The Impact of COVID-19 on Small Businesses in New York City.
	<u>Attachments:</u> Committee Report, Hearing Testimony, Hearing Testimony (Con't), Hearing Transcript
	This Oversight was Hearing Held by Committee
	<u>Attachments:</u> Committee Report, Hearing Testimony, Hearing Testimony (Con't), Hearing Transcript
	This Oversight was Filed, by Committee
Int 1846-2020	A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the disclosure of gratuity policies for delivery workers
	Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1846, Int. No. 1846, January 8, 2020 - Charter Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Charter Meeting 1-8-20, Minutes of the Charter Meeting - January 8, 2020, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee
	<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1846, Int. No. 1846, January 8, 2020 - Charter Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Charter Meeting 1-8-20, Minutes of the Charter Meeting - January 8, 2020, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee
Int 1895-2020	A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to food service establishments' packaging of food for delivery
	<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1895, Int. No. 1895, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee
	<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1895, Int. No. 1895, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

Int 1896-2020	A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New
	York, in relation to the disclosure of commissions charged by
	third-party food delivery services
	<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1896, Int. No. 1896, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee
	<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1896, Int. No. 1896, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee
Int 1897-2020	A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the licensing of third-party food delivery services
	Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1897, Int. No. 1897, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee
	Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1897, Int. No. 1897, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20
	This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee
Int 1898-2020	A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to telephone order charges by third-party food delivery services during, and for 90 days after, a declared emergency that prohibits on-premises dining
	Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1898-A, Summary of Int. No. 1898, Int. No. 1898, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1898-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1898-A, Summary of Int. No. 1898, Int. No. 1898, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1898-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript -Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

#### Enactment No: 2020/051

## Int 1907-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to prohibiting third-party food delivery services from limiting the purchase prices covered establishments may charge on food and beverage orders

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1907, Int. No. 1907, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20

### This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1907, Int. No. 1907, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20

#### This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

### Int 1908-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to fees charged by third-party food delivery services during, and for 90 days after, a declared emergency that prohibits on-premises dining

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1908-B, Summary of Int. No. 1908-A, Summary of Int. No. 1908, Int. No. 1908, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Proposed Int. No. 1908-A - 4/30/20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1908-B - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1908-B, Summary of Int. No. 1908-A, Summary of Int. No. 1908, Int. No. 1908, February 27, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 2-27-20, Proposed Int. No. 1908-A - 4/30/20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1908-B - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

### This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

#### Enactment No: 2020/052

## Int 1914-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to harassment of commercial tenants impacted by COVID-19

Attachments:Summary of Int. No. 1914-A, Summary of Int. No. 1914, Int. No. 1914, April22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript -<br/>Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony<br/>4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20,<br/>Proposed Int. No. 1914-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing<br/>Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 -<br/>Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated<br/>Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

### This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1914-A, Summary of Int. No. 1914, Int. No. 1914, April 22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1914-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

### This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

### Enactment No: 2020/053

### Int 1916-2020 A Local Law in relation to requiring the waiver and refund of certain sidewalk cafe revocable consent fees, and providing for the repeal of such provision upon the expiration thereof

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1916-A, Summary of Int. No. 1916, Int. No. 1916, April 22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1916-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, Fiscal Impact Statement, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting 4-20

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1916-A, Summary of Int. No. 1916, Int. No. 1916, April 22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1916-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, Fiscal Impact Statement, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

#### Enactment No: 2020/054

## Int 1921-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring third-party food delivery services and food service establishments to display sanitary inspection letter grades online

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1921, Int. No. 1921, April 22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20

### This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1921, Int. No. 1921, April 22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20

#### This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

### Int 1932-2020 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to personal liability provisions of leases for commercial tenants impacted by COVID-19

Attachments:Summary of Int. No. 1932-A, Summary of Int. No. 1932, Int. No. 1932, April22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript -Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20,Proposed Int. No. 1932-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, HearingTranscript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 -Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - StatedMeeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

<u>Attachments:</u> Summary of Int. No. 1932-A, Summary of Int. No. 1932, Int. No. 1932, April 22, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 4-22-20, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1932-A - 5/12/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

This Introduction was Laid Over by Committee

#### Enactment No: 2020/055

## Int 1940-2020 A Local Law in relation to license, permit, consent and registration renewal extensions, and requiring at least 45 days notice for renewal following the COVID-19 emergency

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1940-A, Summary of Int. No.1940, Int. No. 1940, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1940-A -5/6/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

#### This Introduction was Hearing on P-C Item by Comm

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 1940-A, Summary of Int. No.1940, Int. No. 1940, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20, Proposed Int. No. 1940-A -5/6/20, Committee Report 5/13/20, Hearing Transcript 5/13/20, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, May 13, 2020 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 5-13-20, Fiscal Impact Statement

#### This Introduction was P-C Item Laid Over by Comm

Enactment No: 2020/057

### Res 1049-2019 Resolution calling upon the United States Congress and the New York State Legislature to pass legislation to prohibit the use of a confession of judgment in business loans.

<u>Attachments:</u> Res. No. 1049, September 12, 2019 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 9-12-19, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - September 12, 2019, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20

### This Resolution was Hearing Held by Committee

Attachments: Res. No. 1049, September 12, 2019 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 9-12-19, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - September 12, 2019, Committee Report 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20, Hearing Testimony 4/29/20 (Con't), Hearing Transcript 4/29/20

This Resolution was Laid Over by Committee