

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NOTICE

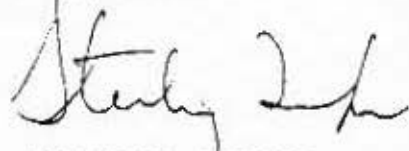
October 4, 1977

D.C LAW 2-15

"Charter Amendments Procedures 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. 2-94 on first and second readings April 5, 1977, and May 17, 1977, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on June 8, 1977, this legislation was assigned Act No. 2-44, published in the July 8, 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 2-15, effective September 20, 1977.



STERLING TUCKER
Chairman of the Council

D.C. LAW

2-15

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

September 20, 1977

To provide procedures for the conduct of an election to consider amendments to the Charter of the District of Columbia in November 1977 by the District of Columbia Board of Elections and Ethics.

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

Sec. 2. The District of Columbia Board of Elections and Ethics (hereinafter the "Board") is directed to place the two amendments to the Charter of the District of Columbia stated in section 2 of the Initiative, Referendum and Recall Charter Amendments Act of 1977 (Bill 2-2) before the registered qualified electors of the District of Columbia at the general election to be held in November 1977.

Sec. 3(a). The Board shall promulgate rules of general application, pursuant to the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act (82 Stat. 1204; D.C. Code sec. 1-1501 et seq.), for the conduct of the Charter amendment election provided in the Initiative, Referendum and Recall Charter Amendments Act of 1977 (Bill 2-2) which are not in conflict with any provisions of this act.

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(b) The Board shall promulgate the rules authorized by subsection (a) of this section so that they are effective as non-emergency rules before August 1, 1977.

(c) Before August 2, 1977 the Board shall propose a short title and summary of the proposed Charter amendments, which accurately reflect their meaning and intent, to be placed on the ballot.

(d) Any citizen of the District of Columbia may seek a writ in the nature of mandamus in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia before September 6, 1977 to correct any inaccurate short title and summary by the Board, of the amendment to be presented. That Court may direct and order a proper title and summary statement of the proposed Charter amendments to appear on the ballot.

Sec. 4. There are hereby authorized to be expended such funds from the general funds available to the government of the District of Columbia as are necessary to conduct the Charter amendments election as herein provided.

Sec. 5. This act shall become effective as provided for acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 602(c) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act.

Considered in Council

First Vote April 5, 1977

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
TUCKER					MASON					SPAULDING				
HARDY					MOORE, D.					WILSON				
BARRY					MOORE, J.					WINTER				
CLARKE					ROLARK									
DIXON					SHACKLETON									

X—Indicates Vote A. B.—Absent N. V.—Not Voting

/y/ VOICE VOTE:

4/5/77 Adopted Unanimously
(date) (vote result)

Robert Williams
(Secretary of the Council)

Final Vote in Council May 17, 1977

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
TUCKER					MASON					SPAULDING				
HARDY					MOORE, D.					WILSON				
BARRY					MOORE, J.					WINTER				
CLARKE					ROLARK									
DIXON					SHACKLETON									

X—Indicates Vote A. B.—Absent N. V.—Not Voting

/x/ VOICE VOTE:

5/17/77 Adopted Unanimously
(date) (vote result)

Robert Williams
(Secretary of the Council)

Presented to the Mayor MAY 24 1977

Mayor's Action:

Approved: ✓ 8 JUN 1977
Disapproved: _____

Robert Williams
(Secretary of the Council)

Robert Williams
(Mayor's Signature) 8 JUN 1977

Enacted without Mayor's Signature _____

(Secretary of the Council)