



City of Hamilton

HAMILTON LICENSING TRIBUNAL

Established under the Municipal Act, 2001 and the Business Licensing By-law No. 07-170

Meeting #: 19-005
Date: October 25, 2019
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Location: Room 264, 2nd Floor, City Hall
71 Main Street West

Loren Kolar, Committee Secretary (905) 546-2424 ext. 2604

1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

(Added Items, if applicable, will be noted with *)

2. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

3.1 October 8, 2019

4. HEARINGS

4.1 REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated October 4, 2019) to: Shibo Zheng, Tuina Center Limited, City of Hamilton, Personal Wellness Services License, License #18-293813

5. ADJOURNMENT



CITY OF HAMILTON MINUTES

19-004

HAMILTON LICENSING TRIBUNAL

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

10:00 a.m.

Room 264, Hamilton City Hall

71 Main Street West

Hamilton, Ontario

Present: Councillors C. Collins (Vice Chair), B. Clark and B. Johnson

Absent with

Regrets: Councillor N. Nann – City Business; Councillor T. Whitehead -
Personal

The meeting was called to order.

FOR INFORMATION:

(a) CHANGES TO THE AGENDA (Item 1)

There were no changes to the agenda.

(Johnson/Clark)

That the agenda for the October 9, 2019 meeting of the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal be approved, as presented.

CARRIED

(b) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Item 2)

There were none declared.

(c) APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Item 3)

(i) April 12, 2019 (Item 3.1)

(Clark/Johnson)

That the Minutes of the April 12, 2019 meeting of the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal, be approved, as presented.

CARRIED

(ii) September 24, 2019 Clerk's Report (Item 3.2)

(Johnson/Clark)

That the Clerk's Report of September 24, 2019, be received.

CARRIED

(d) HEARINGS (Item 4)

(i) REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated August 30, 2019) to: Cuong Do, Bamboo Spa, City of Hamilton Multiple Establishment Licence (Personal Wellness Services and Personal Service Facility), License #18-295345 – referred from September 25, 2019 (Item 4.1)

(Johnson/Clark)

That the REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated August 30, 2019) to: Cuong Do, Bamboo Spa, City of Hamilton Multiple Establishment Licence, be adjourned to the November 22, 2019 Hamilton Licensing Tribunal Hearing.

CARRIED

(ii) REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated August 30, 2019) to: Xiu Mei Guo, Osteopathic Wellness and Health, City of Hamilton Personal Wellness Services, License #19-295785 – referred from September 25, 2019 (Item 4.2)

(Johnson/Clark)

That the REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated August 30, 2019) to: Xiu Mei Guo, Osteopathic Wellness and Health, City of Hamilton Personal Wellness Services, be adjourned to the November 22, 2019 Hamilton Licensing Tribunal Hearing.

CARRIED

(iii) REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated September 17, 2019) to: Melissa Tong, Sun Massage Health Centre, City of Hamilton Personal Wellness Services Licence, Licence #15-287360 (Item 4.3)

For the outcome of this matter, refer to the Notice of Decision.

- (iv) **REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated September 17, 2019) to: Min Yu, Foot Park Spa, City of Hamilton Personal Wellness Services Licence, Licence #18- 293656 (Item 4.4)**

(Johnson/Clark)

That the REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING (dated September 17, 2019) to: Min Yu, Foot Park Spa, City of Hamilton Personal Wellness Services Licence, be adjourned to the November 22, 2019 Hamilton Licensing Tribunal Hearing.

CARRIED

- (e) **ADJOURNMENT (Item 5)**

(Clark/Johnson)

That the meeting of the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal be adjourned at 12:32 p.m.

CARRIED

Loren Kolar
Legislative Coordinator
Hamilton Licensing Tribunal
City Clerk's Office



CITY OF HAMILTON

HEARING NOTICE

HAMILTON LICENSING TRIBUNAL

established under the *Municipal Act, 2001* and the *Business Licensing By-law No. 07-170*

A Hearing will be held before the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal **on Friday, October 25, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 264 at Hamilton City Hall, 71 Main Street West, Hamilton, Ontario**, to consider the following:

The Director of Licensing's request, made October 4, 2019, under Section 12 (1)(c)(vi) of the City of Hamilton's Licensing By-law, for a Show Cause Hearing respecting a City of Hamilton Personal Wellness Services Licence, Shibo Zheng, Tuina Center Limited, Licence #18-293813

At the hearing the Tribunal will decide whether or not to uphold the refusal, and/or to revoke, suspend or have conditions imposed on your business licence. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the *Municipal Act, 2001*, the *Business Licensing By-law No. 07-170* and the *Statutory Powers Procedure Act*. Additional information respecting the appeal process can be obtained online at <https://www.hamilton.ca/council-committee/council-committee-meetings/hamilton-licensing-tribunal> or in person at the Office of the City Clerk, 71 Main Street West, First Floor.

If either you and/or your legal representative do not attend the hearing at the date, place and time indicated, the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal may proceed in your absence to render any decision or recommendation within its jurisdiction, and you will not be entitled to further notice of the proceeding.

The Tribunal may commence to hear a matter at any time from **10:00 a.m.** onward. Once a matter has commenced it may continue to be heard after regular business hours, until such later time as determined by the Tribunal.

Please advise the Legislative Coordinator if you require any special accommodations, including language translation services, as soon as possible.

Issued on October 4, 2019 to:

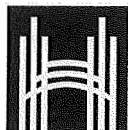
Licensee:

Director of Licensing:

Shibo Zheng, Tuina Center Limited

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Please direct any questions to: **Loren Kolar, Legislative Coordinator**
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4.1(b)

October 4th, 2019

Licence #18-293813

Loren Kolar, Legislative Coordinator
 Office of the City Clerk
 City of Hamilton
 71 Main Street West
 Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5

Dear: Shibo, Zheng

RE: REQUEST FOR SHOW CAUSE HEARING
Shibo Zheng, Tuina Center Limited
City of Hamilton, Personal Wellness Services Licence
Unit 9-259 Highway 8, Hamilton, ON
Licence #18-293813 PW
Expiry Date: April 02, 2020

Please be advised that pursuant to Section 12(1) of the General Provisions of the City of Hamilton Licensing By-Law 07-170, as amended ("City of Hamilton Licensing By-Law"), I am requesting that a show cause hearing be scheduled and brought before the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal to consider whether the above-referenced licence should be revoked or suspended or conditions imposed.

City of Hamilton Licensing By-Law 07-170, Section 12 (1)(c)(vi), as amended: The Director of Licensing and By-Law shall refuse to issue a licence or may recommend the suspension or revocation of a licence when, in the opinion of the Director:

1. The operation of the applicant's or licensee's business would put the public's safety at risk.
2. The operation of the applicant's or licensee's business is not or will not be carried on in compliance with the law; or
3. The conduct of the applicant or licensee affords reasonable grounds for belief that the applicant or licensee will not carry on or engage in the business in accordance with the law or with honesty or integrity

Namely,

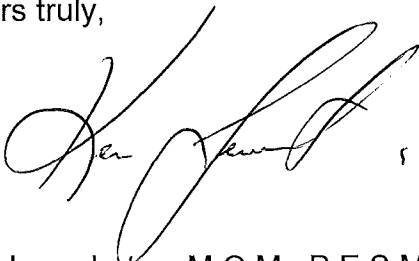
That "Tuina Center Limited" has been determined to be in non-compliance with Schedule 15 (Personal Wellness Services), of the City of Hamilton Licensing By-Law 07-170, as amended. These violations include but are not limited to;

- **Section 9 (a)** – Every operator shall not equip the personal wellness services establishment so as to impede the enforcement of this By-Law;
- **Section 9 (c)** – Every operator shall post their licence in a conspicuous place in the personal wellness services establishment at all times;
- **Section 9 (f)** – Every operator shall not permit any service to be provided to a customer or any person that appeals to or is designed to appeal to erotic or sexual appetites or inclinations
- **Section 9 (h)(i)** – Every operator shall keep a record of each alternative massage provided, which record shall include the name of the person who provided the alternative massage and the time and date of the alternative massage

You will be notified by the Legislative Co-ordinator of the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal of the scheduled hearing before the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal. A hearing shall be commenced by the Hamilton Licensing Tribunal within sixty (60) days from the date of generation of this letter.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Tiffany Gardner, Supervisor of Licensing Administration, at 905 546 2424 ext. 1789.

Yours truly,



Ken Leendentse, M.O.M., P.E.S.M., BA
Director, Licensing and By-Law Services

CC: Shibo Zheng
Sheena DeBoer - Project and Policy Assistant
Janet Rutherford – Hearing/Tribunal Prosecutor
Adam Palmieri - Supervisor Operations and Enforcement
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