

The New York City Council

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practitioners to conduct medical exams of taxi driver

license applicants.

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Title: A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to authorizing

physician assistants and nurse practitioners to conduct medical exams of taxi driver license applicants

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11/2/2023	*	Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure	Hearing Held by Committee	
11/2/2023	*	Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure	Approved by Committee	Pass
11/2/2023	*	City Council	Approved by Council	Pass
11/2/2023	*	City Council	Sent to Mayor by Council	
12/3/2023	*	Administration	City Charter Rule Adopted	
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Int. No. 1192

By Council Members Brooks-Powers, Narcisse, Riley, Rivera, Louis, Lee and Velázquez

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Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

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Section 1. Subdivision d of section 19-505 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as added

by local law number 115 for the year 1993, and amended by local law number 5 for the year 2009, is amended

to read as follows:

d. Each applicant for a driver's license under the provisions of this chapter, other than a commuter van

driver's license, shall be examined as to [his or her] such applicant's physical condition by a duly licensed

physician, physician assistant, or nurse practitioner, designated by the commission; each such applicant shall

also be examined by the commission as to [his or her] such applicant's knowledge of the city, as well as city

and state laws governing the idling of engines, and if the result of any of these examinations is unsatisfactory,

[he or she] such applicant shall be refused a license.

§ 2. This local law takes effect immediately.

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