D.C. LAW 4-74

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN (EMT) RECERTIFICATION REGULATIONS AMENDMENTS ACT OF 1981

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

MARCH 16, 1982

To amend the recertification requirements for emergency medical technicians (EMT's) to conform to nationally recognized standards; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

That this act may be cited as the "District of Columbia Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Recertification Regulations Amendment Act of 1981".

Sec. 2. Amendment.

Section 6 of the Regulation to Establish Standards for Ambulances and Medical Personnel and to Provide for their Certification, enacted December 13, 1972 (Reg. No. 72-29; 19 DCR 450) is amended (1) by striking the last two (2) sentences of subparagraph (5), (2) by striking subparagraph (6), and (3) by adding to the end thereof the following new subparagraph to read as follows:

"(6) No Emergency Medical Technician's certificate shall be granted for more than two (2) years. The training and continuing education requirements between certification and recertification shall include: (A) Cardiopulmonary resuscitation ("C.P.R.") recertification and twenty-four (24) hours of continuing education within the first year, and (B) C.P.R. recertification, twenty-four (24) hours of continuing education, and a twenty-four (24)-hour refresher course within the second year. Recertification shall be granted only upon successful completion of a recertification examination approved by the Mayor.".

Sec. 3. Effective date.

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 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. 1-233(c)(1)).

Source

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. 4-322 on first, amended first and second readings, September 29, 1981, October 27, 1981 and November 10, 1981, respectively. Pollowing the signature of the Mayor on December 4, 1981, this legislation was assigned Act No. 4-121, published in the December

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 4-74, effective March 16, 1982.