



## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF OAKVILLE

### BY-LAW NUMBER 2011-100

A by-law to amend By-law 2008-098, being a by-law to prohibit and regulate noise within the Town of Oakville.

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Oakville has deemed it advisable to create regulations to mitigate excessive motorcycle noise;

#### **COUNCIL ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

By-law 2008-098, being a by-law to prohibit and regulate noise within the Town of Oakville, is amended as follows:

1. By-law 2008-098 is hereby amended by adding the following definition to Section 1 of this by-law:  
  
(r,1) "RPM" means revolutions per minute;
  
2. By-law 2008-098 is further amended by adding Sections 2.1 and 2.2 to Section 2 as follows:  
  
2.1 No person shall operate a motorcycle on any highway if the motorcycle:
  - (a) Emits any sound exceeding 92 dBA from the exhaust outlet as measured at 50 centimetres by means of a sound level meter set to slow response while the motorcycle engine is at idle; or
  - (b) Is a one, two, five or six cylinder motorcycle and emits any sound exceeding 96 dBA from the exhaust outlet as measured at 50 centimetres by means of a sound level meter set to slow response when the motorcycle engine is at 2000 RPM; or
  - (c) Is a three or four cylinder motorcycle and emits any sound exceeding 100 dBA from the exhaust outlet as measured at 50 centimetres by means of a sound level meter set to slow response when the motorcycle engine is at 5000 RPM.

- 2.2 No person shall refuse to provide a motorcycle owned or operated by that person to an officer duly authorized to enforce the by-law under Section 9 of this by-law.
3. By-law 2008-098 is further amended by adding Section 15 as follows:
15. The prohibitions set out in Sections 2.1 and 2.2 shall take effect on July 1, 2012.

PASSED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2011

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