Bill No. 253 2012

By-law No. A-5-amend

A by-law to amend By-law A-5 entitled, "A by-law to provide for the Indemnification and Defence of Members of Council against liability incurred while acting on behalf of the Municipality" to remove references to "Board of Control" and replace them with "Finance and Administrative Services Committee" and to remove references to "City Administrator" and replace them with "City Manager".

WHEREAS the Council of The Corporation of the City of London wishes to amend By-law A-5 entitled "A By-law to provide for the Indemnification and Defence of Members of Council against liability incurred while acting on behalf of the Municipality";

AND WHEREAS section 279 of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality may be or act as an insurer and may exchange with other municipalities in Ontario reciprocal contracts of indemnity or inter-insurance with respect to the protection of the members or former members of the council against risks that may involve pecuniary loss or liability on the part of the members; the payment of any damages or costs awarded against any of its members or former members or expenses incurred by them as a result of any action or other proceeding arising out of acts or omissions done or made by them in their capacity as members, including while acting in the performance of any statutory duty; and the payment of any sum required in connection with the settlement of an action or other proceeding referred to in paragraph 4 and for assuming the cost of defending the members in the action or proceeding;

AND WHEREAS section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London enacts as follows:

- 1. The Councillor Indemnification By-law, being By-law No. A-5, is hereby amended as follows:
  - (a) by removing all references to the term "Board of Control" and replacing them with the term "Finance and Administrative Services Committee"; and
  - (b) by removing all references to the term "City Administrator" and replacing them with the term "City Manager".
- 2. This by-law comes into force and effect on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on June 12, 2012.

Joe Fontana Mayor

Catharine Saunders City Clerk

First Reading – June 12, 2012 Second Reading – June 12, 2012 Third Reading – June 12, 2012