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PROPERTY TAX REBATE FOR NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS SIMILAR TO REGISTERED CHARITIES

RECENT PROVINCIAL LEGISLATION HAS CHANGED HOW THIS REBATE IS CALCULATED

"Not for Profit" organizations, occupying rented or leased space in a commercial or industrial class of property, may be eligible for a rebate equal to 40% of the increase in property taxes payable compared to 1997 for the years 1998 to 2000.

The following types of not for profit organizations may qualify for the property tax rebate:

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| Health Services | Health Societies & Foundations |
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| Recreational | Religious |
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Applications should be sent to the Tax Office of your local municipality for the 1999 rebate prior to June 1, 1999.

Application forms and additional information are available at the Tax Office of your local municipality listed below:

Town of Aurora	100 John West Way, Aurora	727-1375
Town of East Gwillimbury	19000 Leslie St., Sharon	478-4282
Town of Georgina	26557 Civic Centre Rd., R.R. #2, Keswick	476-4301
Township of King	2075 King Rd., King City	833-5321
Town of Markham	101 Town Centre Blvd., Markham	477-7000
Town of Newmarket	465 Davis Dr., Newmarket	953-5317
Town of Richmond Hill	225 East Beaver Creek Rd., Richmond Hill	771-8920
City of Vaughan	2141 Major Mackenzie Dr., Vaughan	832-8502
Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville	37 Sandiford Dr., Stouffville	640-1900

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Search procedures in question

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down" suspects for weapons before they are placed in cruisers.

Currently, York Region police only search suspects after they've been arrested during a routine pullover. The driver was not under arrest when he was placed alone in the back of the cruiser.

While there is no written policy, some York Region officers ask suspects for permission to search for weapons even if they aren't under arrest.

If the person refuses, they aren't allowed in the cruiser, alerting the officer to a potentially dangerous situation.

"I know I used to do that myself when I was on the road," LaBarge said. "If they don't grant

you permission, it makes you a little more suspicious. But it all depends on the circumstances when you do it."

In this case, York Region police were confronted with a 1986 Oldsmobile travelling with a half a windshield and front-end damage. Concerned motorists had called 911, complaining of erratic driving along Hwy. 9.

The man, who was heading for Florida with his wife before the hit-and-run, had no prior police involvement.

The issue of when a suspect can be searched for a weapon is a technical question with varying procedures among police forces.

York Regional Police Const. Jerry Robertson of the training branch says the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms

curtails police from searching unless someone is under arrest.

"Under today's legal climate, if a person says you can't do it and they're not under arrest, you can't do it," Robertson said.

The SIU is investigating the death because it occurred in a police cruiser.

Scala said York Region's search procedures will be reviewed as part of its investigation into the death.

While the SIU's mandate is to look for criminality, the agency's director Peter Tinsley may make informal suggestions to improve police procedure.

Under provincial law, a death in police custody automatically becomes the subject of a coroner's inquest. At issue is whether the man was actually in the custody of police when he killed himself.

Noise a problem, councillor says

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When safety concerns were expressed, "flag men were put in place" along the route, Emmerson said. "The problems were worked out. We didn't receive any complaints last year."

But noise from the train does upset residents, Scala said. "We should work out a compromise involving all partners: council, both communities, the residents and the heritage railway association," Scala said.

Since the train runs only through Ward 5, Scala gets to deal with most of the complaints and concerns. "I can't emphasize enough the importance of communicating to each other," she said. "Council and the railway association must establish an openness with each other."

The 20-kilometre train ride winds along the Oak Ridges Moraine, taking in the scenic sites of both Stouffville and Uxbridge. The first train of the season pulls out June 6. Passengers can ride the train until about the end of October.

Once the train comes to a halt at the stations, passengers are encouraged to tour downtown and check out the historical value of both towns, including the shops.

"The train is good for business," Emmerson said.

The eight runs a day schedule is not cast in stone, Harding said. "We try different schedules and at the end of the season we assess. We'll look at this one in the fall," Harding said.

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