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COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

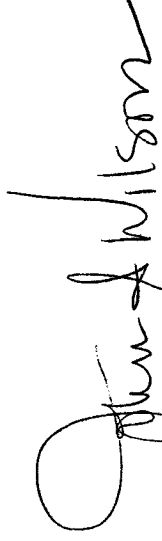
NOTICE

D.C. LAW 8-225

"District of Columbia Cancer Prevention Act of 1990".

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. 8-367 on first and second readings, December 4, 1990, and December 18, 1990, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on December 27, 1990, this legislation was assigned Act No. 8-308, published in the January 11, 1991, edition of the D.C. Register, (Vol. 38 page 217) and transmitted to Congress on January 14, 1991 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 8-225, effective March 7, 1991.

  
JOHN A. WILSON  
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

January 14,15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25,28,29,30,31

February 1,4,5,6,7,19,20,21,22,25,26,27,28

March 1,4,5,6

AN ACT

D.C. ACT 8-308

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DEC. 27, 1990

To provide insurance coverage for mammography examinations and cytologic screening.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "District of Columbia Cancer Prevention Act of 1990".

New  
section  
35-2401

Sec. 2. Definitions.

For the purposes of this act, the term:

- (1) "Baseline mammogram" means a screening mammogram that is used as a comparison for future examinations;
- (2) "Screening mammogram" means a low dose x-ray used to visualize the internal structure of the breast;
- (3) "Cytologic screening" means a pap test to detect cervical cancer through the simple microscopic examination of cells scraped from the surface of the cervix.
- (4) "Health insurance policy" means any health insurance policy that provides for the payment of indemnity on account of sickness and is offered by Group Hospitalization and Medical Service Incorporated, a health insurance company, a health self insured, an insurance purchasing trust, or any health maintenance organization that offers insurance benefits or health plans in the District of Columbia ("District"). The term "health insurance policy" shall not include a hospital indemnity policy, a disability insurance policy, an accident only policy, or a student accident policy.

Sec. 3. Payable Benefits.

New  
section  
35-2402

(a) Any individual or group health insurance policy or service, including Medicaid, shall provide health insurance benefits to cover:

- (1) A baseline mammogram for women; and
- (2) An annual screening mammogram for women.

(b) Any individual or group health insurance policy or service, including medicaid, shall provide health insurance benefits to cover:

(1) Annual cervical cytologic screening for women; and

(2) Cervical cytologic screening for women upon certification by an attending physician that the test is medically necessary.

(c) Benefits provided in accordance with this section shall not be subject to an annual or coinsurance deductible.

Sec. 4. Applicability.

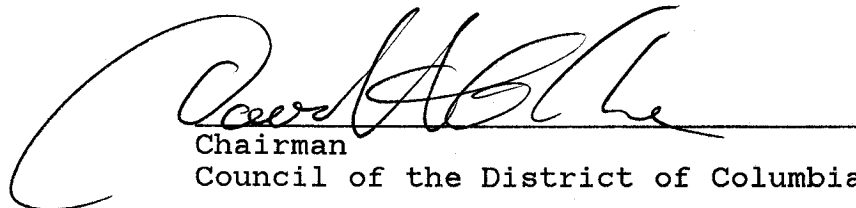
The requirements of this act shall apply:

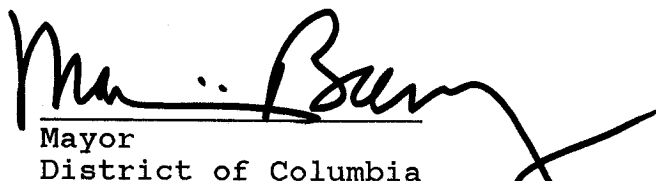
(1) To any insurance policy or subscriber contract delivered or issued for delivery in the District more than 120 days after the effective date of this act; and

(2) To any insurance policy or subscriber contract renewed, amended, or reissued 120 days after the effective date of this act.

New  
section  
35-2403

Sec. 5. 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, sec. 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, 1990



**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
**Council Period Eight**

**RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL VOTE**

DOCKET NO: B8-367

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION & DATE: Adopted First Reading, 12-04-90

VOICE VOTE: Approved

Recorded vote on request all present

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.
CHMN. CLARKE					MASON					THOMAS, SR.				
CRAWFORD					NATHANSON					WILSON				
JARVIS					RAY					WINTER				
KANE					ROLARK									
LIGHTFOOT					SMITH, JR.									

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

CERTIFICATION RECORD

Russell C. Smith  
 Secretary to the Council

21 December 1990  
 Date

Item on Consent Calendar

ACTION & DATE: Adopted Final Reading, 12-18-90

VOICE VOTE: Approved

Recorded vote on request \_\_\_\_\_

Absent: Wilson

ROLL CALL VOTE: — RESULT \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ )

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VOICE VOTE: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded vote on request \_\_\_\_\_

Absent: \_\_\_\_\_

ROLL CALL VOTE: — RESULT \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ )

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