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COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA


NOTICE

D.C. LAW 10- 258

"District of Columbia Nonviolent Offenses Mandatory-Minimum Sentences Amendment 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. 10-617 on first and second readings, November 1, 1994 and December 6, 1994, respectively. The legislation was deemed approved without the signature of the Mayor on December 30, 1994, pursuant to Section 404(e) of "the Act", and was assigned Act No. 10-392, and published in the January 13, 1995, edition of the D.C. Register (Vol. 41 page 238) and transmitted to Congress on February 7, 1995 for a 60-day review, in accordance with Section 602(c)(2) of the Act.

The Council of the District of Columbia hereby gives notice that the 60-day Congressional Review Period has expired, and therefore, cites this enactment as D.C. Law 10-258, effective May 25, 1995.


DAVID A. CLARKE
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 60-day Congressional Review Period:

Feb.	7,8,9,10,13,14,15,16,21,22,23,24,27,28
Mar.	1,2,3,6,7,8,9,10,13,14,15,16,17,20,21,22,23,24,27, 28,29,30,31
Apr.	3,4,5,6,7,
May	1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11,12,15,16,17,18,19,22,23,24

AN ACT

District of Columbia Code

D.C. ACT 10-392

(1995 Supplement)

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DECEMBER 30, 1994

To amend the Medical and Geriatric Parole Act of 1992 and the District of Columbia Uniform Controlled Substances Act of 1981 to reduce mandatory minimum sentences as penalties imposed for nonviolent narcotic and abusive drug offenses and to eliminate disparities in penalties for offenses which involve forms of the single drug cocaine.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "District of Columbia Nonviolent Offenses Mandatory-Minimum Sentences Amendment Act of 1994".

Sec. 2. Section 8 of the Medical and Geriatric Parole Act of 1992, effective May 15, 1993 (D.C. Law 9-271; D.C. Code § 24-267), is amended to read as follows:

Section
24-267

"Sec. 8.


"Persons convicted of first degree murder or persons sentenced for crimes committed when armed under the District of Columbia Mandatory-Minimum Sentences Initiative of 1981, effective March 9, 1983 (D.C. Law 4-166; D.C. Code § 22-3202), or under section (4)(b) of An Act To control the possession, sale, transfer, and use of pistols and other dangerous weapons in the District of Columbia, to provide penalties, to prescribe rules of evidence, and for other purposes, approved July 8, 1932 (47 Stat. 650; D.C. Code §§ 22-3201 *et seq.*), and section 811a of An Act To establish a code of law for the District of Columbia, effective October 2, 1993 (D.C. Law 10-26; D.C. Code § 22-2903), shall not be eligible for geriatric or medical parole."

Sec. 3. Section 401(c) of the District of Columbia Uniform Controlled Substances Act of 1981, effective August 5, 1981 (D.C. Law 4-29; D.C. Code § 33-541(c)) is repealed.

Section
33-541

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect after a 60-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)(2) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code § 1-233(c)(2)),

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: B10-617

Item on Consent Calendar

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

VOICE VOTE: Approved, Brazil and Ray voted no

Recorded vote on request

Absent: all present

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.
CHMN. CLARKE					EVANS					RAY				
BARRY					JARVIS					SMITH, JR.				
BRAZIL					LIGHTFOOT					THOMAS, SR.				
CHAVOUS					MASON									
CROPP					NATHANSON									

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

CERTIFICATION RECORD

[Signature]
Secretary to the Council

December 13, 1994
Date

Item on Consent Calendar

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

VOICE VOTE: Approved, Brazil, Ray and Mason voted no

Recorded vote on request

Absent: Evans and Cropp

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.
CHMN. CLARKE					EVANS					RAY				
BARRY					JARVIS					SMITH, JR.				
BRAZIL					LIGHTFOOT					THOMAS, SR.				
CHAVOUS					MASON									
CROPP					NATHANSON									

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CERTIFICATION RECORD

[Signature]
Secretary to the Council

December 13, 1994
Date

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION & DATE: _____

VOICE VOTE: _____

Recorded vote on request

Absent: _____

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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