

After Section 6, insert a new Section 7 as follows:

Section 7. Section 22½-3 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 22½-3. Certificates of public convenience and necessity; application.

(a) The Commission has determined that it shall be in the public interest to, at no time, authorize more than one (1) taxicab vehicle, singly or in combination, per each two thousand (2,000) inhabitants of Broward County nor to authorize more than one (1) luxury sedan per each four thousand five hundred (4,500) inhabitants of Broward County according to the most recent official estimate by the University of Florida, Population Division, Bureau of Economic Business Research.

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(2) In addition, in June 2017, there shall be a one-time application period to obtain a certificate of public convenience and necessity which will be awarded at a public hearing for the following categories: (a) fifty (50) certificates of public convenience and necessity for wheelchair accessible vehicles, and fifty (50) associated bonus regular taxicab certificates of public convenience and necessity; and (b) twenty-five (25) regular taxicab certificates of public convenience and necessity awarded only to persons who have driven a taxicab in Broward County for a minimum of sixty (60) consecutive months.

a. The requirements for the 2017 one-time application period for wheelchair accessible certificates and permits are as follows:

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1 6. ~~Wheelchair-accessible vehicle taxicabs operating under these~~
2 ~~certificates shall not station in the holding lots or taxicab lines~~
3 ~~waiting to pick up passengers at the Fort Lauderdale-~~
4 ~~Hollywood International Airport or Port Everglades.~~

5 ***The existing Sections 7, 8, 9, and 10 are renumbered Sections 8, 9, 10, and***
6 ***11, respectively.***

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