

ORDINANCE NO. 126

AN ORDINANCE to repeal and re-enact Sections 7, 11, 17, 20, 25, 33, 35, 39, 44, 45, 46 and 50, of Ordinance No.88 of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, approved December 23, 1929, being an Ordinance imposing license taxes on persons, firms, companies, associations, and Corporations conducting business or engaging in professional employment within the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and providing for the payment, collection, revocation and regulation thereof, and to amend said ordinance by adding thereto Sections 33a, 64a and 83a.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia:

Section 1. That Sections 7, 11, 17, 20, 25, 33, 35, 39, 44, 45, 46, and 50, of Ordinance 88 of the City of Alexandria, as amended, be repealed and re-enacted as follows:

Section 7. The license tax on each motor vehicle carrier as defined by the State law (Section 4097y14, Code of Virginia) shall be one-fifth cent per mile operated within the city by any vehicle weighing five thousand pounds or less; two-fifths cent per mile for each mile so operated by any vehicle weighing more than five thousand pounds and less than fifteen thousand pounds; and three-fifth cent per mile for each mile so operated by any vehicle weighing more than fifteen thousand pounds.

Section 11. Bakeries. Bakeries delivering products by vehicles in this city shall pay an annual license tax of \$75.00 on each agent or vehicle used in the sale or delivery of their product and shall be furnished a license tag which shall be properly displayed on each vehicle. This Section shall also apply to any persons, firm or corporation who sells and delivers bakery products to retail stores from trucks or other vehicles.

Section 17. Boarding and Rooming Houses. Boarding houses and rooming houses renting rooms to transients or regular boarders shall pay an annual license tax of \$10.00 and \$1.00 additional for each room so used in excess of three which license shall include the privilege of serving meals to bona fide roomers.

Section 20. Bootblacks. Bootblacks or shoe shining parlors shall pay an annual license of \$5.00 for each chair or seat, but not to exceed \$25.00. Bootblack stands on the streets or sidewalks of the city are hereby prohibited.

Section 25. Carnivals, circuses, etc. Circuses, carnivals, menageries or show of like nature, as defined by the laws of this State, shall pay a license tax of \$50.00 per day, or \$250.00 per week, and no rebate shall be allowed for rainy days, except that the license tax for small truck shows shall be \$25.00 per day.

Section 33. Fish Dealers. Dealers in fresh fish, wholesale or retail, shall pay a license tax of \$25.00 per annum, when conducted from a definite place of business.

Section 35. Florists. Any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of buying for sale or selling natural flowers, plants or bulbs, shall pay an annual license tax of \$25.00.

Section 39. Gasoline Filling Stations. Any person, firm or corporation dispensing gasoline by means of pumps or gasoline standards shall pay an annual license tax of \$25.00 for each discharge outlet regardless of whether

one or more discharge outlets are supplied by the same pump, provided, that the amount of purchases for gasoline sold through tanks shall be deducted from the amount of purchases reported as a basis for merchant's license.

Section 44. Ice Cream Manufacturers. Manufacturers of ice cream shall pay an annual license of \$75.00. Manufacturers of ice cream not manufactured in the City shall pay an annual license tax of \$100.00 on each truck used in the delivery of their product. And agents for such manufacturers shall pay an annual license of \$100.00 on each truck used in the delivery of their product. License tags shall be provided for each truck or vehicle which shall be properly displayed on each truck or vehicle.

Section 45. Itinerant physicians, surgeons, veterinary surgeons, osteopathy, chiropractors, manicurists, dentists, opticians, optometrists, oculists or chiropodists shall pay a license tax of \$500.00 per week or part of a week, whether they charge for their services or not. Any person selling medicine, salves, liniments, recipes or articles of any description on the streets of the city, not in conflict with the provisions of Ordinance No. 7, and except as otherwise authorized in this ordinance, shall pay a daily license tax of \$10.00.

Section 46. Ice Manufacturers. The annual license tax on resident manufacturers of ice for sale shall be \$100.00, which shall entitle the manufacturer to deliver direct from its factory, its product by retail to consumers. Ice dealers or peddlers, other than manufacturers, shall pay an annual license tax of \$25.00 on each vehicle used for the sale or delivery of ice.

Section 50. Laundries. The annual license tax on a laundry when operated by hand shall be \$30.00, and when operated by machinery shall be \$120.00. Agents, collectors and distributors of laundries not operated within the City shall pay an annual license tax of \$60.00 for each place maintained for the receipt and distribution of laundry, or on each wagon or truck used for the collection and distribution of laundry. Each vehicle used in the distribution of laundered coats, aprons, caps and towels, when such articles are being used on a rental or exchange basis, the sum of \$25.00. All vehicles operating under this schedule will be furnished with suitable tag to be placed on the vehicle in full view at all times.

Section 2. That Ordinance No 88 of the City of Alexandria be amended by adding thereto the following sections:

Section 33a. Fish peddlers. Fish dealers or peddlers selling and delivering fish from wagons or other vehicles shall pay an annual license tax of \$15.00 on each vehicle so used, and will be provided with a suitable tag to be placed on the vehicle and kept in full view at all times.

Section 64a. Radio Repair Shops. Radio repair shops shall pay an annual license tax of \$15.00.

Section 83a. Upholsterers, Furniture and Mattress Repair Shops. The annual license tax on upholsterers or furniture and mattress repair shops shall be \$15.00, but shall not apply to antique dealers who have paid their license as such.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Approved this 14th day of February, 1933.

EDMUND F. TICER, Mayor.