

THE CITY OF VAUGHAN

BY-LAW

BY-LAW NUMBER 198-2023

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan to amend the Smoking By-law 074-2019, as amended, to transfer the authority to appoint Hearing Officers to the City Clerk.

WHEREAS section 8(1) of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended (the "*Municipal Act*"), provides that the powers of a municipality shall be interpreted broadly as to confer broad authority on a municipality to (a) enable it to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate, and (b) enhance its ability to respond to municipal issues;

AND WHEREAS the City of Vaughan considers it appropriate that the City Clerk be delegated the authority to appoint Hearing Officers under the Administrative Monetary Penalties system;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Corporation of the City of Vaughan ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. That By-law 074-2019, as amended, be amended by adding the definition of City Clerk, to Section 3.0 'Definitions and Interpretation', in alphabetical order, as follows:
"City Clerk" means the person appointed by Council as Clerk pursuant to Section 228 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001, or their designate."
2. That By-law 074-2019, as amended, be amended by replacing the word "*Director*" with "*City Clerk*", in definition '(i)' "Hearings Officer", contained in Section 3.0 'Definitions and Interpretation.'

Voted in favour by City of Vaughan Council this 12th day of December 2023.

Steven Del Duca, Mayor

Todd Coles, City Clerk

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Authorized by Item No. 26 of Report No. 28 of the Committee of the Whole.
Report adopted by Vaughan City Council on June 20, 2023.
City Council voted in favour of this by-law on December 12, 2023.
Approved by Mayoral Decision MDC 008-2023 dated December 12, 2023.
Effective Date of By-Law: December 12, 2023