



CITY OF SAINT PAUL  
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May 9, 2012

**NOTICE OF INTENT TO DENY TAXICAB DRIVER RENEWAL LICENSE**

Abdikani Mohamed Khalif  
720 Marshall Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55104

RE: Taxicab Driver license renewal application submitted by Abdikani Mohamed Khalif d/b/a Abdikani Mohamed Khalif for the City of Saint Paul  
License ID #: 20090000755

Dear Abdikani Mohamed Khalif:

The Department of Safety and Inspections will recommend denial of the Taxicab Driver license renewal application submitted by Abdikani Mohamed Khalif d/b/a Abdikani Mohamed Khalif for the City of Saint Paul. The basis for the recommendation is based on the following information:

**A check of Minnesota Department of Vehicle Services records on April 19, 2012, indicates that your Minnesota driver's license has been suspended since October 31, 2011. Saint Paul Legislative Code § 376.16 (h) states: "Requirement of a valid Minnesota or Wisconsin driver's license. Any time a licensee's Minnesota or Wisconsin driver's license is suspended, revoked or canceled, his or her taxicab driver's license shall likewise be immediately suspended, revoked or canceled. No person shall operate a taxicab without a valid Minnesota or Wisconsin driver's license."**

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

1. 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 no later than **Monday, May 21, 2012**. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council for a public hearing to determine whether to deny your Taxicab Driver renewal license. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.
2. 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 21, 2012**. 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.

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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).

3. You may withdraw your license application. Send a written statement to that effect to the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI), 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than **Monday, May 21, 2012**. Information should be directed to the attention of Christine Rozek. Any request for a refund of the license application fee must also be made in writing to the Department of Safety and Inspections

**If you have not contacted me by Monday, May 21, 2012, I will assume that you do not contest the denial of your Taxicab Driver renewal license. 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,



Meghan Kisch  
Assistant City Attorney

cc: Christine Rozek, Deputy Director of DSI

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COUNTY OF RAMSEY )

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May she served the attached the **NOTICE OF INTENT TO DENY TAXICAB DRIVER RENEWAL LICENSE** and correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

Abdikani Mohamed Khalif  
720 Marshall Avenue  
St. Paul, MN 55104

(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  
Julie Kraus

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012

Rita M. Bossard  
Notary Public

