

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA


NOTICE

D. C. Law 2-97

"Amended Eligibility Requirements for AFDC  
by Reason of the Unemployment of the Father  
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. 2-254, on first and second readings May 2, 1978 and May 16, 1978, respectively. Following the signature of the Mayor on June 9, 1978, this legislation was assigned Act No. 2-202, published in the July 14, 1978, 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 2-97, effective August 12, 1978.

  
STERLING TUCKER  
Chairman of the Council

(Vol. 25, D. C. Register, 392, July 14, 1978)

D.C. LAW

2-97

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

August 12, 1978

To amend section 6 of District of Columbia Regulation 70-29,  
Establishing the Eligibility Requirement for Aid to  
Families with Dependent Children Program.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,  
That this act may be cited as the "Amended Eligibility  
Requirements for AFDC by Reason of the Unemployment of the  
Father Act of 1978".

Sec. 2. Section 6 of "Establishing the Eligibility  
Requirements for the Aid to Families with Dependent Children  
Program", effective July 9, 1970 (Regulation 70-29) is  
amended to read as follows:

"Section 6. (a) A dependent child of a needy  
family shall be eligible to receive AFDC by reason of the  
unemployment of his father if his father:

"(1)(A) is employed less than one hundred (100)  
hours a month, or (B) is employed more than one hundred  
(100) hours in a particular month, if his work is  
intermittent and the excess is temporary, as evidenced by  
his having worked less than one hundred (100) hours in each  
of the two (2) prior months and by the expectation that he

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will work less than one hundred (100) hours in the next month;

"(2) has been employed less than one hundred (100) hours a month for at least thirty (30) days prior to the receipt of AFDC;

"(3) has not refused, without good cause during such thirty (30) days, a bona fide offer of employment or training for employment;

"(4)(a) within one (1) year prior to applying for AFDC, either received unemployment compensation or would have been entitled thereto had he applied for such benefits or had the industry in which he was employed been covered under an unemployment compensation law, or (b) during any six (6) calendar-quarters in any thirteen (13) calendar-quarter period that ends within one (1) year prior to applying for AFDC, either (i) earned not less than fifty dollars (\$50) in each quarter, or (ii) participated in a community work and training program under section 409 of the Social Security Act or in the Work Incentive Program; and

"(5) has applied for and accepted any unemployment compensation to which he is entitled.

"(b) The father must be certified for participation in the work incentive program within thirty (30) days after receipt of the first AFDC payment.

"(c) The amount of AFDC assistance otherwise payable shall be reduced by the amount of any unemployment compensation the father receives concurrently under an unemployment compensation law."

Sec. 3. This act shall be effective following the period provided for Congressional review by section 502(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act.



# RECORD OF OFFICIAL COUNCIL ACTION (Page 1)

Docket No: Bill 2-254

Presented to the Mayor: MAY 26 1978

Robert A. Williams  
Secretary to the Council

Action of the Mayor: 8 JUN 1978

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

Robert A. Williams  
Mayor of the District of Columbia

☐ Returned 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	N.Y.	ALL	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.Y.	ALL	COUNCIL MEMBER	AYE	NAY	N.Y.	ALL
TUCKER					MASON					SPALDING				
HARDY					MOORE, D.					WILSON				
BARRY					MOORE, L.					WINTER				
CLARKE					ROLARK									
DEYON					SACKETT									
D-Continuing Vote A-Abstain N.Y.-Not Voting														

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