Bill No. 419 2011

By-law No. A .-

A by-law to authorize the preparation and execution of documentation to register various London Fire Department rescue boats in the Canadian Register of Vessels, Small Vessel Register.

WHEREAS subsection 5(3) of the *Municipal Act*, 2001 S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

AND WHEREAS section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS the *Canada Shipping Act, 2001* (CSA, 2001) requires all non-pleasure craft (small commercial vessels), which were previously licensed by Transport Canada under the Small Commercial Vessel Licensing System, to be now registered with the department's Canadian Register of Vessels small vessel register;

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

- 1. The Fire Chief, or designate, is authorized to prepare the necessary documents to register various City of London Fire Services rescue boats in the Canadian Register of Vessels small vessel register, in compliance with the *Canada Shipping Act, 2001*, or any successor legislation.
- 2. The Mayor and the City Clerk are authorized to execute and seal the necessary documents that have been prepared by the Fire Chief, or designate, under section 1 above.
- 3. This by-law shall come into force and effect on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on October 24, 2011.

Joe Fontana Mayor

Catharine Saunders City Clerk