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## CHAPTER Pr11

## An Act respecting the City of Hamilton

*Assented to October 10, 1997*

Preamble	<p>The Corporation of the City of Hamilton has applied for special legislation to amend the composition of its licensing committee and to deem the committee to be a committee of the council of the Corporation.</p> <p>It is appropriate to grant the application.</p> <p>Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:</p>	<p>(4) The members of the licensing committee shall hold office until the expiration of the term of the council that appointed them, or until their successors are appointed.</p> <p>(5) The members of the licensing committee are eligible for reappointment.</p> <p>(6) The council may appoint a temporary member to the licensing committee to maintain a quorum in the event of the temporary absence of a member of the licensing committee or the withdrawal of a member of the licensing committee from a hearing for reasons of bias or conflict of interest.</p> <p>(7) If a member of the licensing committee ceases to be a member before the expiration of his or her term of office, the council may appoint another person to hold office for the remainder of the term.</p> <p>(8) Despite subsection (4), the council may at any time terminate the term of office of a member of the licensing committee.</p> <p>(9) The Corporation may pay the members of the licensing committee such remuneration as may be determined by the council.</p>	<p>Term of office</p> <p>Reappointment</p> <p>Temporary members</p> <p>Replacement</p> <p>Termination</p> <p>Remuneration</p>
Definitions	<p><b>1.</b> In this Act,</p> <p>“Corporation” means The Corporation of the City of Hamilton;</p> <p>“council” means the council of the Corporation;</p> <p>“licensing committee” means The City of Hamilton Licensing Committee.</p>	<p><b>4. (1) <i>The City of Hamilton Act, 1978 (No. 1)</i> is repealed.</b></p> <p><b>(2) The City of Hamilton Licensing Committee established by by-law under the Act repealed by subsection (1) is continued and any matter commenced before it but not completed before this Act comes into force shall be continued under this Act.</b></p>	<p>Repeal</p> <p>Transition</p>
Power to establish licensing committee	<p><b>2. (1)</b> The council may pass a by-law establishing a licensing committee for the Corporation to be known as “The City of Hamilton Licensing Committee”.</p>	<p><b>5. This Act comes into force on the day it receives Royal Assent.</b></p>	<p>Commencement</p>
Deemed to be committee of council	<p>(2) The licensing committee shall be deemed to be a committee of the council that is authorized under section 105 of the <i>Municipal Act</i> to hear licensing matters.</p>	<p><b>6. The short title of this Act is the <i>City of Hamilton Act (Licensing Committee), 1997.</i></b></p>	<p>Short title</p>
Composition of committee	<p><b>3. (1)</b> The licensing committee shall be composed of at least five persons appointed by the council, and one or more of the members of the licensing committee may be members of the council.</p>		
Quorum	<p>(2) Three members of the licensing committee constitute a quorum.</p>		
Chair	<p>(3) The licensing committee shall elect a chair, who may sign any document on behalf of the committee.</p>		