



THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK
FINANCE DIVISION
PRESTON NIBLACK, DIRECTOR
FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

PROPOSED INTRO. NO: 235-A

COMMITTEE: Transportation

TITLE: A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to certain information to be collected by taxicab equipment and that such information be shared with the Taxi and Limousine Commission upon request.

SPONSORS: Council Members Vacca, Fidler, Foster, Gentile, Koppell, Nelson, Rodriguez, Williams, Garodnick and Halloran

SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION: The proposed legislation would amend subdivision (a) of section 19-508 of the administrative code of the city of New York to require that all taxicabs be equipped with equipment that will store or transmit for storage fare data, including the rate of fare and the times or locations such rate of fares were in effect, pick up and drop-off information and any other data required by the Taxi and Limousine Commission (the Commission). All data collected by such equipment are to be made available to the Commission in a form and manner prescribed by the Commission.

In addition, the legislation would require that a licensed driver's fare information, including rate of fare and pickup and drop-off information, be made available to such driver at no charge.

Lastly, the legislation provides that the Commission prescribe by rule, contract or otherwise, the responsibility for compliance and the penalties for non-compliance with the provisions of this local law.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This legislation would take effect ninety days after its enactment into law.

FISCAL YEAR IN WHICH FULL FISCAL IMPACT ANTICIPATED: Fiscal 2012

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

	Effective FY11	FY Succeeding Effective FY12	Full Fiscal Impact FY12
Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0
Expenditures	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net	\$0	\$0	\$0

IMPACT ON REVENUES: There would be no impact on revenues resulting from the enactment of this legislation.

IMPACT ON EXPENDITURES: There would be minimal to no impact on expenditures resulting from the enactment of this legislation.

SOURCE OF FUNDS TO COVER ESTIMATED COSTS: N/A

SOURCE OF INFORMATION: City Council Finance Division

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HISTORY: Introduced as Int. 235 by Council and referred to the Committee on Transportation on May 12, 2010. Hearing held and laid over by the Committee on May 24, 2010. An amended version (Proposed Intro. 235-A) is to be considered by the Committee on June 8, 2010.

DATE SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL: May 12, 2010.