CITY OF HAMILTON
BY-LAW NO. 18-008

To Amend By-Law No. 12-031
For Responsible Animal Ownership in the City of Hamilton

WHEREAS Council enacted By-law No. 12-031, being the by-law for Responsible Animal Ownership in the City of Hamilton;

AND WHEREAS this By-law amends Part 7.0 - Prohibiting Animals at Large, etc. of By-law 12-031 by adding subsection 7.12 with respect to unreasonable animal noise;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Hamilton enacts as follows:

1. Section 7 is amended by adding the following new subsection 7.12:

   7.12 No person who is the owner of an animal shall permit the animal to make noise that is:

   (a) unreasonably loud; or

   (b) likely to disturb the inhabitants of the City of Hamilton; or

   (c) both,

   (i) persistent in nature; and

   (ii) clearly audible at a point of reception.

This section does not apply to noise from an animal on a farm.

PASSED this 24th day of January, 2018.

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F. Eisenberger                                   R. Caterini
Mayor                                           City Clerk