



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
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Civil Division
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Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102

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April 24, 2013

AMENDED NOTICE OF VIOLATION

Bashir Ahmed Yusuf
1320 Maynard Drive East, Apt. #329
Saint Paul, MN 55116

RE: Taxicab Vehicle license for Cab #811 held by Bashir Ahmed Yusuf d/b/a Twin Cities Airport Taxi & Limo Service for the City of Saint Paul
License ID #: 20120003760

Dear Bashir Ahmed Yusuf:

The Department of Safety and Inspections will recommend adverse action against the Taxicab Vehicle license for Cab #811 held by Bashir Ahmed Yusuf d/b/a Twin Cities Airport Taxi & Limo Service for the City of Saint Paul. The basis for the recommendation is based on the following information:

According to Department of Safety and Inspection records, the Certificate of Liability Insurance for Cab #811 showed a lapse in insurance coverage from November 11, 2012 through November 14, 2012.

As a result, per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.05 (m) (2), the licensing office will recommend a \$500.00 matrix penalty.

At this time, you have two options on how to proceed:

1. You can pay the recommended \$500.00 matrix penalty. If this is your choice, you should make payment directly to the Department of Safety and Inspections, at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than **Monday, May 6, 2013**. A self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience. Payment of the \$500.00 matrix penalty will be considered to be a waiver of the hearing to which you are entitled.
2. If you wish to admit the facts but you contest the penalty, you may have a public hearing before the Saint Paul City Council. You will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting to the facts and requesting a public hearing. I will need to receive your letter by **Monday, May 6, 2013**. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council for a public hearing to determine whether to impose the \$500.00 matrix penalty. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.

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3. If you dispute the facts outlined above, you may request a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ). You will need to send me a letter disputing the facts and requesting an administrative hearing no later than **Monday, May 6, 2013**. At that hearing both you and the City will appear and present witnesses, evidence and cross-examine each other's witnesses. After receipt of the ALJ's report (usually within 30 days), a public hearing will need to be scheduled. At that time, the City Council will decide whether to adopt, modify or reject the ALJ's report and recommendation.

Please note: If you choose an administrative hearing, the Department of Safety and Inspections reserves the right to request that City Council impose the costs of the administrative hearing per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.05 (k).

If you have not contacted me or DSI by Monday, May 6, 2013, I will assume that you do not contest the imposition of the \$500.00 matrix penalty. In that case, the matter will be placed on the City Council Consent Agenda for approval of the recommended penalty.

If you have questions about these options, please feel free to contact me at 266-8710.

Sincerely,



Daphne Lundstrom
Assistant City Attorney

cc: Christine Rozek, Deputy Director of DSI
Tom Ferrara, DSI
Abdinoor Dolal, Twin Cities Airport Taxi & Limo Service, 9217-17th Avenue South, Ste. 212
Bloomington, MN 55425

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 24th day of April she served the attached **AMENDED NOTICE OF VIOLATION** and correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

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(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

Julie Kraus
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 24th day of April, 2013

Rita M. Bossard
Notary Public

