

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

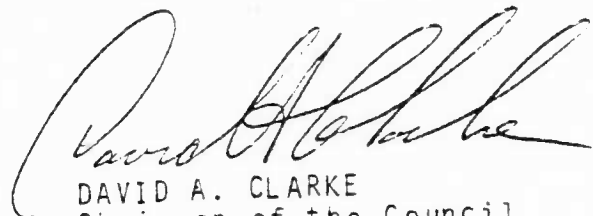
NOTICE

D.C. LAW 5-141

"Mandatory Mail Receptacle Act of 1984".

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. 5-13 on first and second readings, September 12, 1984 and October 9, 1984, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on October 25, 1984, this legislation was assigned Act No. 5-199, published in the November 16, 1984 edition of the D.C. Register, (Vol. 31 page 5757) and transmitted to Congress January 7, 1985 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 5-141, effective March 13, 1985.


DAVID A. CLARKE
Chairman of the Council

Dates Counted During the 30-day Congressional Review Period:

January	7, 22, 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31
February	1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28
March	1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12

D.C. ACT 5-199

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

OCT 25 1984

To amend the Housing Regulations to require owners of apartment houses to equip and maintain mail receptacles.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,
That this act may be cited as the "Mandatory Mail Receptacle Act of 1984".

Sec. 2. Section 1204 of the Housing Regulations (14 DCMR) is amended by adding a new subsection 1204.3 at the end thereof to read as follows:

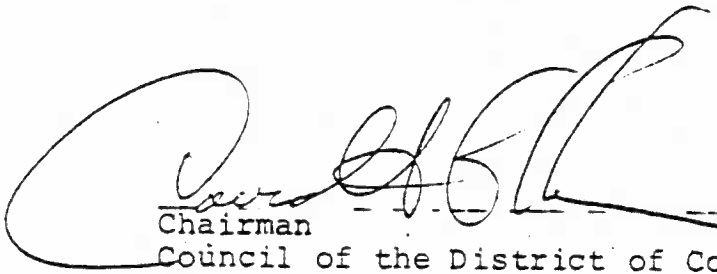
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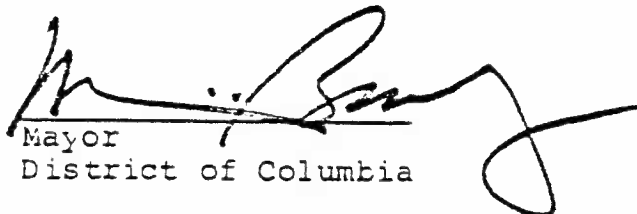
"1204.3 The owner of each apartment house shall maintain and provide the tenants of each apartment the use of a secure mail receptacle which has been approved by the United States Postal Service. Each receptacle, other than those in an apartment house that has 24-hour-a-day desk clerk service, is required to have a lock that will enable it to be secured and the owner shall provide each tenant with a key to the lock. Installation, security specifications, and maintenance of mail receptacles shall be consistent with the requirements of postal service laws and regulations. The owner shall be responsible for the proper installation of mail receptacles, and shall maintain the same in safe and good working condition. In the event of

disrepair, the owner shall have a reasonable time (not to exceed seven (7) working days) to repair mail receptacles."

Sec. 3. The owners of apartment houses, as defined by section 199 of the Housing Regulations (14 DCMR), shall comply with the provisions of this act within 120 days of the effective date of the Mandatory Mail Receptacle Emergency Act of 1984.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect after a 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 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Code, sec. 1-223(c)(1)).


Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia


Mayor
District of Columbia

APPROVED: October 25, 1984



COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Council Period Five — Second Session

RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL VOTE

DOCKET NO: B 5-13

☐ Item on Consent Calendar

☒ ACTION & DATE: Adopted First Reading, 9-12-84

☒ VOICE VOTE: Unanimous

Recorded vote on request

Absent: Spaulding, Shackleton and Crawford

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE: — RESULT () () () ()

COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
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CRAWFORD					RAY					WILSON				
JARVIS					ROLARK					WINTER				
KANE					SHACKLETON									
MASON					SMITH, JR.									

X — Indicates Vote

A.B. — Absent

N.V. — Present, not voting

CERTIFICATION RECORD

Russell Smith
Secretary to the Council

Oct 11, 1984
Date

☒ Item on Consent Calendar

☒ ACTION & DATE: Adopted Final Reading, 10-9-84

☒ VOICE VOTE: Unanimous

Recorded vote on request

Absent: all present

☐ ROLL CALL VOTE: — RESULT () () () ()

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