

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

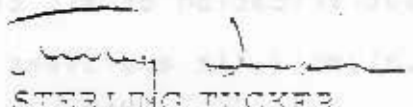
NOTICE

D.C. Law 2-106

"Robert J. Pierce Act of 1978"

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. 2-300, on first and second readings May 30, 1973 and June 13, 1973, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on July 5, 1973, this legislation was assigned Act No. 2-213, published in the August 11, 1973, 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 2-106, effective September 13, 1978.

  
STERLING TUCKER  
Chairman of the Council

(Vol. 23, No. 6, D.C. Register, 1333, August 11, 1973)

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2-102

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

September 13, 1978

To render payment to Robert J. Pierce for injuries which he received during the March 9, 1977, terrorist takeover of the District Building.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "Robert J. Pierce Act of 1978".

Sec. 2. The Mayor of the District of Columbia is hereby authorized and directed to pay, pursuant to appropriate appropriations, out of the general fund of the District of Columbia, to Robert J. Pierce of the District of Columbia, a sum not to exceed \$480,000.

(a) The payment of such sum shall be in full satisfaction of all claims against the District of Columbia, its employees and agents by Robert J. Pierce, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns arising out of the personal injuries sustained by him, due to extraordinary circumstances, on March 9, 1977.

(b) Robert J. Pierce was injured, while serving as a volunteer law student intern to the Council of the District of Columbia, during the terrorist takeover of the District Building. Such injuries left him partially paralyzed and permanently disabled.

(c) The receipt of any funds awarded pursuant to this act shall be disregarded in determining the eligibility and financial status of Robert J. Pierce for any public medical or rehabilitative services of the District of Columbia for which he would otherwise be entitled.

Sec. 3. Payment authorized by this legislation shall be in addition to services or benefits payment under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program.

Sec. 4. (3) No part of the payment made pursuant to this act in excess of ten per centum (10%) thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney for services rendered in connection with all claims against the District of Columbia described above. It shall be unlawful to exceed that per centum ceiling, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding.

(b) Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined any sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect as provided for acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 502(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act.

# RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL ACTION.

Docket No: Bill No. 2-300

First Reading Action: May 30, 1978

☒ VOICE VOTE: Adopted Unanimously (Iabs) Barry

*Robert T. Miller*  
Secretary to the Council

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.	COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.	COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.
TUCKER			MASON			SPATLING		
HARRY			MOORE, D.			WILSON		
BARRY			MOORE, J.			WINTER		
CLARKE			ROLAN					
DEON			SPACINETT					

Secretary to the Council

Amended First Reading Action: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ VOICE VOTE: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary to the Council

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.	COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.	COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.
TUCKER			MASON			SPATLING		
HARRY			MOORE, D.			WILSON		
BARRY			MOORE, J.			WINTER		
CLARKE			ROLAN					
DEON			SPACINETT					

Secretary to the Council

Final Reading or Emergency Action: June 13, 1978

☒ VOICE VOTE: Adopted Unanimously (Iabs) Barry, JMoore

*Robert T. Miller*  
Secretary to the Council

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.	COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.	COUNCIL MEMBER	ATT.	NOT ATT.
TUCKER			MASON			SPATLING		
HARRY			MOORE, D.			WILSON		
BARRY			MOORE, J.			WINTER		
CLARKE			ROLAN					
DEON			SPACINETT					

Secretary to the Council

# RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL ACTION (Page 2)

Docket No: 2-300

Presented to the Mayor: JUN 20 1973

JUN 5 1973

Action of the Mayor:

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

☐ Returned Without Action

Enacted without Mayor's Signature

Council Reenactment:

☐ VOICE VOTE:

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSEN.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSEN.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	ABSEN.
POWELL				MASON				SPAWGLING			
HARDY				MOORE, D.				WILSON			
BARRY				MOORE, J.				WINTER			
CLARKE				BOLASH							
DIXON				SHACKLETON							
*Indicates Vote    A. Enacted    N. Vetoed    F. Forfeited											

Presented to the President:

Action of the President:

☐ Reenactment Approved

☐ Mayor's Veto Sustained

Submitted to the Congress: JUL 14 1973

Senate Action:

Resolution Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary of the Senate

Enacted Without Congressional Action:

D.C. Law No. \_\_\_\_\_ Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary to the Council

Mayor of the District of Columbia

Executive Secretary, D.C.

Secretary to the Council

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President of the U. S.

Secretary to the Council

House Action:

Resolution Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the House

Secretary to the Council