

**THE PHILADELPHIA PARKING AUTHORITY**  
**Taxicab and Limousine Division**  
**Concerning Meter Rate Change**

**Administrative Order No. 080201**

AND NOW, this 27th day of February, 2008 The Philadelphia Parking Authority Taxicab and Limousine Division ORDER is to be entered and made effective March 4,2008 pursuant to § 3.1 of the Authority's Taxicab and Limousine Regulations:

**Section 1. Rate Increase**

Section 34.a.v: Concerning New Taxicab Rates:

"The Authority may open an investigation into taxicab rates at any time ...." The Authority Board (Board) opened the current investigation in September, 2007. On February 25, 2008 the Board at a regularly scheduled and advertised meeting approved a taxicab rate increase, effective on June 2, 2008. The increase is being implemented in the following manner:

- a. All meters will be calibrated with the newly approved rates, by Verifone Transportation Systems, Inc., located at 700 Packer Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19148.
- b. A new supplemental posting and notice of new rates will be provided by the Philadelphia Parking Authority. It must be in place by June 2, 2008.
- c. The attached document explains the procedure to be followed to have the meter programmed and how to receive the notice of "new rates" and the new supplement to the posting.
- d. See NOTICE: "Board Approval of Proposed Taxicab Rates" at [www.philapark.org](http://www.philapark.org) for the schedule of new rates.

**Section 2. Enforcement**

The TLD Enforcement Department is hereby Ordered to enforce this Order against all drivers and owners who fail to appear at their scheduled appointment and against all Medallion and Partial Rights Company owners who fail to charge the new rates and display the new posting beginning on the effective date of Monday June 2, 2008.

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Section 3. **Notice**

The Taxicab and Limousine Division Staff is hereby ORDERED to notify the industry by broadcasting this Order by email to the industry, posting it on the TLD website and posting it at TLD Headquarters.

Section 4. **Action By Taxicab and Limousine Division**

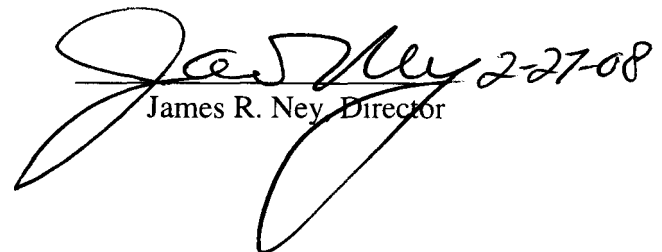
The Taxicab and Limousine Division is hereby ORDERED to take all necessary steps to comply with this Order including but not limited to notifying the Industry by February 29,2008.

Medallion owners must be in compliance with this order by June 2, 2008 at 12:01 AM (the effective date).

Failure to appear for a scheduled appointment or failure to have the meter properly calibrated and the new posting in place will result in fines being issued for the following violations:

\$100.00 (Failure to appear at scheduled time)  
\$350.00 (§13 Vehicle and Equipment Standards, Postings, dd.)  
and any additional fines that may be appropriate under the circumstances.

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 2-27-08  
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