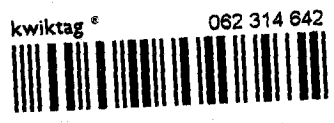


ENROLLMENT(S)



COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA


NOTICE

D.C. LAW 10- 230

" Small Claims Service of Process Act of 1994".

Pursuant to Section 412 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, P.L. 93-198 "the Act", the Council of the District of Columbia adopted Bill No. 10-89 on first and second readings, November 1, 1994 and December 6, 1994, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on December 27, 1994, this legislation was assigned Act No. 10-371, and published in the January 6, 1995, edition of the D.C. Register (Vol. 42 page 11) and transmitted to Congress on February 3, 1995 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 this enactment as D.C. Law 10-230, effective March 21, 1995.


DAVID A. CLARKE
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

Feb. 3,6,7,8,9,10,13,14,15,16,21,22,23,24,27,28

Mar. 1,2,3,6,7,8,9,10,13,14,15,16,17,20

AN ACT

Codification
District of Columbia Code
(1995 Supplement)

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To amend section 16-3902 of the District of Columbia Code to allow the Clerk of the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia to authorize the use of a special process server in a small claims action, to extend the period of time allowed for service of process in actions commenced in the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch from 15 days to 30 days, and to extend the period of time for the District of Columbia government to file an answer in a small claims action against the District government.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Small Claims Service of Process Act of 1994".

Sec. 2. Section 16-3902 of the District of Columbia Code is amended as follows:

Section
16-3902

(a) The last sentence in subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

"The mode of service shall be by the United States marshal, as provided by law, or by registered mail or by certified mail with return receipt, or by a person not a party to or otherwise interested in the action especially authorized by the Clerk of the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch or appointed by the judge for that purpose."

(b) Subsection (g) is amended by striking the figure "15" and inserting the figure "30" in its place.

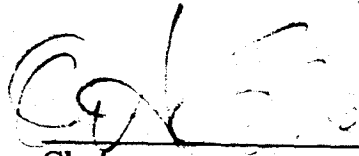
(c) A new subsection (h) is added to read as follows:

"(h) Where the defendant is the District of Columbia or an officer or agency thereof, the Clerk shall schedule the hearing for a day that is not less than 30 days from the date of the filing of the action, service of a copy of the action on the Corporation Counsel to be completed within 15 days of filing."

Sec. 3. Effective date.

This act shall take effect after a 30-day period of Congressional review following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council of the District of Columbia to override the veto) as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code § 1-233(c)(1)), and

publication in either the District of Columbia Register, the District of Columbia Statutes-at-Large, or the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations.



Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia

Mayor
District of Columbia



COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Council Period Ten

RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL VOTE

DOCKET NO: B10-89

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION & DATE: Adopted First Reading, 11-1-94

VOICE VOTE: Approved

Recorded vote on request

Absent: Barry

ROLL CALL VOTE - RESULT

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
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BARRY					JARVIS					SMITH, JR.				
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CHAVOUS					MASON									
CROPP					NATHANSON									

X - Indicates Vote A.B. - Absent N.V. - Present, not voting

CERTIFICATION RECORD

Phyllis Ford
Secretary to the Council

December 9, 1994
Date

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION & DATE: Adopted Final Reading, 12-6-94

VOICE VOTE: Approved

Recorded vote on request

Absent: Barry

ROLL CALL VOTE - RESULT

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
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Date

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VOICE VOTE: _____

Recorded vote on request

Absent: _____

ROLL CALL VOTE - RESULT

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CERTIFICATION RECORD

Secretary to the Council

Date

AN ACT

D.C. ACT 10-371

Codification
District of Columbia Code
(1995 Supplement)

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DECEMBER 27, 1994

To amend section 16-3902 of the District of Columbia Code to allow the Clerk of the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia to authorize the use of a special process server in a small claims action, to extend the period of time allowed for service of process in actions commenced in the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch from 15 days to 30 days, and to extend the period of time for the District of Columbia government to file an answer in a small claims action against the District government.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Small Claims Service of Process Act of 1994".

Sec. 2. Section 16-3902 of the District of Columbia Code is amended as follows:

Section
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(a) The last sentence in subsection (a) is amended to read as follows:

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(b) Subsection (g) is amended by striking the figure "15" and inserting the figure "30" in its place.

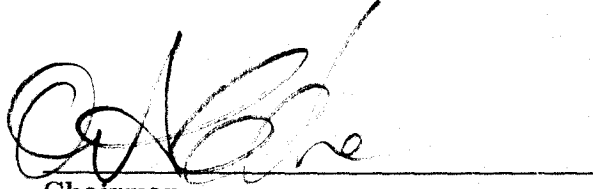
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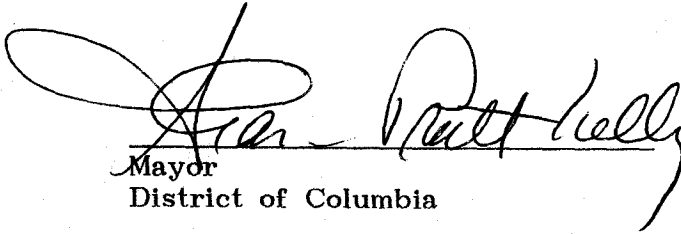
Sec. 3. Effective date.

This act shall take effect after a 30-day period of Congressional review following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council of the District of Columbia to override the veto) as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code § 1-233(c)(1)), and

publication in either the District of Columbia Register, the District of Columbia Statutes-at-Large, or the District of Columbia Municipal Regulations.



Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia



Mayor
District of Columbia

APPROVED: December 27, 1994



COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Council Period Ten

RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL VOTE

DOCKET NO: B10-89

[X] Item on Consent Calendar

[X] ACTION & DATE: Adopted First Reading, 11-1-94

[X] VOICE VOTE: Approved

Recorded vote on request

Absent: Barry

[] ROLL CALL VOTE - RESULT

Table with 16 columns: COUNCIL MEMBER, AYE, NAY, N.V., A.B. and 4 rows of member names: CHMN. CLARKE, BARRY, BRAZIL, CHAVOUS, CROPP, EVANS, JARVIS, LIGHTFOOT, MASON, NATHANSON, RAY, SMITH, JR., THOMAS, SR.

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CERTIFICATION RECORD

Secretary to the Council (Signature)

Date: December 9, 1994

[X] Item on Consent Calendar

[X] ACTION & DATE: Adopted Final Reading, 12-6-94

[X] VOICE VOTE: Approved

Recorded vote on request

Absent: Barry

[] ROLL CALL VOTE - RESULT

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CERTIFICATION RECORD

Secretary to the Council (Signature)

Date: December 9, 1994

[] Item on Consent Calendar

[] ACTION & DATE:

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Recorded vote on request

Absent:

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Date