

Int. No.

By Council Member Levine

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to a car-sharing parking program

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Subchapter 2 of chapter 1 of title 19 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 19-175.5 to read as follows:

§ 19-175.5 Car-sharing parking program. a. Definitions. For the purposes of this section, the following terms have the following meanings:

Car-sharing company. The term “car-sharing company” means an organization that operates a program in which access to a fleet of private vehicles is provided to members of the organization on an hourly or other short-term basis.

Car-sharing vehicle. The term “car-sharing vehicle” means a vehicle used by the car-sharing member that is owned and registered by a car-sharing company.

Designated parking spaces. The term “designated parking area” means locations on streets where parking is permissible that the department reserves for the exclusive use of car-sharing vehicles, including, but not limited to, metered parking spaces.

b. The department shall establish a car-sharing parking program that allows car-sharing companies to apply for designated parking spaces. As part of such program, the department may establish a mechanism by which a car-sharing company would compensate the department for any lost parking meter revenue.

c. No later than September 1, 2016 and annually thereafter, the department shall submit a report to the council regarding the car-sharing parking program including, but not limited to: i)

the number of car-sharing companies applying for designated parking spaces and the number of spaces requested; ii) if the department denies an application, the reason for such denial, iii) the number and locations of designated parking spaces; and iv) information on any mechanism established pursuant to subdivision b of this section and any monies collected pursuant to such mechanism.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 120 days after it becomes law, except that the commissioner shall take such measures as are necessary for the implementation of this local law, including the promulgation of rules, prior to such date.

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