Ordinance to Amend and Reenact the City Code of the City of Hampton, Virginia by Amending Chapter 37, Article VIII, Entitled Transient Lodging Tax and Hotel Fee By Amending Sec. 37-251 Pertaining to the Definition of the Term "Transient" Effective and Applied to Consecutive Lodging Nights the First of Which Occurs on or After July 1, 2017

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Hampton, Virginia, that Chapter 37, Article VIII, Section 37-251 of the City Code of the City of Hampton, Virginia be amended to read as follows:

CHAPTER 37. TAXATION

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ARTICLE VIII. – TRANSIENT LODGING TAX AND HOTEL FEE

Sec. 37-251. - Definitions.
The following words and phrases, when used in this article, shall, for the purposes of this article, have the following respective meanings, except when the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

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Transient: Any person who, for a period of not more than *ninety*sixty (*9*60) consecutive days, either at his own expense or at the expense of another, obtains lodging at any hotel.

. . .

        This ordinance shall be effective and the amendment applied to all lodging nights the first consecutive day of which occurs on or after July 1, 2017.