ORDINANCE NO. 2013-01-01

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE II, DIVISION 2, SEC. 6.67(a) AND (b) OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE FOR TRANSFER OF ALCOHOL LICENSE IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES

WHEREAS, the current City of Sandy Springs ("City") Code of Ordinances ("Code") provides at Chapter 6, Article II, Division 2, Sec. 6.67(a) and (b) that the owner of an alcohol license ("Licensee") seeking to move his place of business from the licensed premises to another place within the City must make application as for an original license; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to allow a Licensee who is moving his place of business to another location within the City, to do so without the necessity of filing an application as for an original license and without having to pay the nonrefundable fee required by subparagraph (a) of the referenced Code provision;

NOW, THEREFORE, in order to accomplish the foregoing, the Mayor and Council of the City, pursuant to their authority, do hereby amend Chapter 6, Article II, Sec. 6.67 of the Code by deleting subparagraphs (a) and (b) in their entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following language:

"(a) Except as provided in this section, no license shall be transferable to any other person or location. All applications seeking a transfer of a license, except as provided in subparagraph (b) below, shall be made upon application forms provided by the City Manager and shall be accompanied by a nonrefundable fee in an amount as set by resolution of the City Council, which amount shall remain in effect until modified or amended by subsequent resolution adopted by the City Council.

(b) A licensee may transfer a license to another location within the City limits without making original application and without payment of the fee referred to in subparagraph (a) above, provided the new location meets all requirements of the Code and state law. In such circumstances, the licensee seeking a transfer of a license shall make application for the transfer on application forms provided by the City Manager."

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 5th day of February, 2013.

Approved:

Eva Galambos, Mayor

Attest:

Michael Casey, City Clerk

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