COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NOTICE

D.C. LAW 4-9

"Metrobus Commercial Advertising Act of 1981".

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. 4-81 on first and second readings, March 24, 1981 and April 7, 1981, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on April 20, 1981, this legislation was assigned Act No. 4-21, published in the May 1, 1981 edition of the D.C. Register, (Vol. 28 page 1886) and transmitted to Congress on April 24, 1981 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 4-9, effective June 11, 1981.

ARRINGTON PIXON
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

April 27,28,29,30

May 1,4,5,6,7,8,11,12,13,14,15,18,19,20,21,27,28,29

June 1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10

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D.C. ACT 4 - 21

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

APR 2 0 1981

To permit commercial advertising on the side and rear exterior of Metropuses.

at IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

That this act may be cited as the "Matroous

Commercial Advertising Act of 1981".

Sec. 2. Section 1405.8 (Signs on Public Spaces) of the Second Amendment to the Building Code for the District of Columnia. (the "Building Lode") effective Saptember 21. 1977 (D.C. Law 2-18; title 54-1 DCRR) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

D. C. Municipal Pegula (D.C.M.R.)

#1405.8(1) Commercial Advertising on the Rear and Sides of Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) Metropus Public Transit Venicles. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 1405.8 of this Title or of any other lawerne sale and use of commercial revenue advertising space on the rear and side exteriors of Metropus ouplic transit vehicles under the control and operation of WMATA shall be permitted for such

venicles operating on public space within the District of Columbia: PROVIDEED. That:

- *(a) No advertisement shall be accepted by WMATA which violates O.C. Code, sections 28-3901 through 28-3908, any other District of Columbia law, or any federal law.
- "(b) The rear and side exterior

 advertising space on at least ten percant (10%) of

 the total number of Metropus vehicles available

 for public transit operations shall be reserved

 for free public service announcements and

 advertisements regarding community, art, cultural,

 aducational, and similar events.
- "(c) Side exterior advertising dimensions shall not exceed 30 inches by 144 inches. Rear exterior advertising shall not exceed 30 inches by 88 inches.".
- Sec. 3. This act shall take effect after a thirty (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 502(c)(1) of the District of Columbia to Governmental

Reorganization Act. approved December 24. 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code. sec. 1-147(c)(1)).

Chairman Council of the District of Columbia

District of Columnia

APPROVED: April 20, 1981

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