ORDINANCE NO. 087-049

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 17-57 OF CHAPTER 17, TAXATION, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, INCREASING THE HOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX TO SEVEN PERCENT; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Chapter 17, Article IV, of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Addison, Texas, is hereby amended by amending Sec. 17-57 to read as follows:

Sec. 17-57. Levy; amount; exemptions.

- (a) There is hereby levied a tax upon the cost of occupancy of any sleeping room furnished by any hotel where the cost of occupancy is at the rate of two dollars (\$2.00) or more per day. The tax is equal to seven percent (7%) of the consideration paid by the occupant of the sleeping room to the hotel, exclusive of other occupancy taxes imposed by ohter governmental agencies.
- (b) The tax may not be imposed upon a permanent resident.
- (c) This section shall become effective as of September 1, 1987.

SECTION 2. That should any paragraph, sentence, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this ordinance be adjudged or be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any

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part or provision thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid, illegal, or unconstitutional.

SECTION 3. That all ordinances of the City in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed and all other ordinances of the City not in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished by a penalty of fine only not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense, and each and every day such offense is continued shall constitute a new and separate offense.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage as provided by law.

DULY PASSED by the City Council of the Town of Addison,

Texas, this the 26th day of August, 1987.

APPROVED:

MAYOR

ATTEST: