

ORDINANCE NO. 4539

AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain Section 5-8-152 (PERMITS FOR EXCESSIVE SIZE AND WEIGHT, ETC.), of Article I (VEHICLE WEIGHT LIMITS), Chapter 8 (PARKING AND TRAFFIC REGULATIONS) of Title 5 (TRANSPORTATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES) of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as amended.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 5-8-152 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, 1981 as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows:

Sec. 5-8-152 Permits for excessive size and weight; concrete mixers; certain coal-hauling vehicles; certain refuse collection trucks and certain vehicles carrying containerized freight.

- a) The director of transportation and environmental services may, in his discretion, upon application in writing and good cause being shown therefore, issue a special permit in writing authorizing the applicant to operate or move a vehicle upon the street of a size and weight exceeding the maximum specified by law. Every permit may designate the route to be traversed and contain any other restrictions or conditions deemed necessary to him. Before a special permit is issued, the applicant shall pay to the city the fee established and published pursuant to section 3-1-8 of this code.
- b) The director of transportation and environmental services, upon application in writing made by the owner or operator of any of the vehicles of the types specified in section 46.2-1139 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, shall issue the permits that are provided for in that section, and the applicant shall pay to the city the fee established and published pursuant to section 3-1-8 of this code.
- c) Every such permit shall be carried in the vehicle to which it refers and shall be open to inspection by any officer. Any person who violates any of the terms or conditions of the special permit shall be punished in accordance with section 10-1-19 of this code.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall become effective July 1, 2008.

WILLIAM D. EUILLE
Mayor

Final Passage: May 20, 2008