

ORDINANCE NO. _____

An ordinance amending Chapter 7A, “Anti-Litter Regulations,” of the Dallas City Code by amending Section 7A-2; providing a revised definition for “private premises”; providing a penalty not to exceed \$2,000; providing a saving clause; providing a severability clause; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DALLAS:

SECTION 1. That Paragraph (11) of Section 7A-2, “Definitions,” of Chapter 7A, “Anti-Litter Regulations,” of the Dallas City Code is amended to read as follows:

“(11) PRIVATE PREMISES. Any vacant land or dwelling, house, building, or other structure designed or used either wholly or in part for private residential, commercial, industrial, governmental, or non-profit purposes, whether inhabited or temporarily or continuously uninhabited or vacant, including any yard, grounds, walk, driveway, porch, steps, vestibule, parking lot, loading dock, or mailbox belonging or appurtenant to such dwelling, house, building, or other structure.”

SECTION 2. That a person violating a provision of this ordinance, upon conviction, is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$2,000.

SECTION 3. That Chapter 7A of the Dallas City Code shall remain in full force and effect, save and except as amended by this ordinance.

SECTION 4. That any act done or right vested or accrued, or any proceeding, suit, or prosecution had or commenced in any action before the amendment or repeal of any ordinance, or part thereof, shall not be affected or impaired by amendment or repeal of any ordinance, or part thereof, and shall be treated as still remaining in full force and effect for all intents and purposes as if the amended or repealed ordinance, or part thereof, had remained in force.

SECTION 5. That the terms and provisions of this ordinance are severable and are governed by Section 1-4 of Chapter 1 of the Dallas City Code, as amended.

SECTION 6. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Dallas, and it is accordingly so ordained.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

TAMMY L. PALOMINO, City Attorney

By _____
Assistant City Attorney

Passed _____