

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE NO. 349

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 6, SECTION 8, AS AMENDED, AND SECTION 11 OF ORDINANCE NO. 244 OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS LICENSING, FOR PURPOSES OF REGULATION AND REVENUE EVERY KIND OF LAWFUL BUSINESS HEREINAFTER SPECIFIED, TRANSACTED OR CARRIED ON WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, STATE OF NEVADA: FIXING THE RATES OF LICENSE TAX UPON THE SAME AND PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF SAID LICENSE TAX, AND A PUNISHMENT FOR CARRYING ON OR CONDUCTING ANY SUCH BUSINESS WITHOUT A LICENSE; AND REPEALING ORDINANCES NUMBERED 1, 2, 4, 13, 14, 35, 48, 62, 74, 75, 81, 95, 102, 105, 108, 112, 117, 145, 184, 192 and 243."

The Board of Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 6 of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 6. Every person who, at a fixed place of business in the City of Las Vegas, sells any goods, wares or merchandise, drugs or medicines, jewelry, or wares, or precious metals, whether on commission or otherwise, or operates any restaurant, steam or power laundry, garage, automobile service station, automobile sales agency, newspaper, job printing establishment, funeral and undertaking establishment, theatre, moving picture show, or manufactures for sale soda water or any soft drinks, or operates a shoe making, shoe repair or cobbling shop, a photograph gallery or photo making shop, a blacksmith shop, machine shop, general repair shop, motor repair shop, bicycle repair shop, clothes cleaning shop, tailoring establishment, nursery where plants, flowers, ferns, trees or other plants are cultivated, grown or propagated for the purpose of sale, or operates a hospital or clinic, or operates a creamery, or a water company, furnishing service to sections of the City and having gross monthly income of less than \$3,000.00 per month must obtain from the City Clerk for each branch of his business, a license, and must pay quarterly therefor an amount of money to be determined by the class in which said person is placed by the City Clerk; such business to be classified and regulated by the amount of the average monthly sales made at the rates as follows:

- (a) Where the average monthly sales are under the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), the sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) per quarter.
- (b) Where the average monthly sales are One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) and over, but are under Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00), the sum of Nine Dollars (\$9.00) per quarter.
- (c) Where the average monthly sales are Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) and over, but are under Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00), the sum of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) per quarter.
- (d) Where the average monthly sales are Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) and over, but are under Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00), the sum of Twenty-one Dollars (\$21.00) per quarter.
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(f) Where the average monthly sales are Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) and over, but are under Seventy-five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500.00), the sum of Thirty-three Dollars (\$33.00) per quarter.

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(h) Where the average monthly sales are Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) and over, but are under Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$22,500.00), the sum of Forty-five Dollars (\$45.00) per quarter.

(i) Where the average monthly sales are Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$22,500.00) and over, but are under Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00), the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per quarter.

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(k) Where the average monthly sales are Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000.00) and over, the sum of Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) per quarter.

Any person, firm or corporation operating, conducting and carrying on several different classes or types of business at a fixed place of business in the City of Las Vegas, any of which may fall within the classification mentioned in this section, and some of which may fall within the classification mentioned in Section 8 of this ordinance, may have and hereby is given the option of paying license fee upon his total volume of business done in all said types of business at the rates mentioned in this section, or he may keep separate account of the volume of business done on the type or types of business which fall within the classification mentioned in this section and may pay his license thereon according to the rates provided therefor in this section, and may treat those types of business which fall within Section 8 of this ordinance as a separate business or businesses and pay his license upon each such type of business according to the provisions of Section 8 of this ordinance, without regard to the volume of business done under such types of business upon which license shall be so paid according to the rates mentioned in Section 8 of this ordinance.

Section 2. Section 8, as amended, of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 8. The rates of license tax for businesses, trades, occupations and employments hereinafter named are hereby fixed in and for the City of Las Vegas and the same shall be paid by any person engaged in or carrying on the same in said City, as follows:

(1) For each hand laundry employing one or more persons, \$2.50 per quarter.

(2) For each insurance agent, or real estate broker, or both, \$10.00 per quarter.

(3) For each shooting gallery, \$25.00 per quarter.

(4) For each brokerage establishment, \$30.00 per quarter.

(5) For every banker and bank with a capital of \$100,000 or over (except National Banks), \$100.00 per quarter. For every banker or bank with a capital of less than \$100,000 (except National Banks) \$50.00 per quarter.

(6) For each skating rink, \$20.00 per quarter.

(7) For each employment or intelligence office, \$10.00 per quarter.

(8) Every person who operates a wrecking yard, junk yard, or out-of-door yard or lot where used furniture, plumbing or other second hand materials or merchandise are stored for sale, shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 per quarter. This section shall include all out-of-door lots or yards upon which two or more used cars not in condition to operate under their own power are permitted to remain for a period of thirty days or longer.

(9) Every person who operates a used car lot, containing only cars capable of being moved under their own power, shall pay a license fee of \$10.00 per quarter, provided, that without paying such license fee, one such lot may be maintained by each person or firm who holds a State license as a new or used car dealer. The word "car" as used in this section shall mean any automobile or gasoline propelled vehicle.

(10) For each astrologer, palmist, seer, phrenologist, fortune teller, clairvoyant, or spiritualist, who demands and receives a fee for his or her services, \$100.00 per day.

(11) For each merry-go-round or carrousel, \$5.00 per day.

(12) Any proprietor, lessee or manager of any traveling show, traveling skating rink, circus, hippodrome, menagerie, or carnival intending to exhibit in the open air or under a tent or in any public hall, club room, assembly hall or theatre, where movable scenery and theatrical appliances are used, any performance or exhibition in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, shall pay to the City Clerk of said City of Las Vegas, the sum of \$100.00 as a license fee for the privilege of showing and exhibiting such traveling show, traveling skating rink, circus, hippodrome, menagerie or carnival for each day; and upon payment therefor said City Clerk shall issue license for the day or number of days so paid for.

Provided that nothing in this section contained shall be deemed or construed to require the holder of a theatre license to procure any additional license to conduct, maintain or carry on any theatrical or vaudeville performance when such performance is conducted at any such theatre so licensed.

(13) For each patent medicine agency, \$25.00 per quarter.

(14) For each lawyer, whether connected with or as a member of a firm, or practicing by himself, \$10.00 per quarter.

(15) For each physician and/or surgeon, whether connected with a firm or hospital, or practicing by himself, \$10.00 per quarter.

(16) For each dentist whether connected with or as a member of a firm, or practicing by himself, \$10.00 per quarter.

(17) For each hotel, lodging house, rooming house, auto court or tourist camp as defined hereunder, \$5.00 per quarter for from four to eight guest rooms; from eight to eighteen guest rooms, \$10.00 per quarter; from eighteen to thirty guest rooms, \$20.00 per quarter; from thirty to fifty guest rooms, \$30.00 per quarter; from fifty to eighty guest rooms, \$40.00 per quarter; above eighty guest rooms, \$50.00 per quarter.

Every person, firm or association or corporation engaged in the business of keeping or conducting an apartment house in the City of Las Vegas, shall pay for and obtain a quarterly license to carry on such business as per schedule hereinafter recited in this subdivision, namely: Those who have four apartments and not exceeding eight apartments shall pay for such license the sum of \$5.00 per quarter. And those who have nine apartments and not exceeding eighteen apartments, shall pay for such license the sum of \$15.00 per quarter; and those who have nineteen apartments and not exceeding thirty-eight apartments, shall pay for such license the sum of \$30.00 per quarter; those who have thirty-nine apartments and over shall pay for such license the sum of \$60.00 per quarter.

For the purpose of this ordinance, an auto court or tourist camp is defined as a place, other than a regular hotel or apartment house, where sleeping accommodations in small buildings are rented to the general public, and whenever more than three cabins or small buildings are situated in close proximity to each other and are owned or operated by the same person and are rented to the general public, either by the day, week, month or year, and whether to transients or permanent residents of the City of Las Vegas, the same shall be considered to be a tourist camp or auto court.

(18) For each dray and express and warehouse business, or either, \$5.00 per quarter for the first rig, and \$2.50 per quarter for each additional rig, used in such business; but warehouse businesses without rigs shall pay \$5.00 per quarter.

(19) Every person, firm or corporation who, for hire, operates a truck or fleet of trucks which shall come into the City of Las Vegas to receive merchandise for delivery outside the city, or which shall bring merchandise into the City of Las Vegas from outside, and make deliveries of merchandise within the City, shall pay an annual license fee of \$20.00 for each truck so operated. The annual period referred to shall be from January 1st of each year to and including December 31st of the same year, and if application for license shall be made at any time after the first day of January in any given year, the full annual license fee of \$20.00 shall be required and paid and the license so issued shall terminate on December 31st of the same year, regardless of the time of the year when such application is made.

This sub-section is not intended to apply, however, to trucks engaged in inter-state commerce.

And the above provision as to license fee to be paid shall likewise apply to and be paid by any person, firm or corporation having no fixed place of business within the City of Las Vegas but who comes into the City from outside, regularly, to transact business within the City by receiving or picking up chattels and personal property upon which repairs, personal service or work of any kind may be done for hire outside the City, and again delivering the same to the owner within the City.

(20) Every person operating a billiard hall or billiard room, or pool hall or pool room, shall pay for the first billiard table or pool table in any such establishment, \$5.00 per quarter for the first table and \$3.00 per quarter for each additional billiard table or pool table.

(21) Every person who shall operate a bowling alley within said City of Las Vegas, shall pay the sum of \$7.50 per quarter for the first alley and the sum of \$5.00 per quarter for each additional alley in said establishment.

(22) For each traveling optometrist and/or oculist, who does not hold and exhibit an existing license from the State of Nevada, to practice as such, \$100.00 per day.

For each optometrist and/or oculist holding such license, \$10.00 per quarter.

(23) For each barber shop \$10.00 per quarter for the first barber chair operated, and \$3.00 per quarter for each additional barber chair operated.

(24) For the business of dealing in second hand goods, wares or merchandise of any kind, character or description where, as a part of such transaction, a contract or agreement is made, or an undertaking, verbal, written or otherwise, had with the vendor to re-sell to him the same goods, wares or merchandise or to sell other goods, wares or merchandise, in their place or stead, then and in case of such agreement, as aforesaid, a license tax of \$50.00 per quarter shall be paid.

(25) Every person, firm or corporation who ships into and sells in the City of Las Vegas any bankrupt, assigned or damaged stock of goods, wares, merchandise, drugs, jewelry, dry goods, boots and shoes, clothing, hardware, groceries, furniture or other stock or merchandise, shall pay a license of \$300.00 per quarter, or fraction thereof.

(26) For every traveling merchant, hawker, peddler or vendor, street faker or advertiser who advertises goods, wares or merchandise of any kind by music, singing or dancing, jugglery, tricks, sleight of hand, boffoonery, gymnastics or any spectacular display, show or performance, or by speeches or oratory, or by any performance upon the streets calculated to draw a crowd of people about them calling or advertising wares, as aforesaid, shall pay a license in the sum of \$25.00 per day, and shall also secure a permit to occupy street space as required by other ordinances of the City.

(27) For each sewing machine agent, \$10.00 per quarter.

(28) For each vulcanizing business operated as a separate business, \$5.00 per quarter.

(29) For each auctioneer, \$125.00 per quarter or fraction thereof.

(30) For each architect, \$10.00 per quarter.

(31) For each assayer, \$5.00 per quarter.

(32) For each massage parlor, \$10.00 per quarter.

(33) For each trade college, trade school, business school, or business college, where instructions are given in any trade or occupation for which a fee is charged, \$10.00 per quarter.

(34) For each certified public accountant or independent public accountant, \$40.00 per annum. For the purpose of this ordinance an independent public accountant is defined as a person who does bookkeeping or accounting work for two or more persons, firms or corporations, or who prepares or assists in preparing income tax returns for two or more persons, firms or corporations, other than himself.

(35) For each chiropodist, \$10.00 per quarter.

(36) For each drugless practitioner, provided, however, that this subdivision shall not apply to persons who treat the sick through prayer or spiritual means, \$10.00 per quarter.

(37) For each chiropractor, \$10.00 per quarter.

(38) For each osteopath, \$10.00 per quarter.

(39) For each advertising business or advertising counsel, \$10.00 per quarter.

(40) For each collection agency or mercantile agency, \$10.00 per quarter.

(41) For each designer or decorator, \$10.00 per quarter.

(42) For each building contractor, \$60.00 per annum, paid annually.

(43) For each person, firm or corporation conducting, managing or carrying on the business of paving or macadamizing contractor, \$50.00 per quarter.

(44) For each cabinet shop, carpenter shop or upholstery shop, \$5.00 per quarter.

(45) Any other contractor not specifically licensed by this or any other ordinance of the City of Las Vegas, \$60.00 per annum, paid annually.

(46) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of cold storage or refrigeration plant for the purpose of storing fruits, vegetables, meats, fish, eggs or dairy products, or any other merchandise, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$1.00 for each 1,000 square feet of floor area, or fraction thereof, with a minimum quarterly tax of \$10.00.

(47) The business of leasing or selling outdoor advertising space, whether billboard or electrical signs, shall pay a license fee of \$100.00 per annum.

(48) The business of furnishing, distributing, or placing in use electrical advertising signs, whether by lease, sale, or conditional sales contract, shall pay a license fee of \$100.00 per annum.

(49) Each locksmith shall pay a license fee of \$10.00 per quarter, which shall be in addition to the license tax upon any other business operated by him. The application for a locksmith license, or any renewal thereof, shall first be presented to the Chief of Police of the City of Las Vegas who shall fingerprint the applicant and require such other information as to the identity of the applicant as will enable the Chief of Police to properly investigate the applicant's character and reputation. Upon the completion of such investigation, the Chief of Police shall report his findings to the Board of Commissioners, together with his endorsement upon the application of his approval or disapproval thereof. If it shall appear to the Board of Commissioners that the applicant is of such character and reputation that his exercise of the privileges of the license will not prejudice or be detrimental to the public safety or welfare, said Board shall grant the application, and the City Clerk shall thereupon issue the license upon the payment of the fee herein provided. No such license shall be issued to any person, firm, association or corporation other than the real and actual proprietor of the business for which it is issued, and the application

for such license in case of a firm, copartnership or association shall state the names of the copartners or associates, and in case of a corporation the name of the officers, directors, stockholders and manager thereof, and all the requirements of this provision pertaining to the fingerprinting, investigation and fitness of the applicant shall apply to all such persons.

(50) For each person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of house moving a quarterly license fee of \$25.00 shall be paid, and in addition thereto, he shall maintain on deposit with the City Clerk a bond in the penal sum of \$1,000 executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Nevada for the then current year, indemnifying the City against injury or damage to pavements or other public property, and all other persons, firms or corporations, against injury or damage to person or property occurring while any house is being moved into, along or off any public street. In the event of a recovery by said City or any private person, firm or corporation on said bond, the said bond or a similar substitute shall be restored immediately to said penal sum of \$1,000.

(51) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of house wrecking or salvaging, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$12.50 per quarter.

(52) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of a natatorium or swimming pool or tank, where a fee or charge is made for the use thereof, or where rooms, lockers or bathing suits are rented in connection therewith, shall pay an annual license fee of \$25.00.

(53) Every automobile ticket agency or transportation agency, except when conducted by the owner of the transportation agency line, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$7.50 per quarter. And such license fee shall be paid for such business even though the person conducting such business or paying such license fee may at the same time and in the same place, operate another business.

(54) For every public stenographer, \$5.00 per quarter. For the purpose of this subdivision, a public stenographer is defined to be a person who makes a business of typing for the general public or for persons other than himself or his immediate permanent employer.

(55) For each insurance adjuster or insurance adjusting agency, \$10.00 per quarter, except that this subdivision shall not apply to regular insurance agents adjusting losses for their own companies.

(56) For each automobile reclaiming agency, \$5.00 per quarter.

(57) For each bail bond broker or bail bond brokerage business, \$25.00 per quarter.

(58) For each painting or decorating contractor, \$50.00 per annum.

(59) For each amusement park charging admission to the grounds, \$5.00 per quarter.

(60) Each private detective, private detective agency, bureau or business shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 per quarter. The application for such license, or any renewal thereof, shall first be presented to the Chief of Police of the City of Las Vegas who shall fingerprint the applicant and require such other information as to the identity of the applicant as will enable the Chief of Police to properly investigate the applicant's character and

reputation. Upon the completion of such investigation, the Chief of Police shall report his findings to the Board of Commissioners, together with his endorsement upon the application of his approval or disapproval thereof. If it shall appear to the Board of Commissioners that the applicant is of such character and reputation that his exercise of the privileges of the license will not prejudice or be detrimental to the public safety or welfare, said Board shall grant the application, and the City Clerk shall thereupon issue the license upon the payment of the fee herein provided. No such license shall be issued to any person, firm, association or corporation other than the real and actual proprietor of the business for which it is issued, and the application for such license in case of a firm, copartnership or association shall state the names of the copartners or associates, and in case of a corporation the name of the officers, directors, stockholders and manager thereof, and all the requirements of this provision pertaining to the fingerprinting, investigation and fitness of the applicant shall apply to all such persons.

(61) For each abstract and/or title company doing business, maintaining an agency, or operating in the City of Las Vegas, \$125.00 per quarter.

(62) For each brick yard, pressed brick plant, or adobe or concrete block manufacturing plant, \$40.00 per annum.

(63) For each marble and/or granite workers' shop, \$5.00 per quarter.

(64) For each planing mill allowed by law, \$5.00 per quarter.

(65) For each automobile painting and/or sign painting establishment, \$25.00 per annum.

(66) For each welding and/or iron works, \$10.00 per quarter.

(67) For each hair dressing or beauty parlor, or both, whether operated in connection with a barber shop or separately, \$10.00 per quarter for the first booth operated, and \$3.00 per quarter for each additional booth operated.

(68) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of distributing advertising samples, hand bills, dodgers or printed matter of any kind, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$3.00 per quarter.

(69) For each finance company, the sum of \$100.00 per quarter. For the purpose of this subdivision, a finance company is defined to be any person, firm or corporation other than banks, who makes a business of loaning to others for profit and who holds himself out to the general public as such.

(70) Every person, firm or corporation selling or distributing gasoline, motor fuel oil of any kind, or lubricating oil of any kind, within the City of Las Vegas, not for use as motor fuel for motor vehicles upon the highways of this State, or not to be exported from this State or sold to the government of the United States for official use of such government, shall pay a license fee of \$30.00 per quarter. And no such person, firm, corporation or dealer in such gasoline, motor fuel oil or lubricating oil shall be required to include in his volume of business, the amount of any such gasoline, motor fuel oil or lubricating oil sales under any license fee paid under the provisions of Section 6 of this ordinance.

(71) Every person, firm or corporation renting riding horses shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$10.00 per quarter.

(72) Every person, firm or corporation operating a trailer camp shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$25.00 per quarter.

(73) For each boot black stand permitted by ordinance of the City, \$3.00 per quarter.

(74) Any establishment maintaining and conducting therein juke boxes, telephone juke boxes or any other type of coin operated music machines for use by the patrons of such establishment shall pay a license fee of \$5.00 per quarter for each such machine.

(75) The business of furnishing continuous and uninterrupted music transmitted from any central location and delivered through the medium of a music box or other outlet, other than coin operated, in the premises of the purchaser, shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 per quarter for the operation of five (5) outlets and an additional fee of \$5.00 per quarter for each outlet in excess thereof.

(76) Any establishment maintaining and conducting therein coin operated amusement machines, or any type of mechanical game or device, not intended or played for gambling purposes, but for use by the patrons of such establishment for amusement only, shall pay a license fee of \$5.00 per quarter for each such machine, mechanical game or device.

(77) The business of distributing information to Race Horse Books and installing, maintaining and operating equipment incident thereto shall pay a license fee of \$250.00 per quarter for each Race Horse Book in the City of Las Vegas to which such information is furnished; provided, however, that the issuance of such a license shall not be deemed to require such licensee to deliver such service to any Race Horse Book licensed under the provisions of Ordinance No. 325 of the City of Las Vegas.

(78) Every person, firm or corporation conducting, managing or carrying on any business not specifically licensed by this ordinance or any other ordinance of the City of Las Vegas, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$25.00 per quarter.

(79) Nothing in this ordinance contained shall be deemed or construed as applying to any person engaged in any of the professions or occupations hereinbefore enumerated solely as an employee of any other person, firm or corporation conducting, managing or carrying on any such business in the City of Las Vegas, unless specifically so provided herein.

Section 3. Section 11 of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 11. Every license fee required hereunder which is not paid within a period of fifteen days from the time the same becomes due and payable is hereby declared to be delinquent and the City Clerk shall thereupon add to said license fee and collect, before issuing such license, a penalty of ten per cent of such license fee so delinquent (but not in any case less than fifty cents) and such penalty may also be recovered in any civil action brought in the name of the City of Las Vegas for the recovery of the amount of license tax imposed by this ordinance. Provided, however, that the City Clerk during each current quarter, at least ten days before the next succeeding quarter, shall deposit in the United States Post Office at Las Vegas, Nevada, postage prepaid thereon, a written or printed notice directed to each person appearing upon the license tax roll for the current quarter calling attention to the fact that

the license fee for the next succeeding quarter will be due at the time provided in this ordinance and of the amount thereof, if readily ascertainable, and that the penalty herein provided will be exacted unless paid within the time required by this ordinance. Proof of actual receipt of any such notice shall be in no case required.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. The increased development in the operation and conduct of business and commerce in the City of Las Vegas has augmented the burdens of government and makes immediately necessary the enactment of the foregoing provisions for the readjustment of license fees and for further supervision and regulation of various occupations in the furtherance and promotion of the public welfare. This ordinance is, therefore, declared to be and is hereby passed as an emergency ordinance and shall take effect immediately after its passage and publication.

Section 6. The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to have this ordinance published in the Las Vegas Evening Review Journal, a daily newspaper published in the City of Las Vegas, for a period of two weeks, that is to say: once each week.

I hereby certify that, by the unanimous consent of the whole Board of Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, the foregoing Ordinance was read in full when first introduced at the regular meeting of said Board held on the 22nd day of March, 1948, and was passed as an emergency ordinance upon said reading on said date, on the following vote:

Voting "Aye": Commissioners Baskin, Clark, Moore, Whipple, and His Honor Mayor Craig

Voting "No": None

Absent: None

J. E. Craig
Mayor

ATTEST:

Helen Scott Reed
City Clerk

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STATE OF NEVADA, }
COUNTY OF CLARK } ss.

Hick Lohrie

, being first duly sworn,

deposes and says: That he is *foreman* of the LAS VEGAS EVENING REVIEW-JOURNAL, a daily newspaper, of general circulation, printed and published at Las Vegas, in the County of Clark, State of Nevada, and that the attached was continuously published

in said newspaper for a period of *Two weeks* from *March 23 1948* to *March 30th 1948*

inclusive, being the issues of said newspaper for the following dates, to-wit: *March 23-30*

That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on each of the dates above named

Signed *Hick Lohrie*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *30th* day of *March 1948*

[Signature]

Notary Public in and for Clark County, Nevada.

My Commission Expires

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(g) Where the average monthly sales are Seventy-five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500.00) and over, but are under Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) the sum of Thirty-nine Dollars (\$39.00) per quarter.

(h) Where the average monthly sales are Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) and over, but are under Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$22,500.00), the sum of Forty-five Dollars (\$45.00) per quarter.

(i) Where the average monthly sales are Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$22,500.00) and over, but are under Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00), the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per quarter.

(j) Where the average monthly sales are Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) and over, but are under Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000.00), the sum of Sixty Dollars (\$60.00) per quarter.

(k) Where the average monthly sales are Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000.00) and over, the sum of Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) per quarter.

Any person, firm or corporation operating, conducting and carrying on several different classes or types of business at a fixed place of business in the City of Las Vegas, any of which may fall within the classification mentioned in this section, and some of which may fall within the classification mentioned in Section 8 of this ordinance, may have and hereby is given the option of paying license fee upon his total volume of business done in all said types of business at the rates mentioned in this section, or he may keep separate account of the volume of business done on the type or types of business which fall within the classification mentioned in this section and may pay his license thereon according to the rates provided therefor in this section, and may treat those types of business which fall within Section 8 of this ordinance as a separate business or businesses and pay his license upon each such type of business according to the provisions of Section 8 of this ordinance, without regard to the

volume of business done under such types of business upon which license shall be so paid according to the rates mentioned in Section 8 of this ordinance.

Section 2. Section 8, as amended, of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 8. The rates of license tax for businesses, trades, occupations and employments hereinafter named are hereby fixed in and for the City of Las Vegas and the same shall be paid by any person engaged in or carrying on the same in said City, as follows:

(1) For each hand laundry employing one or more persons, \$2.50 per quarter.

(2) For each insurance agent, or real estate broker, or both, \$10.00 per quarter.

(3) For each shooting gallery, \$25.00 per quarter.

(4) For each brokerage establishment, \$30.00 per quarter.

(5) For every banker and bank with a capital of \$100,000 or over (except National Banks), \$100.00 per quarter. For every banker or bank with a capital of less than \$100,000 (except National Banks) \$50.00 per quarter.

(6) For each skating rink, \$20.00 per quarter.

(7) For each employment or intelligence office, \$10.00 per quarter.

(8) Every person who operates a wrecking yard, junk yard, or out-of-door yard or lot where used furniture, plumbing or other second hand materials or merchandise are stored for sale, shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 per quarter. This section shall include all out-of-door lots or yards upon which two or more used cars not in condition to operate under their own power are permitted to remain for a period of thirty days or longer.

(9) Every person who operates a used car lot, containing only cars capable of being moved under their own power, shall pay a license fee of \$10.00 per quarter, provided, that without paying such license fee, one such lot may be maintained by each person or firm who holds a State license as a new or used car dealer. The word "car" as used in this section shall mean any automobile or gasoline propelled vehicle.

(10) For each astrologer, palmist, seer, phrenologist, fortune teller, clairvoyant, or spiritualist, who demands and receives a fee for his or her services, \$10.00 per day.

(11) For each merry-go-round or carousel, \$5.00 per day.

(12) Any proprietor, lessee or manager of any traveling show, traveling skating rink, circus, hippodrome, menagerie, or carnival intending to exhibit in the open air or under a tent or in any public hall, club room, assembly hall or theater, where movable scenery and theatrical appliances are used, any performance or exhibition in the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, shall pay to the City Clerk of said City of Las Vegas, the sum of \$100.00 as a license fee for the privilege of showing and exhibiting such traveling show, traveling skating rink, circus, hippodrome, menagerie or carnival for each day; and upon payment therefor said City Clerk shall issue license for the day or number of days so paid for.

Provided that nothing in this section contained shall be deemed or construed to require the holder of a theatre license to procure any additional license to conduct, maintain or carry on any theatrical or vaudeville performance when such performance is conducted at any such theatre so licensed.

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(13) For each patent medicine agency, \$25.00 per quarter.

(14) For each lawyer, whether connected with or as a member of a firm, or practicing by himself, \$10.00 per quarter.

(15) For each physician and/or surgeon, whether connected with a firm or hospital, or practicing by himself, \$10.00 per quarter.

(16) For each dentist whether connected with or as a member of a firm, or practicing by himself, \$10.00 per quarter.

(17) For each hotel, lodging house, rooming house, auto court or tourist camp as defined hereunder, \$5.00 per quarter for from four to eight guest rooms; from eight to eighteen guest rooms, \$10.00 per quarter; from eighteen to thirty guest rooms, \$20.00 per quarter; from thirty to fifty guest rooms, \$30.00 per quarter; from fifty to eighty guest rooms, \$40.00 per quarter; above eighty guest rooms, \$50.00 per quarter.

Every person, firm or association or corporation engaged in the business of keeping or conducting an apartment house in the City of Las Vegas, shall pay for and obtain a quarterly license to carry on such business as per schedule hereinafter recited in this subdivision, namely: Those who have four apartments and not exceeding eight apartments shall pay for such license the sum of \$5.00 per quarter. And those who have nine apartments and not exceeding eighteen apartments, shall pay for such license the sum of \$15.00 per quarter; and those who have nineteen apartments and not exceeding thirty-eight apartments, shall pay for such license the sum of \$30.00 per quarter; those who have thirty-nine apartments and over shall pay for such license the sum of \$50.00 per quarter.

For the purpose of this ordinance, an auto court or tourist camp is defined as a place, other than a regular hotel or apartment house, where sleeping accommodations in small buildings are rented to the general public, and whenever more than three cabins or small buildings are situated in close proximity to each other and are owned or operated by the same person and are rented to the general public, either by the day, week, month or year, and whether to transients or permanent residents of the City of Las Vegas, the same shall be considered to be a tourist camp or auto court.

(18) For each dray and express and warehouse business, or either, \$5.00 per quarter for the first rig, and \$2.50 per quarter for each additional rig, used in such business; but warehouse businesses without rigs shall pay \$5.00 per quarter.

(19) Every person, firm or corporation who, for hire, operates a truck or fleet of trucks which shall come into the City of Las Vegas to receive merchandise for delivery outside the city, or which shall bring merchandise into the City of Las Vegas from outside, and make deliveries of merchandise within the City, shall pay an annual license fee of \$20.00 for each truck so operated. The annual period referred to shall be from January 1st of each year to and including December 31st of the same year, and if application for license shall be made at any time after the first day of January in any given year, the full annual license fee of \$20.00 shall be required and paid and the license so issued shall terminate on December 31st of the same year, regardless of the time of the year when such application is made.

This sub-section is not intended to apply, however, to trucks engaged in inter-state commerce.

And the above provision as to license fee to be paid shall likewise apply to and be paid by any person, firm or corporation having no fixed place of business within the City of Las Vegas but who comes into the City from outside, regularly, to transact business within the City by receiving or picking up chattels and personal property upon which repairs, personal service or work of any kind may be done for hire outside the City, and again delivering the same to the owner within the City.

(20) Every person operating a billiard hall or billiard room or pool hall or pool room, shall pay for the first billiard table or pool table in any such establishment, \$5.00 per quarter for the first table and \$3.00 per quarter for each additional billiard table or pool table.

(21) Every person who shall operate a bowling alley within said City of Las Vegas, shall pay the sum of \$7.50 per quarter for the first alley and the sum of \$5.00 per quarter for each additional alley in said establishment.

(22) For each traveling optometrist and/or oculist, who does not hold and exhibit an existing license from the State of Nevada, to practice as such, \$100.00 per day.

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(23) For each barber shop \$10.00 per quarter for the first barber chair operated, and \$3.00 per quarter for each additional barber chair operated.

(24) For the business of dealing in second hand goods, wares or merchandise of any kind, character or description where, as a part of such transaction, a contract or agreement is made, or an undertaking, verbal, written or otherwise, had with the vendor to re-sell to him the same

goods, wares or merchandise or to sell other goods, wares or merchandise, in their place or stead; then and in case of such agreement, as aforesaid, a license tax of \$50.00 per quarter shall be paid.

(25) Every person, firm or corporation who ships into and sells in the City of Las Vegas any bankrupt, assigned or damaged stock of goods, wares, merchandise, drugs, jewelry, dry goods, boots and shoes, clothing, hardware, groceries, furniture or other stock or merchandise, shall pay a license fee of \$300.00 per quarter, or fraction thereof.

(26) For every traveling merchant, hawker, peddler or vendor, street baker or advertiser who advertises goods, wares or merchandise of any kind by music, singing or dancing, jugglery, tricks, sleight of hand, buffoonery, gymnastics or any spectacular display, show or performance, or by speeches or oratory, or by any performance upon the streets calculated to draw a crowd of people about them calling or advertising wares, as aforesaid, shall pay a license in the sum of \$25.00 per day, and shall also secure a permit to occupy street space as required by other ordinances of the City.

(27) For each sewing machine agent, \$10.00 per quarter.

(28) For each vacuuming business operated as a separate business, \$5.00 per quarter.

(29) For each auctioneer, \$125.00 per quarter or fraction thereof.

(30) For each architect, \$10.00 per quarter.

(31) For each assayer, \$5.00 per quarter.

(32) For each massage parlor, \$10.00 per quarter.

(33) For each trade college, trade school, business school, or business college, where instructions are given in any trade or occupation for which a fee is charged, \$10.00 per quarter.

(34) For each certified public accountant or independent public accountant, \$40.00 per annum. For the purpose of this ordinance an independent public accountant is defined as a person, who does bookkeeping or accounting work for two or more persons, firms or corporations, or who prepares or assists in preparing income tax returns for two or more persons, firms or corporations, other than himself.

(35) For each chiropodist, \$10.00 per quarter.

(36) For each drugless practitioner, provided, however, that this subdivision shall not apply to persons who treat the sick through prayer or spiritual means, \$10.00 per quarter.

(37) For each chiropractor, \$10.00 per quarter.

(38) For each osteopath, \$10.00 per quarter.

(39) For each advertising business or advertising counsel, \$10.00 per quarter.

(40) For each collection agency or mercantile agency, \$10.00 per quarter.

(41) For each designer or decorator, \$10.00 per quarter.

(42) For each building contractor, \$60.00 per annum, paid annually.

(43) For each person, firm or corporation conducting, managing or carrying on the business of paving or macadamizing contractor, \$50.00 per quarter.

(44) For each cabinet shop, carpenter shop or upholstery shop, \$5.00 per quarter.

(45) Any other contractor not specifically licensed by this or any other ordinance of the City of Las Vegas, \$60.00 per annum, paid annually.

(46) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of cold storage or refrigeration plant for the purpose of storing fruits, vegetables, meats, fish, eggs or dairy products, or any other merchandise, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$1.00 for each 1,000 square feet of floor area, or fraction thereof, with a minimum quarterly tax of \$10.00.

(47) The business of leasing or selling, outdoor advertising space, whether billboard or electrical signs, shall pay a license fee of \$100 per annum.

(48) The business of furnishing, distributing, or placing in use electrical advertising signs, whether by lease, sale, or conditional sales contract, shall pay a license fee of \$100.00 per annum.

(49) Each locksmith shall pay a license fee of \$10.00 per quarter, which shall be in addition to the license tax upon any other business operated by him. The application for a locksmith license, or any renewal thereof, shall first be presented to the Chief of Police of the City of Las Vegas who shall fingerprint the applicant and require such other information as to the identity of the applicant as will enable the Chief of Police to properly investigate the applicant's character and reputation. Upon the completion of such investigation, the Chief of Police shall report his findings to the Board of Commissioners, together with his endorsement upon the application of his approval or disapproval thereof. If it shall appear to the Board of Commissioners that the applicant is of such character and reputation that his exercise of the privileges of the license will not prejudice or be detrimental to the public safety or welfare,

said Board shall grant the application, and the City Clerk shall thereupon issue the license upon the payment of the fee herein provided. No such license shall be issued to any person, firm, association or corporation other than the real and actual proprietor of the business for which it is issued, and the application for such license in case of a firm, copartnership or association shall state the names of the copartners or associates, and in case of a corporation the name of the officers, director, stockholders and manager thereof, and all the requirements of this provision pertaining to the fingerprinting, investigation and fitness of the applicant shall apply to all such persons.

(50) For each person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of house moving a quarterly license fee of \$25.00 shall be paid, and in addition thereto, he shall maintain on deposit with the City Clerk a bond in the penal sum of \$1,000 executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Nevada for the then current year, indemnifying the City against injury or damage to pavements or other public property, and all other persons, firms or corporations, against injury or damage to person or property occurring while any house is being moved into, along or off any public street. In the event of a recovery by said City or any private person, firm or corporation on said bond, the said bond or a similar substitute shall be restored immediately to said penal sum of \$1,000.

(51) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of house wrecking or salvaging, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$12.50 per quarter.

(52) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of a natatorium or swimming pool or tank, where a fee or charge is made for the use thereof, or where rooms, lockers or bathing suits are rented in connection therewith shall pay an annual license fee of \$25.00.

(53) Every automobile ticket agency or transportation agency, except when conducted by the owner of the transportation agency line, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$7.50 per quarter. And such license fee shall be paid for such business even though the person conducting such business or paying such license fee may at the same time and in the same place, operate another business.

(54) For every public stenographer, \$5.00 per quarter. For the purpose of this subdivision, a public stenographer is defined to be a person who makes a business of typing for the general public or for persons other than himself or his immediate permanent employer.

(55) For each insurance adjuster or insurance adjusting agency, \$10.00 per quarter, except that this subdivision shall not apply to regular insurance agents adjusting losses for their own companies.

(56) For each automobile reclaiming agency, \$5.00 per quarter.

(57) For each ball bond broker or ball bond brokerage business, \$25.00 per quarter.

(58) For each painting or decorating contractor, \$50.00 per annum.

(59) For each amusement park charging admission to the grounds, \$5.00 per quarter.

(60) Each private detective, private detective agency, bureau or business shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 per quarter. The application for such license, or any renewal thereof, shall first be presented to the Chief of Police of the City of Las Vegas who shall fingerprint the applicant and require such other information as to the identity of the applicant as will enable the Chief of Police to properly investigate the applicant's character and reputation. Upon the completion of such investigation, the Chief of

Police shall report his findings to the Board of Commissioners, together with his endorsement upon the application of his approval or disapproval thereof. If it shall appear to the Board of Commissioners that the applicant is of such character and reputation that his exercise of the privileges of the license will not prejudice or be detrimental to the public safety or welfare, said Board shall grant the application, and the City Clerk shall thereupon issue the license upon the payment of the fee herein provided. No such license shall be issued to any person, firm, association or corporation other than the real and actual proprietor of the business for which it is issued, and the application for such license in case of a firm, copartnership or association shall state the names of the copartners or associates, and in case of a corporation the name of the officers, directors, stockholders and manager thereof, and all the requirements of this provision pertaining to the fingerprinting, investigation and fitness of the applicant shall apply to all such persons.

(61) For each abstract and/or title company doing business, maintaining an agency, or operating in the City of Las Vegas, \$125.00 per quarter.

(62) For each brick yard, pressed brick plant, or adobe or concrete block manufacturing plant, \$40.00 per annum.

(63) For each marble and/or granite workers' shop, \$5.00 per quarter.

(64) For each planing mill allowed by law, \$5.00 per quarter.

(65) For each automobile painting and/or sign painting establishment, \$25.00 per annum.

(66) For each welding and/or iron works, \$10.00 per quarter.

(67) For each hair dressing or beauty parlor, or both, whether operated in connection with a barber shop or separately, \$10.00 per quarter for the first booth operated, and \$3.00 per quarter for each additional booth operated.

(68) Every person conducting, managing or carrying on the business of distributing advertising samples, hand bills, dodgers or printed matter of any kind, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$3.00 per quarter.

(69) For each finance company, the sum of \$100.00 per quarter. For the purpose of this subdivision, a finance company is defined to be any person, firm or corporation other than banks, who makes a business of loaning to others for profit and who holds himself out to the general public as such.

(70) Every person, firm or corporation selling or distributing gasoline, motor fuel oil of any kind, or lubricating oil of any kind, within the City of Las Vegas; not for use as motor fuel for motor vehicles upon the highways of this State, or not to be exported from this State or sold to the government of the United States for official use of such government; shall pay a license fee of \$30.00 per quarter. And no such person, firm, corporation or dealer in such gasoline, motor fuel oil or lubricating oil shall be required to include in his volume of business, the amount of any such gasoline, motor fuel oil or lubricating oil sales under any license fee paid under the provisions of Section 6 of this ordinance.

(71) Every person, firm or corporation renting riding horses shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$10.00 per quarter.

(72) Every person, firm or corporation operating a trailer camp shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$25.00 per quarter.

(73) For each boot black stand permitted by ordinance of the City, \$3.00 per quarter.

(74) Any establishment maintaining, and conducting therein juke boxes, telephone juke boxes or any other type of coin operated music machines for use by the patrons of such establishment shall pay a license fee of \$5.00 per quarter for each such machine.

(75) The business of furnishing continuous and uninterrupted music transmitted from any central location and delivered through the medium of a music box or other outlet, other than coin operated, in the premises of the purchaser, shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 per quarter for the operation of five (5) outlets and an additional fee of \$5.00 per quarter for each outlet in excess thereof.

(76) Any establishment maintaining and conducting therein coin operated amusement machines, or any type of mechanical game or device, not intended or played for gambling purposes, but for use by the patrons of such establishment for amusement only, shall pay a license fee of \$5.00 per quarter for each such machine, mechanical game or device.

(77) The business of distributing information to Race Horse Books and installing, maintaining and operating equipment incident thereto shall pay a license fee of \$250.00 per quarter for each Race Horse Book in the City of Las Vegas to which such information is furnished; provided, however, that the issuance of such a license shall not be deemed to require such licensee to deliver such service to any Race Horse Book licensed under the provisions of Ordinance No. 325 of the City of Las Vegas.

(78) Every person, firm or corporation conducting, managing or carrying on any business not specifically licensed by this ordinance or any other ordinance of the City of Las Vegas, shall pay a quarterly license fee of \$25.00 per quarter.

(79) Nothing in this ordinance contained shall be deemed or construed as applying to any person engaged in any of the professions or occupations hereinbefore enumerated solely as an employee of any other person, firm or corporation conducting, managing or carrying on any such business in the City of Las Vegas, unless specifically so provided herein.

Section 3. Section 11 of the above-entitled ordinance is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 11. Every license fee required hereunder which is not paid within a period of fifteen days from the time the same becomes due and payable is hereby declared to be delinquent and the City Clerk shall thereupon add to said license fee and collect, before issuing such license, a penalty of ten per cent of such license fee so delinquent (but not in any case less than fifty cents) and such penalty may also be recovered in any civil action brought in the name of the City of Las Vegas for the recovery of the amount of license tax imposed by this ordinance. Provided, however, that the City Clerk during each current quarter, at least ten days before the next succeeding quarter, shall deposit in the United States Post Office at Las Vegas, Nevada, postage prepaid thereon, a written or printed notice directed to each person appearing upon the license tax roll for the current quarter calling attention to the fact that the license fee for the next succeeding quarter will be due at the time provided in this ordinance and of the amount thereof, if readily ascertainable, and that the penalty herein provided will be exacted unless paid within the time required by this ordinance. Proof of actual receipt of any such notice shall be in no case required.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. The increased development in the operation and conduct of business and commerce in the City of Las Vegas has augmented the burdens of government and makes immediately necessary the enactment of the foregoing provisions for the readjustment of license fees and for further supervision and regulation of various occupations in the furtherance and promotion of the public welfare. This ordinance is, therefore, declared to be and is hereby passed as an emergency ordinance and shall take effect immediately after its passage and publication.

Section 6. The City Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to have this ordinance published in the Las Vegas Evening Review-Journal, a daily newspaper published in the City of Las Vegas, for a period of two weeks, that is to say: once each week.

I hereby certify that, by the unanimous consent of the whole Board of Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, the foregoing Ordinance was read in full when first introduced at the regular meeting of said Board held on the 22nd day of March, 1948, and was passed as an emergency ordinance upon said reading on said date, on the following vote:

Voting "Aye": Commissioners Baslin, Clark, Moore, Whipple and His Honor Mayor Cragin.

Voting "No": None.

Absent: None.

E. W. CRAGIN,
Mayor
ATTEST:
HELEN SCOTT REED,
(SEAL) City Clerk.

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