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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN

Alderman, 8th District

October 17, 2008

To the Honorable, the Common Council

Dear Members:

Common Council File 080667 contains the following recommendations:

Non-renewal, based on non-appearance, of the public passenger vehicle driver's licenses of the Raul Ortiz, Jr., Bonifac Osunkwo, Pavittar Singh and William Wandschneider

Renewal, with a 10-day suspension based on the police report, of the public passenger vehicle driver's licenses of Vikramjeet Brar, Adam Laasiri, Abdeslam Messaoudani, Darren Quinn and Steven Walker.

With regard to the file listed above, the Public Safety Committee held an evidentiary hearing on September 16th.

Pursuant to Chapter 100-54, Milwaukee Code of Ordinances, and § 349.24, Wis. Stats., the Committee is transmitting a copy of its Report and Recommendations, regarding the above matters to your Honorable Body.

Pursuant to City Ordinances, prior to the time the Common Council acts on the Committee's Report, a roll call vote will be taken to confirm that all members present and voting have read the Committee's Report and any objections that have been filed by the Licensee.

These matters have been scheduled for a hearing before the full Common Council at its meeting on **Wednesday, October 29, 2008** at 9:00 A.M. in the Common Council Chambers.

Robert G. Donovan, Chair

**Public Safety Committee** 

cc: All Council Members

Files 080667

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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN

Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Raul Ortiz, Jr. for a Public Passenger

Vehicle Driver License.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Raul Ortiz, Jr. (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.

- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 5, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 9, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On September 12, 2008, and October 7, 2008 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on September 25, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall, and on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 201B of City Hall. On both times and dates the licensee failed to appear, and was not represented by counsel.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

A. Notice was sent to Raul Ortiz, Jr. at 3218 South 35<sup>th</sup> Street, No. 1, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215, along with a copy of the police report on September 12, 2008, and October 7, 2008 in an envelope which was sent by U.S. first-class prepaid mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division, 200 East Wells Street, Room 105, Milwaukee, WI 53202. The address of 3218 South 35<sup>th</sup> Street, No. 1, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215 was the address given by the applicant on his renewal application. On both occasions the notice included a copy of the police report. The licensee failed to appear at the hearings as scheduled and on both occasions the envelope containing the notice and police report was not returned to the License Division by the U.S. Postal Service.

# CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Raul Ortiz, Jr., has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license based upon two nonappearances.
- 3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Raul Ortiz, Jr. based upon two nonappearances.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of three (3) ayes and two (2) excused, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Raul Ortiz, Jr. be denied based upon tow nonappearances.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

KOBERT DONOVAN

CHAIR
Public Safety Committee

MEMBER
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Steering & Rules Committee



# ROBERT G. DONOVAN Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Boniface Osunkwo for a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Boniface Osunkwo (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.
- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 2, 2008.
- Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 3, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On September 11, 2008, and October 7, 2008 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on September 25, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall, and on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said dates, times and place, the licensee did not appear and was not represented by counsel.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

A. Notice was sent to Boniface Osunkwo at 7932 West Congress Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53218, along with a copy of the police report on September 11, 2008, and on October 7, 2008 in an envelope which was sent by U.S. first-class prepaid mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division, 200 East Wells Street, Room 105, Milwaukee, WI 53202. The address of 7932 West Congress Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53218 was the address given by the applicant on his renewal application. The notices included a copy of the police report. The licensee failed to appear at the hearings and the envelopes containing the notice and police report was not returned to the License Division by the U.S. Postal Service.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Boniface Osunkwo, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license based upon two nonappearances.
- 3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Boniface Osunkwo based upon two nonappearances.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of three (3) ayese and two (2) excused, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Boniface Osunkwo be denied based upon two nonappearances.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

ROBERT DONOVAN

Chairman, Public Safety Committee

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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Pavittar Singh for a Public Passenger

Vehicle Driver License.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Pavittar Singh (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.

- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 8, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 9, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 2, 2008, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee did not appear and was not represented by counsel.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

A. Notice was sent to Pavittar Singh addressed to him at 10221 West Congress Street, Apt. 5, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53225, along with a copy of the police report on October 2, 2008 in an envelope which was sent by U.S. first-class prepaid mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division, 200 East Wells Street, Room 105, Milwaukee, WI 53202. The address of 10221 West Congress Street, Apt. 5, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53225 was the address given by the applicant on his renewal application. The notice included a copy of the police report. The licensee failed to appear at the hearing and the envelope containing the notice and police report was not returned to the License Division by the U.S. Postal Service.

# CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Pavittar Singh, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license based upon nonappearance.
- 3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Pavittar Singh based upon nonappearance.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of five (5) ayes and zero (0) noes recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Pavittar Singh be denied based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

ROBERT DONOVAN

CHAIR
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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN

Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of William R. Wandschneider for a Public

Passenger Vehicle Driver License.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

1. William R. Wandschneider (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.

- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 25, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. §349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated October 3, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 9, 2008 the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall, at said date, time and place the licensee failed to appear, and was not represented by counsel.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

A. Notice was sent to William R. Wandschneider at 933 South 74<sup>th</sup> Street, West Allis, Wisconsin 53214, along with a copy of the police report on October 9, 2008, in an envelope which was sent by U.S. first-class prepaid mail in an envelope bearing the return address of the License Division, 200 East Wells Street, Room 105, Milwaukee, WI 53202. The address of 933 South 74<sup>th</sup> Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53214 was the address given by the applicant on his renewal application. The notice included a copy of the police report. The licensee failed to appear at the hearing as scheduled, and the envelope containing the notice and police report was not returned to the License Division by the U.S. Postal Service.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, William R. Wandschneider, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license based upon nonappearance.
- In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by William R. Wandschneider based upon nonappearance.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of five (5) ayes and zero (0) noes, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of William R. Wandschneider be denied based upon nonappearance.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

ROBERT DONOVAN

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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Vikramjeet S. Brar for a Public Passenger

Vehicle Driver License.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Vikramjeet S. Brar (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.

- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 5, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 9, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 2, 2008, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and § 349.24 of the Wisconsin Statutes of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time, and place the licensee appeared and admitted receipt of the notice and police report.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

A. On March 6, 2005, the applicant was arrested in Kenosha County for 1. Battery § 943.10 (Misd); 2. Disorderly Conduct § 947.01 (Misd).

Charge:

1. Battery

2. Disorderly Conduct

Finding:

1. Guilty, County Court

2. Guilty, County Court

Sentence:

12 months of Probation (Withheld)

12 months of Probation (Withheld)

Date:

04/13/2005

Case:

05CM000492

B. On June 15, 2004, the Wisconsin Department of Transportation suspended the applicant's drivers license for a period of 6 months as a result of the accumulation of points on his drivers record.

The applicant's convictions are as follows (by conviction date):

05/26/2004Imprudent Speed8 point violation05/10/2004Operate w/o license6 point violation05/10/2004Imprudent Speed4 point violation

The applicant is on Probation until April 6, 2006. A notification letter was sent on December 7, 2005.

- C. On April 19, 2006 the Wisconsin Department of Transportation suspended the applicant's driver's license for 175 days for failure to pay forfeiture and it remained suspended until May 5, 2008. During the period of suspension, the applicant failed to return his Public Passenger Vehicle License to the City Clerk as required by City Ordinance 100-59-1-b.
- D. On October 18, 2006 the applicant was convicted in Milwaukee County of Operating While Intoxicated 1<sup>st</sup> offense and the Wisconsin Department of Transportation revoked his driver's license for 6 months. During that period of revocation, the applicant failed to return his Public Passenger Vehicle License to the City Clerk as required by City Ordinance 100-59-1-b.
- E. On November 24, 2006 the Wisconsin Department of Transportation revoked the applicant's driver's license for 516 days for non-compliance with driver safety plan and it remained revoked until May 5, 2008. During that period of revocation, the applicant failed to return his Public Passenger Vehicle License to the City Clerk as required by City Ordinance 100-59-1-b.

F. On February 15, 2007 the Wisconsin Department of Transportation suspended the applicant's driver's license for 438 days for failure to pay forfeiture and it remained suspended until May 5, 2008. During the period of suspension the applicant failed to return his Public Passenger Vehicle license to the City Clerk as required by City Ordinance 100-59-1-b.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Vikramjeet S. Brar, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license without undergoing a ten (10) day suspension of said license.
- 3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Vikramjeet S. Brar based upon the police report with a ten (10) day suspension thereof.

# RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of three (4) ayes, zero (0) noes, and one (1) excused recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Vikramjeet S. Brar be renewed with a ten (10) day suspension based upon the police report on file herein.

Said suspension shall be in force from 12:01 a.m. November 1, 2008 through midnight November 10, 2008.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Adam S. Laasiri for a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver License.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Adam S. Laasiri (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.
- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 18, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 19, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 2, 2008, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee appeared and admitted receipt of the notice and police report. The licensee was not represented by counsel.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

- A. On November 20, 2007 at 7:30 AM, an officer of the Milwaukee Police Department observed the licensee operating a taxicab make an illegal "U" turn at a controlled intersection. The applicant told the police officer that he did not know such an act was illegal. The officer cited the licensee for an illegal "U" turn. On January 2, 2008 the licensee was found guilty of that citation and forfeited \$83.80.
- B. On January 28, 2008 at 8:27 AM an officer of the Milwaukee Police Department observed the licensee waiting for a fare at the Hilton Hotel at 648 North 5<sup>th</sup> Street in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The licensee did not have his daily safety check list or trip record filled out for the day. The licensee was cited for daily checklist required and on June 4, 2008 was found guilty of the citation. The licensee forfeited \$185.00.
- C. On May 31, 2008 at 9:05 PM, an officer observed the licensee in the only cab in the taxicab lane at Miller Park in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The officer observed a group of persons open the door of the cab and speak with the driver, then close the door and walk away. A few minutes later another group of persons approached the cab and tried to get in, but did not go in. The officer approached the cab, and the driver, upon seeing the officer, started to drive away without anyone in the cab. The officer spoke with members of both groups. The first group wanted to go downtown and the driver told them to wait for another cab. The second group wanted to go to 60<sup>th</sup> and State Street, a short distance from Miller Park. The second group related to the officer that the driver acted as though he did not know where 60th and State Street was located. The licensee told the officer that he was waiting for a reserved fare, but had no answer for the officer as to why he started to drive off with no one in the cab. The licensee was asked by the officer for his Wisconsin Operator's Permit and Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's License. The licensee did not have his Wisconsin Operator's Permit on his person at the time of these incidents. The licensee was cited for refusal of service and license to be carried. The citation for license to be carried was released and on October 8, 2008 the licensee was found guilty of refusal of service and forfeited \$361.
- D. On June 3, 2008 at 9:15 PM, an officer of the Milwaukee Police Department observed the licensee first in line in the taxi lane at Miller Park in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The officer observed a citizen approach the applicant, speak to him, and then walk away. The citizen walked to the next two cabs in the same fashion. The citizen finally entered the fourth cab in line. The officer approached the citizen and asked what happened with the first three cabs. The citizen informed the officer that none of the cabs would accept an American Express Card as payment for the fare. The officer asked the licensee why he did not give the citizen and his group a ride and the licensee denied that he refused the citizen service. The licensee was cited for

refusal of service and on October 8, 2008 was found guilty and he forfeited \$361.

E. At hearing the licensee admitted the refusal of service on June 3, 2008, but claimed that on May 31, 2008 he was waiting for a reserved fare, notwithstanding the fact that the Milwaukee Municipal Court had found him guilty.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Adam S. Laasiri, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license without undergoing a ten (10) day suspension of said license based upon the police report.
- In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to not renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Adam S. Laasiri with a ten (10) day suspension of said license based upon the police report.

## RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of four (4) ayes and one (1) excused, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Adam S. Laasiri be renewed with a ten (10) day suspension of said license denied based upon the police report on file in this matter.

Said suspension is to be in force from 12:01 AM November 1, 2008 through midnight November 10, 2008.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN

Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Abdeslam Messaoudani for a Public Passenger

Vehicle Driver License.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Abdeslam Messaoudani (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.
- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 17, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 18, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 2, 2008, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee appeared and admitted receipt of the notice of hearing and police report. The licensee was not represented by counsel
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:
  - A. On July 9, 2007 the Wisconsin Department of Transportation suspended the licensee's Wisconsin Operator's Permit for two months for his driving record and it remained suspended until December 10, 2007. During that period of time, the licensee did not surrender his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's License as required by Section 100-59-1-b of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.

B. The licensee's driver record abstract reveals that he had three accidents on March 27, 2006, January 2, 2008 and June 12, 2008, and two speeding incident occurring on November 10, 2006 and May 14, 2007. Those episodes occurred while he was driving his cab.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Abdeslam Messaoudani, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license without under going a suspension of said license based upon the police report.
- 3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's license of Abdeslam Messaoudani with a ten (10) day suspension of said license based up the police report on file in this matter.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of five (5) ayes and zero (0) noes, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Abdeslam Messaoudani be renewed with a ten (10) day suspension.

Said suspension is to be in force from 12:01 AM November 1, 2008 through midnight November 10, 2008.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

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# ROBERT G. DONOVAN

Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Darren Quinn for a Public Passenger

Vehicle Driver License.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Darren Quinn (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.

- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 15, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 16, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 2, 2008, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee appeared and admitted receipt of the notice and police report.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

- A. On February 21, 2005 the licensee was arrested in Milwaukee County for criminal damage to property. He was found guilty in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County and was sentenced to ninety (90) days in the House of Correction, which as stayed and a probation of one year was imposed with restitution on August 24, 2005.
- B. On March 15, 2008 the licensee was cited by an officer of the Milwaukee Police Department for loitering and soliciting a prostitute. He was found guilty on June 20, 2008 in Milwaukee Municipal Court and forfeited \$676, which is currently in collection.
- C. At hearing, the licensee attempted to explain how he had a spat with his then-fiancee regarding an affair with his fiancee's sister, and happened to see an old friend by the name of "Pinky," who had fallen asleep in his car at the time the officer noticed these events. The licensee explained that when the matter was in pre-trial in the Municipal Court he mailed a not guilty plea because he had been absent from his employer for two days in the same month, and that if he would be absent a third day he would be fired. The licensee further testified that he moved during the time that the Municipal Court would have mailed the notice of the trial, and for that reason notice of the trial may not have gotten to him.
- D. On the occasion of his arrest for soliciting a prostitute, "Pinky" was also arrested. Despite the matter going into collection, the licensee stated to the Committee that when he received the notice of the hearing for his Public Passenger Vehicle License, it caused him to remember that he wanted to reopen the matter, and now would do so.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 Statutes.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Darren Quinn, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license without undergoing a ten (10) day suspension of said license based upon the police report.
- 3. In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to renew

the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Darren Quinn with a ten (10) day suspension based upon the police report on file in this matter.

# RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of two (2) ayes, one (1) noe, one (1) abstention, and one (1) excused, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Darren Quinn be denied based upon the police report.

Said suspension is to be in force from 12:01 a.m. November 1,2008 through midnight November 10, 2008.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.

ROBERT DONOVAN

CHAIR
Public Safety Committee

MEMBER
Anti-Graffiti Policy Committee
Finance & Personnel Committee
Steering & Rules Committee



# ROBERT G. DONOVAN Alderman, 8th District

Date: October 17, 2008

To: All Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

From: The Public Safety Committee

Re: Report of the Renewal Application of Steven Walker for a Public Passenger

Vehicle Driver License.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Steven Walker (hereinafter the "Licensee") is the holder of a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license in the City and County of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Said license expires at midnight, October 31, 2008.

- 2. An application to renew said license was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on September 12, 2008.
- 3. Pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. §349.24, the matter was referred to the Milwaukee Police Department for investigation. The Milwaukee Police Department filed a police report dated September 16, 2008, that could form the basis of non-renewal or suspension of this license.
- 4. On October 2, 2008, the City Clerk's Office provided timely notice to the Licensee, pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24 of a police report that could form the basis for suspension or non-renewal of the license of the licensee and included therewith a copy of the Milwaukee Police Department report. The matter was scheduled for a hearing on the police report on October 16, 2008 at 9:00 a.m. in Room 301B of City Hall. At said date, time and place, the licensee appeared and admitted receipt of the notice and police report. The licensee was not represented by counsel.
- 5. Based upon the sworn testimony heard and the evidence received at the hearing, the Committee finds the following:

- On October 23, 2007 an office of the Milwaukee Police Department Α. observed the licensee operating a human service vehicle drop off a client at 2901 West Kinnickinnic River Parkway. The licensee did not have a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's license. He told the officer that he did not know what such a thing was. However, the records of the City of Milwaukee License Division disclosed that the licensee held a Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's license from February 27, 2001 through October 24, 2006 when he was denied renewal for non appearance before the Committee. The licensee was cited for Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's license required, and on December 12, 2007 was found guilty and This item was not considered when the Committee forfeited \$361. considered renewal of the licensee's license at its meeting of November 29,2007, since there was no disposition. The disposition has now been added.
- B. On March 28, 2008 the Wisconsin Department of Transportation suspended the licensee's Wisconsin Operator's Permit for failure to pay a forfeiture and it remained suspended until May 15, 2008. During the time in question, the licensee did not surrender his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver's license to the License Division as required by Section 100-59-1-b of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances.
- C. The licensee has worked as a human service vehicle driver for eight years.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Committee has jurisdiction to hold hearings and provide Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and a Recommendation to the full Common Council pursuant to Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances and Wis. Stat. § 349.24.
- 2. Based upon the above facts found, the Committee concludes that the licensee, Steven Walker, has not met the criteria of Chapter 100 of the Milwaukee Code of Ordinances or Wis. Stat. § 349.24 to allow renewal of his Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license without undergoing a ten (10) day suspension of said license based upon the police report.
- In order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Milwaukee, it is the recommendation of the Public Safety Committee that the full Common Council of the City of Milwaukee should exercise its judgment to renew the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license held by Steven Walker with a ten (10) day suspension of said license based upon the police report on file in this matter.

### RECOMMENDATION

Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law stated above, the Committee, by a vote of five (5) ayes, and zero (0) noes, recommends that the Public Passenger Vehicle Driver license of Steven Walker be renewed with a ten (10) day suspension based upon the police report on file in this matter.

Said suspension is to be in force from 12:01 a.m. November 1, 2008 through midnight November 10, 2008.

Dated and signed at Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 17th day of October, 2008.