ORDINANCE #165

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, REGULATING THE OPERATION OF AUTOMOBILES AND OTHER VEHICLES WITH REFERENCE TO CARRYING LIGHTS AND OPERATION ON STREETS OR HIGHWAYS, AND PRESCRIBING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE....

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA:

Section 1. All motor vehicles, or vehicles of any kind, operating on the streets of the city of Miami Beach, Florida, between sunset and sunrise shall carry at all times on the front end of such vehicle two lights showing a white light a distance of at least 300 feet ahead, and shall show a red light affixed to the rear end of said vehicle, all of such lights to be so affixed that they may be easily seen from a distance of 300 feet in front or in the rear of such vehicle, and all such lights shall be so carried as not to blind or affect the vision of any person upon a street or highway and within 300 feet of such vehicle so that such person cannot have a good view of all objects in such street within 300 feet in front of him.

Section 2. All motor vehicls operating upon any public highway in said city at any time shall be equipped with a good horn, gong or bell, which may be heard a distance of not less than 300 feet and such horn, gong or bell shall always be sounded at least 25 feet from and before crossing any intersecting road or alley used

for traffic. When a pedestrian or another vehicle is approaching such intersection on another street or highway. Section 3. In turning corners all such vehicles shall keep to the right until the center of the street intended to be turned into shall be passed, before said turn shall be made, and in turning corners for the purpose of passing from any street to another, the speed limit of all vehicles shall not exceed 12 miles per hour.

Section 4. It shall be unlawful for any vehicle whatever to stop on the streets and thoroughfares of this city in such manner as to block or interfere in any manner with traffic in the street.

Section 5. All vehicles of whatever kind, however propelled

or pulled, operating upon the streets or public thoroughfares of such city shall keep to the right side of said street at all times, and when stopped or parked, shall be stopped or parked on the right hand side of the street and not further than 18 inches from the curb line or outer edge of the pavement. Section 6. Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined not exceeding One Hundred Dollars or be imprisoned in the City Jail not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 19th day of October, A. D., 1921.

President of City Council

Attest: C. W. Joulius on City Clerk

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