CITY OF SURREY

BY-LAW NO. 6900

A by-law to permit specified retail businesses to remain open for business on a holiday.

As amended by By-law Nos. 8273; 8452; 12268; 04/25/94

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WHEREAS, the City Council may under the provisions of Section Three (3) of the "Holiday Shopping Regulation Act", Statutes of British Columbia, 1980 with the assent of the electors, adopt a By-law permitting retail businesses to remain open for business on a holiday;

> Amended by By-law 8273 & Deleted by By-law 8452

AND WHEREAS, the City Council after holding a public hearing has provided that all classes of retail business are permitted to remain open for business on all holidays.

Amended By By-law 8273 & 8452

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Surrey, in open meeting assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. This By-law shall be cited for all purposes as "Surrey Holiday Shopping Regulation By-law, 1981, No. 6900."
- 2. In the construction and interpretation of this By-law, the following words and terms shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them:

"Holiday" means Sunday, New Year's Day, Good Friday, Victoria Day, Dominion Day, British Columbia Day, Labour Day, Thanksgiving Day, Remembrance Day, Christmas Day, December 26th and any day designated by the Parliament of Canada or the Legislature or appointed by proclamation of the Governor General or Lieutenant Governor to be observed:

- (a) as a day of general prayer or mourning;
- (b) as a day of public rejoicing or thanksgiving;
- (c) as a day for celebrating the birthday of the reigning sovereign; or
- (d) as a public holiday.

Amended by By-law 8452

"Retail Establishment" means any place where retail business is carried on.

3. Any person may on a holiday and subject to any applicable by-law of the City, carry on all classes of retail business, sell or offer for sale all classes of goods or services in retail establishments, and admit the public thereto.

Amended by By-law 8273 & 8452

4. Deleted by By-law 8452.

PASSED by the Municipal Council on the 26th day of October, 1981.

RECEIVED the assent of the electors on the 21st day of November, 1981.

RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the 23rd day of November, 1981.

"D. A. ROSS" MAYOR

"W. VOLLRATH" CLERK

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