## COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 412 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, PL 93-198 (the Act), the Council of the District of Columbia adopted Bill No. 1-78 on July 29, 1975, and September 9, 1975, respectively. Following the Mayor's signature on October 6, 1975, this legislation was assigned Act No. 1-52, published in the October 17, 1975, edition of the <u>D. C. Register</u>, and transmitted to both Houses of Congress for a 30-day review, in accordance with Section 602(c)(1) of the Act.

The Council of the District of Columbia hereby gives notice that the 30-day Congressional review period has expired and, therefore, cites the following legislation as D. C. Law No. 1-38, effective December 16, 1975.

STERLING TICKER

Chairman of the Council

## 1-38

In the Council of the District of Columbia

December 16, 1975

To establish election wards for the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Council of the District of Columbia, That this act may be cited as the "Boundaries Act of 1975".

- Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia shall divide the District into eight compact and contiguous election wards which shall include such numbers of precincts as will provide approximately equal population within each ward; and reapportion the wards accordingly after each decennial census.
- Sec. 3. The order of the District of Columbia Board of Elections and Ethics of June 25, 1971, is repealed, except the boundaries of the election wards established by such order shall remain in effect until changed by the Council of the District of Columbia according to law.
- Sec. 4. Section 5(a) of the District of Columbia

  Election Act (D.C. Code, sec. 1-1105(a)) is amended by

  striking out in paragraph (4) thereof the following: "divide

  the District into eight compact and contiguous election

  wards which shall include such numbers of precincts as will

  provide approximately equal population within each ward; and

  reapportion the wards accordingly after each decennial

census; "and inserting in lieu thereof: "draw precinct lines within the election wards created by the Council, subject to the approval of the Council;"

- Sec. 5. The Commissioner's Order establishing the Service Areas (C.O. No. 70-142, April 20, 1970, as amended by C.O. No. 72-95, April 21, 1972) is amended by striking out the maps attached thereto and incorporated therein. On and after the effective date of this act, the boundaries of those Service Areas shall be identical to the boundaries that may be established from time to time for the election wards. Beginning with such effective date, the boundaries of the Service Areas shall be the boundaries established for the election wards in section 3 of this act.
- Sec. 6. The Mayor shall report to the Council within 90 days after the date of enactment of this act with respect to establishing a uniform and coterminous delivery system for all city services not delivered within the service areas defined in section 5 of this act.
- Sec. 7. This act, and the amendments made by this act, shall be effective as provided in section 602(c) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act.

Considered in Council <u>July 29, 1975</u>

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