

## The New York City Council

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4/24/2013	Α	Committee on Transportation	Approved by Committee	Pass
4/25/2013	Α	City Council	Approved by Council	Pass
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Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

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Section 1. Subdivisions a and d of section 19-176.2 of the administrative code of the city of New

York, as added by local law number 51 for the year 2004, are amended to read as follows:

a. For purposes of this section, the term "motorized scooter" shall mean any wheeled device that

has handlebars that is designed to be stood or sat upon by the operator, is powered by an electric motor or by a

gasoline motor that is capable of propelling the device without human power and is not capable of being

registered with the New York State Department of Motor Vehicles. For the purposes of this section, the term

motorized scooter shall not include wheelchairs or other mobility aids designed for use by disabled persons[,

electric powered devices not capable of exceeding fifteen miles per hour or "electric personal assistive

mobility devices" defined as self-balancing, two non-tandem wheeled devices designed to transport one person

by means of an electric propulsion system].

d. Any motorized scooter that has been used or is being used in violation of the provisions of this

section may be impounded and shall not be released until any and all removal charges and storage fees and

the applicable fines and civil penalties have been paid or a bond has been posted in an amount satisfactory to

the [police] commissioner of the agency that impounded such vehicle.

2. This local law shall take effect one hundred eighty days after it shall have become law, except

that the commissioners of the police department and the department of parks and recreation shall take all

actions necessary, including the promulgation of rules, to implement this local law on or before the date upon

which it shall take effect.

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