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TLC EXTENDS COMPLIANCE DATE FOR DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME METER CONVERSION

This notice is to advise all medallion taxicab owners that, as of 2 a.m. on Sunday, October 29, 2000, Daylight Savings Time was officially at an end, and Eastern Standard Time began. In order to facilitate the programming of all Taxi and Limousine Commission licensed medallion taxicab taximeters, an extension for the date of compliance with Owners Rule 1-25A (5) has been granted, expiring on Sunday, November 12, 2000 at 11:59 p.m.

After the expiration of this extension, any medallion taxicab found to be operating with a taximeter that does not reflect the conversion to Eastern Standard Time shall be subject to the following enforcement action:

- Confiscation of Rate Card
- Summons for violation of Owners Rule 1-25(a)(5) – indicating the failure to have the meter programmed to reflect the correct time.
- Notice to report to the Woodside Meter Operations Unit after the meter correction has been made.

Until the taximeter has been adjusted by a licensed meter shop to reflect Eastern Standard Time, the following "Night Differential" fare adjustment is to be observed by all owners and drivers:

- During the evening hours, the \$0.50 night surcharge appearing on the meter shall not be collected between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m.
- During the morning hours, the \$0.50 night surcharge shall not be added to the fare between 5 a.m. and 6 a.m., regardless of the amount showing on the meter.

When the meter has been converted to reflect the correct Eastern Standard Time, the rate charged at all times will be the fare shown on the meter.