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## **BLACK CAR MPG RULES DEFERRED PENDING UPCOMING RULEMAKING**

The New York City Taxi and Limousine Commission (TLC) today announced that the regulatory requirement that Black Cars being placed into service as of July 1, 2010 achieve a city rating of 25 miles per gallon is deferred, pending TLC rulemaking action, which is anticipated to take place at the September Commission meeting.

As stated above, the enforcement of provisions set forth in Section 6-09(a) of TLC For-Hire Vehicle Rules ("Black Car Vehicle Specifications"), which had been previously deferred, modifying the compliance date from January 1, 2010 to July 1, 2010, will be deferred until further notice. TLC rules implementing the mandatory retirement of vehicles used as Black Cars have likewise been deferred.

We anticipate sharing further information on this matter at the July Commission meeting. Meeting schedule notices are posted in the Public Notices section of the TLC's web site at [www.nyc.gov/taxi](http://www.nyc.gov/taxi).