

1 Introduced December 18, 2007, by Councilman
2 Kingston, seconded by Councilman Canada,
3 (by request of Administration)

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5 **Item No. 07-12-2702**

6 **ORDINANCE NO. 3451**

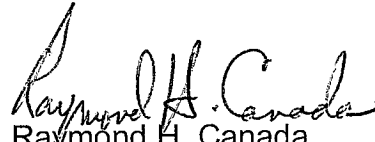
7 An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances for the City of Slidell,
8 Chapter 29, Section 29-45(3), relative to qualifications for issuance of taxicab license.
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10 NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council, that
11 Chapter 29, Vehicles for Hire, Section 29-45(3), is hereby rescinded and reenacted to read
12 as follows:
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15 "(3) The owner and operator must submit to a background check to be conducted
16 by the Slidell Police Department. More than three misdemeanor convictions over
17 the past five years shall disqualify the applicant from receiving the taxicab license.
18 Except as provided herein, prior to receiving a taxicab license a waiting period of
19 ten years after completion of sentence shall be required for anyone convicted of a
20 felony. Conviction of driving while intoxicated, reckless operation of a motor vehicle,
21 hit and run driving within the past ten years shall disqualify the applicant from
22 receiving the taxicab license. Conviction of murder, manslaughter, kidnapping, rape
23 or being required to register as a sex offender shall disqualify the applicant from
24 receiving the taxicab license regardless of the date of conviction."
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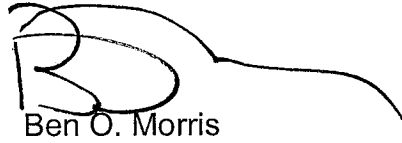
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4 **ADOPTED** this 22nd day of January, 2008.

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9 Raymond H. Canada
10 President of the Council
11 Councilman, District E

12 To Mayor: 1/23/08 3:50 p.m.
13 From Mayor: 1/25/08 1:40 p.m.

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15 Thomas P. Reeves
16 Council Administrator

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Ben O. Morris
Mayor