

**CITY OF BURNABY**

**BYLAW NO. 14798**

A BYLAW to amend Burnaby Business Licence Bylaw 2017

The Council of the City of Burnaby ENACTS as follows:

1. This Bylaw may be cited as **BURNABY BUSINESS LICENCE BYLAW 2017, AMENDMENT BYLAW NO. 1, 2026.**
2. Burnaby Business Licence Bylaw 2017, as amended, is further amended by adding the schedule attached to this Bylaw as Schedule “H”.

Read a first time this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026

Read a second time this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026

Read a third time this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026

Public Notice provided on 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026 and 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2026

Reconsidered and adopted this        day of                    , 2026

MAYOR

CORPORATE OFFICER

**Schedule to Bylaw No. 14798**

**SCHEDULE “H”**

**BEAR SPRAY REGULATIONS**

**1.0 Definitions**

1.1 In this Schedule,

- “authorized vendor”** means a **business** that primarily services and caters to the needs of outdoor enthusiasts and sportspersons, by selling apparel and equipment for activities such as camping, hunting, fishing, and hiking
- “authorized wholesaler”** means a bulk distributor of apparel and equipment for activities such as camping, hunting, fishing, and hiking exclusively sold to retailers for resale to consumers and end users
- “bear spray”** means a device containing capsaicin and other related capsaicinoids that is designed and labeled for use as a deterrent from attacks by bears or other wildlife

**2.0 Specific Regulations**

- 2.1 No **person** other than an **authorized vendor** or an **authorized wholesaler** shall sell, offer to sell, trade, barter, or exchange **bear spray**.
- 2.2 An **authorized vendor** shall not sell, offer to sell, trade, barter, or exchange **bear spray** to:
- (a) any **person** under the age of 19 years; or
  - (b) any **person** who does not present **photo identification**.
- 2.3 An **authorized vendor** must:
- (a) keep **bear spray** stored in a secure and locked area or in an area that is otherwise inaccessible to the public;
  - (b) maintain a record for all **bear spray** sold or otherwise disposed of that includes:
    - (i) the date and time of the sale;
    - (ii) the product description, including the name of the **bear spray** and quantity sold;
    - (iii) the purchaser’s name and address;
    - (iv) the type of **photo identification** presented by the purchaser; and
    - (v) the identification number shown on the **photo identification**;

- (c) keep the record referred to in subsection (b) for a period of 12 months from the date the **bear spray** was sold; and
- (d) make the record referred to in subsection (b) available to an **Inspector**, upon request, for the purpose of verifying compliance with this **Bylaw**.