

**ORDINANCE NO.**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE CHAPTER 13-2 RELATING TO  
TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES AND GROUND  
TRANSPORTATION DRIVER DISQUALIFICATION.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:**

**PART 1.** City Code Section 13-2-103 (*Disqualification for Certain Offenses*) is amended to add a new subsection (E) and re-letter the remainder of this subsection accordingly to read:

**§ 13-2-103 DISQUALIFICATION FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES.**

- (E) Any disqualified applicant may appeal the decision in accordance with § 13-2-107 (Appeal), and the director may overturn a disqualification by considering:
- (1) the nature and gravity of any offenses in the individual's criminal history;
  - (2) the length of time since the offense and completion of the sentence; and
  - (3) the impact of the offenses on the applicant's ability to perform the duties and discharge the responsibilities of a driver of a ground transportation service vehicle.

**PART 2.** City Code Section 13-2-527 (*Driver Eligibility – Criminal Background and Driver History Checks*) is amended to add a new subsection (M) to read:

**§ 13-2-527 DRIVER ELIGIBILITY – CRIMINAL BACKGROUND AND  
DRIVER HISTORY CHECKS.**

- (M) Any disqualified applicant may appeal the decision in accordance with § 13-2-107 (*Appeal*), and the director may overturn a disqualification by considering:
- (1) the nature and gravity of any offenses in the individual's criminal history;
  - (2) the length of time since the offense and completion of the sentence; and

- 1 (3) the impact of the offenses on the applicant's ability to perform the  
2 duties and discharge the responsibilities of a driver of a ground  
3 transportation service vehicle.  
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5 **PART 3.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

6 **PASSED AND APPROVED**

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11 Steve Adler  
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15 **APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
16 Anne L. Morgan Jannette S. Goodall  
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