CITY OF HAMILTON

BY-LAW NO. 07-025

To Amend Fireworks By-law No. 02-285 to Provide for the Sale of Family Fireworks for a Period of 14 Days, Prior to Holidays

WHEREAS Council enacted By-law 05-339 providing for a temporary sale period of fourteen (14) days, with said By-law being repealed on July 2, 2006;

AND WHEREAS Council requested an update regarding the merit of amending By-law 02-285 to provide for the sale of family fireworks on a permanent basis for a fourteen (14) day period, prior to holidays, in place of the current seven (7) day sale period;

AND WHEREAS Section 121 of the Municipal Act, S. O. 2001, c. 25 provides that a municipality may regulate or prohibit the sale of fireworks;

AND WHEREAS a phrasing change is required to accurately reflect the proper and current title of the position of “Fire Chief” as defined in By-law 02-285;

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

1. That Section 5.3 of City of Hamilton By-law No. 02-285 is hereby amended to replace the word “seven” with the word “fourteen”.

2. That Sub-section 1.1(g) of City of Hamilton By-law No. 02-285 is hereby amended to read “‘Fire Chief’ means the City’s General Manager of Hamilton Emergency Services;”. 
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3. That this by-law comes into force and effect on the date of its passing.

PASSED and ENACTED this 24th day of January, 2007.

[Signatures]

MAYOR

CITY CLERK