Amendment in the Nature of a Substitution to Clerk Item 435-11

LOCAL LAW NO. 11 - 2011

A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND SUBDIVISION D OF SECTION 22-16 AND SUBDIVISION B OF SECTION 22-17 OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, IN RELATION TO INCREASING FEES FOR FINGERPRINTING EMPLOYEES.



Passed by the Nassau County Legislature on December 19, 2011 Voting: ayes: // nayes: & abstained: 0

Became a law on December 22, 2011 with the approvel of the County Executive.

WHEREAS, in 2003 the Legislature added subdivision d of section 22-16 of the Administrative Code to provide that a fee of \$12, or as otherwise determined by the processing agency, shall be charged each applicant for employment for fingerprinting conducted by the Nassau County Civil Service Commission; and

WHEREAS, in 2003 the Legislature added subdivision b of section 22-17 of the Administrative Code to provide that a fee of \$12, or as otherwise determined by the processing agency, shall be charged each applicant to provide services for fingerprinting conducted by the Nassau County Civil Service Department; and

WHEREAS, the change in economic realities since this legislation was enacted requires that these fees be raised to equal the fingerprint based background processing fees charged by the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), as applicable;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED by the County Legislature as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision d of Section 22-16 of the Nassau County Administrative Code, as amended by Local Law 14-2003, is amended to read as follows:

- (d) A fee equaling the fingerprint based background processing fees charged by the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), as applicable, shall be charged each applicant for fingerprinting conducted by the Nassau County Civil Service Commission pursuant to this section; provided however that such fee shall not be applicable to current employees required to submit to fingerprinting and individuals who are not protected by the Nassau County Living Wage Law as set forth in § 3(c) of Title 57 of the Miscellaneous Laws of Nassau County.
- § 2. Subdivision b of Section 22-17 of the Nassau County Administrative Code, as amended by Local Law 14-2003, is amended to read as follows:
- (b) A fee equaling the fingerprint based background processing fees charged by the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), as applicable, shall be charged each applicant for fingerprinting conducted by the Nassau County Civil Service Commission pursuant to this section, providing; however, that such fee shall not be applicable to current employees required to submit to fingerprinting and individuals who are not protected by the Nassau County Living Wage Law as set forth in § 3(c) of Title 57 of the Miscellaneous Laws of Nassau County.

§ 3. It is hereby determined, pursuant to the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, S N.Y.E.C.L. section 0101 et seq. and its implementing regulations, Part 617 of 6 N.Y.C.R.R., and Section 1611 of the County Government Law of Nassau County, that the adoption of this ordinance is a "Type II" Action within the meaning of Section 617.5(c)(20) and (27) of 6 N.Y.C.R.R., and, accordingly, is of a class of actions which do not have a significant effect on the environment; and no further review is required.

§ 4. This local law shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED

County Executive

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This amendment increases fingerprinting fees charged by the Nassau County Civil Service Commission to equal fingerprint based background processing fees charged by the New York State Department of Criminal Justice Services and the Federal Bureau of Investigation, as applicable, and exempts individuals who are not protected by the Nassau County Living Wage Law from paying such increased fees.

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