

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NOTICE

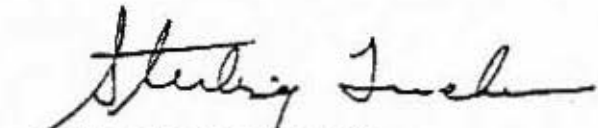
October 21, 1977

D. C. Law 2-26

"Poundmaster Fee Act of 1977"

Pursuant to Section 412 of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act (PL 93-198), the Act, the Council of the District of Columbia adopted Bill No. 2-33 on first and second readings June 14, 1977 and June 28, 1977, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on July 18, 1977, this legislation was assigned Act No. 2-60, published in the July 29, 1977, edition of the D. C. Register, and transmitted to both Houses of Congress 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 the following legislation as D. C. Law 2-26, effective October 7, 1977.


STERLING TUCKER
Chairman of the Council

(Vol. 24, D. C. Register, 918, July 29, 1977)

D.C. LAW

2-26

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

October 7, 1977

To increase the poundmaster's fee for the seizure and impoundment of dogs found running at large, and to reduce the tag tax for dogs purchased or reclaimed from the pound.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Poundmaster Fee Act of 1977".

Sec. 2. The act entitled "An Act to create a revenue in the District of Columbia by levying a tax upon all dogs therein, to make such dogs personal property, and for other purposes", approved June 19, 1878 (20 Stat. 173; D.C. Code, sec. 47-2001) is amended as follows:

(a) Section 1 (D.C. Code, sec. 47-2001) is amended to read as follows:

"(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, there shall be levied a tax of eight dollars (\$8) per annum upon each dog owned or kept in the District of Columbia; said tax to be collected as other taxes in the District of Columbia are or may be collected.

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"(b) In the case of a dog sold by the poundmaster to a person other than the owner of the dog, the tax imposed by subsection (a) of this section shall be three dollars (\$3) for the first year, and eight dollars (\$8) for each year thereafter."

(b) Section 3 (D.C. Code, sec. 47-2003) is amended as follows:

(1) by striking "two dollars" in the second clause and inserting in lieu thereof "five dollars (\$5)"; and

(2) by inserting immediately after "advisable;" in the second clause the following new clause:

"and if sold to a person other than the owner of such dog for other than medical research, by the payment of a fee of five dollars (\$5), and if sold for medical research purposes, by the payment of a fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25);".

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect pursuant to section 602(c) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act.

RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL ACTION (Page 2)

Docket No: 2-33

Presented to the Mayor: _____

Robert A. Wilson
Secretary to the Council

Action of the Mayor: 18 JUL 1977

☒ Approved: ☐ Disapproved:
☐ Disapproved in part -- *Reference
Documents:
*Budget Actions.

Marta Washington
Mayor of the District of Columbia

18 JUL 1977

☐ Remained Without Action

----- Executive Secretary, D. C.

Enacted without Mayor's Signature _____

----- Secretary to the Council

Council Reenactment: _____

☐ VOICE VOTE: _____

Secretary to the Council

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSENT	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSENT
TUCKER				MASON				SPATLING			
HARDY				MOORE, D.				WILSON			
BARRY				MOORE, L.				WINTER			
CLARKE				ROLAND							
DIXON				SHACKLETON							
Z. Chairman Vote A. Roll Call Vote M. Voice Vote											

Secretary to the Council

Presented to the President: _____

Secretary to the Council

Action of the President: _____

☐ Reenactment Approved

☐ Mayor's Veto Sustained

President of the U. S.

Submitted to the Congress: _____

Secretary to the Council

Senate Action:
Resolution Number: _____

House Action:
Resolution Number: _____

Secretary of the Senate

Clerk of the House

Enacted Without Congressional Action:

D. C. Law No. Effective Date

Secretary to the Council