



CITY OF BOSTON • MASSACHUSETTS

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
THOMAS M. MENINO

August 21, 2009

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order re-authorizing the Boston Police Department Hackney Division to establish a revolving fund to purchase, lease, or rent space, materials and equipment, to be partially or wholly used for instructional purposes. In addition, the fund will be used to compensate outside vendors for the preparation, development and/or presentation of instructional materials. The fund will be utilized for any purpose the Police Commissioner determines is in the interest of public safety and professional taxi service in the City of Boston.

The tuition paid by new applicants will be used to purchase training equipment, update facilities, and to provide funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted for. The Police Department Hackney Division will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and expenditure for the fund will be capped at \$350,000.00.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order so that the Boston Police Department can continue promoting safe, clean professional taxi service in the City of Boston.

Respectfully,

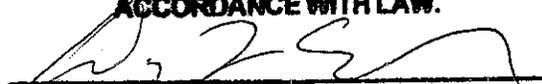
Thomas M. Menino  
Mayor of Boston

**CITY OF BOSTON  
IN CITY COUNCIL**

**AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT  
HACKNEY DIVISION TO RE-ESTABLISH A REVOLVING FUND FOR FY10  
FOR NEW DRIVER INSTRUCTIONAL PURPOSES**

**ORDERED:** That the Boston Police Hackney Division, pursuant to the authority granted under General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E1/2, be, and is hereby authorized to establish a revolving fund for the purposes of purchasing, leasing, or renting space, materials and equipment to be partially or wholly used for instructional purposes and to providing funds for other educational needs not otherwise budgeted for. This revolving fund shall be funded by a one time \$75 fee new applicant drivers pay for Hackney Carriage Driver Training Class. The Boston Police Department Hackney Division shall be authorized to expend from the fund up to a maximum of \$350,000.00 for the current fiscal year, 2010.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT  
THE FOREGOING, IF PASSED IN  
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**

  
**WILLIAM F. SINNOTT**  
**CORPORATION COUNSEL** *MAC*