

1 **Board Bill No. 245 INTRODUCED BY ALDERWOMAN LYDA KREWSON**

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3 An ordinance repealing paragraph (c) of Section Two of Ordinance 63777, approved on  
4 June 4, 1996, as amended by Ordinance 64546, approved on December 18, 1998, and in lieu  
5 thereof a new paragraph is enacted extending the period of time during which the Cathedral  
6 Square Special Business District shall be permitted to collect the tax within the boundaries of the  
7 district therein established; and containing effectiveness and emergency clauses.

8 **BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:**

9 **SECTION ONE.** Paragraph (c) of Section Two of Ordinance 63777, approved on June 4, 1996,  
10 as amended by Ordinance 64546, approved on December 18, 1998, is hereby repealed and in lieu  
11 thereof a new paragraph is enacted to read as follows:

12 c. The tax provided for by this ordinance shall only be levied and collected for tax years  
13 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018.

14 **SECTION TWO.** The continuation of the tax levy authorized in Section One of this ordinance  
15 shall not be effective unless and until the following proposition, submitted to the qualified voters  
16 residing in the District at an election in the District to be held on March 3, 2009, shall receive in  
17 its favor the votes of the majority of the qualified voters voting at said election for or against said  
18 proposition. Said proposition shall be in substantially the following form:

19 **OFFICIAL BALLOT**

20 Shall a tax of \$.85 per \$100.00 valuation be imposed for the tax years 2009, 2010,  
21 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 on all real property located in the Cathedral  
22 Square Special Business District as defined in Ordinance No.63777, approved June 4, 1996,  
23 (Floor Substitute Board Bill No.66) for the purposes as set forth in said Ordinance?

24  YES

1                    \_\_\_\_ NO

2    **SECTION THREE:** This being an ordinance to set a tax levy and for the immediate  
3    preservation of public peace, health and safety, it is declared to be an emergency measure within  
4    the meaning of Sections 19 and 20 of Article IV of the Charter of the City of St. Louis and  
5    therefore this ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.