

ENROLLMENT(S)



(5)

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NOTICE

D.C. LAW 12-197

"Sex Offender Registration Risk Assessment Clarification and Convention Center Marketing Service Contracts Temporary Amendment Act of 1998"

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. 12-699, on first and second readings, July 7, 1998 and September 22, 1998, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on October 8, 1998, pursuant to Section 404(e) of "the Act", and was assigned Act No. 12-474 and published in the November 13, 1998, edition of the D.C. Register (Vol. 45 page 7997) and transmitted to Congress on January 28, 1999 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 12-197, effective March 26, 1999.



LINDA W CROPP
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

Feb. 2,3,4,8,9,10,11,12,22,23,24,25

Mar. 1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,19,22,23,24,25

AN ACT
D.C. ACT 12-474

*Codification
District of
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1999 Supp.*

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

OCTOBER 8, 1998

To amend, on a temporary basis, the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1996 to provide for risk assessments and determinations of all offenders who are required to register under the Act so that appropriate notification to community entities, institutions, organizations, and members can be made; and to amend the Washington Convention Center Authority Act of 1994 to require that additional marketing service contracts be submitted to the Council.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Sex Offender Registration Risk Assessment Clarification and Convention Center Marketing Service Contracts Temporary Amendment Act of 1998".

Sec. 2. Section 18 of the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1996, effective June 3, 1997 (D.C. Law 11-274; D.C. Code § 24-1117), is amended by adding a new subsection (c) to read as follows:

*Note, Section
24-1117*

"(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of this act, and subject to the availability of funds, the Court may at any time:

"(1) Direct the Advisory Council to make an assessment and recommendation concerning any offender who is required to register under this act;

"(2) Order a mental examination of any offender who is required to register under this act, for the purpose of assessing risk under the provisions of this act; and

"(3) Make the determinations described in section 6(3)(D), in conformity with section 6(3)(A)-(C)."

Sec. 3. Section 208a of the Washington Convention Center Authority Act of 1994, effective August 12, 1998 (D.C. Law 12-142; to be codified at D.C. Code § 9-809.1), is amended by adding a new subsection (g) to read as follows:

*Note, Section
9-809.1*

"(g) Any marketing contracts that exceed the specified dollar amounts contained in section III.A.1 or section 3(a)(1) of the Washington Convention Center Contract Nos. 1-99, 2-99, 3-99, and 4-99, as approved by the Council, shall be submitted to the Council for a 60-day

period of review and approval. No additional marketing contracts shall be approved by the Authority without Council review and approval."

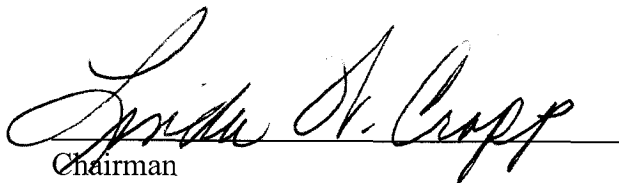
Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council expects the adoption of section 2 of this act to require the expenditure of funds for the mental health assessments which could vary from a few hundred to several thousand dollars per offender, for an estimated total of \$200,000 per year. Funding for the mental health aspect of this program is being contemplated through a reprogramming. In the meantime, and to the extent that funding is available, the Forensic Services Administration, Bureau of Legal Services will conduct court-ordered mental health evaluation of sex offenders although it will require additional time to complete them. Priority will be given to offenders who are released or will be released in the near future.

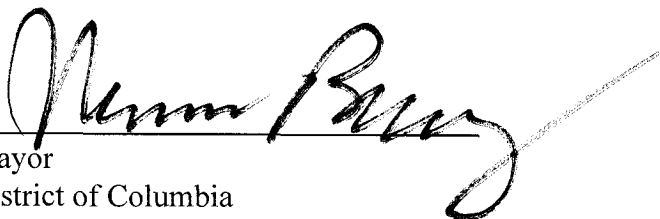
Sec. 5. Effective date.

(a) This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), approval by the Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority as provided in section 203(a) of the District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Act of 1995, approved April 17, 1995 (109 Stat. 116; D.C. Code § 47-392.3(a)), a 30-day period of Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code § 1-233(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.

(b) This act shall expire after 225 days of its having taken effect.



Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia



Mayor
District of Columbia

APPROVED: October 8, 1998



COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

COUNCIL PERIOD TWELVE

RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL VOTE

B12-699

Docket No. _____

ITEM ON CONSENT CALENDAR

ACTION & DATE

ADOPTED FIRST READING, 7-7-98

VOICE VOTE

APPROVED

RECORDED VOTE ON REQUEST

ABSENT

THOMAS

ROLL CALL VOTE - Result

Councilmember	Aye	Nay	NV	AB	Councilmember	Aye	Nay	NV	AB	Councilmember	Aye	Nay	NV	AB
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X - Indicates Vote

AB - Absent

NV - Present not Voting

CERTIFICATION RECORD

[Signature]
Secretary to the Council

September 24, 1998
Date

ITEM ON CONSENT CALENDAR

ACTION & DATE

ADOPTED FINAL READING, 9-22-98

VOICE VOTE

APPROVED

RECORDED VOTE ON REQUEST

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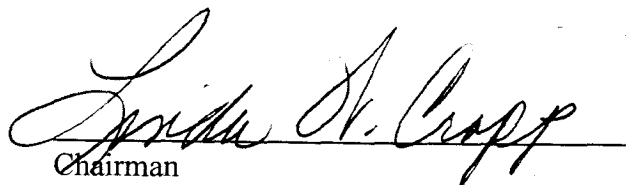
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