Submitted by the County Executive and Introduced by

LOCAL LAW NO. 11-2012

A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND THE NASSAU COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE IN RELATION TO FALSE TRANSMISSIONS FROM AUTOMATIC ALARM SYSTEMS



Passed by the Nassau County Legislature on August 6, 2012 Voting: ayes: 10 nayes: 9 abstained: 0

Became a law on August 8, 2012 with the approvel of the Deputy County Executive acting on behalf of the County Executive

BE IT ENACTED by the County Legislature of the County of Nassau as follows:

- Section 1. Section 8-40.6(3) of the Nassau County Administrative Code, as last amended by local law 19-2010, is amended to read as follows:
 - 3. Upon receipt of a completed permit application form and a non-refundable permit fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for a residential premises or two hundred dollars (\$200.00) for commercial premises for a new permit and one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for residential premises or two hundred dollars (\$200) for commercial premises for a permit renewal, the Police Department shall issue an alarm permit to an applicant unless the applicant has,

- (a) Failed to pay any penalty assessed pursuant to subdivision two of section 8-40.10; or,
- (b) Had an alarm permit for any site revoked and the cause of such revocation has not been corrected.

Upon request by the alarm installation and/or monitoring company the Nassau County Police Department shall provide them with the valid permit number.

- § 2. Section 8-40.8(1) of the Nassau County Administrative Code, as last amended by local law 19-2010, is amended to read as follows:
 - 1. The holder of an alarm permit or the person in control of an alarm system shall be subject to warnings, penalties, and suspension or revocation of an alarm permit contingent upon the number of false alarm notifications transmitted from an alarm system within any one calendar year in accordance with the following graduated penalty schedule for each occurrence. More than one false alarm notification in any one day shall be counted as one (1) occurrence.

Category 1 Residential / Permit holder

- 1. Warning
- 2. Warning
- 3. \$100
- 4. \$150
- 5. \$200
- 6. \$250
- 7. \$300
- 8. \$350 9. \$450
- 10. \$500

Category 2	Residential /	non-permit holder
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- 1. \$150
- 2. \$150
- \$250 3.
- 4. \$250
- 5. \$300
- \$350 6.
- 7. \$400
- 8. \$500

Category 3 Commercial / permit holder

- Warning 1.
- Warning 2.
- \$150 3.
- 4. \$200
- 5. \$250
- \$500 6.
- 7. \$500
- 8. \$500
- 9. \$500
- 10. \$500

Category 4 Commercial / non-permit holder

- \$200 1.
- 2. \$250
- 3. \$300
- 4. \$300
- 5. \$500
- \$550 6.
- 7. \$600
- 8. \$650
- 9. \$750

Severability. If any clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section, or § 3. part of this law or the application thereof to any person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance shall be adjudged by any court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid or unconstitutional, such order or judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined in its operation to the clause, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, section or part of this law, or in its application to the person, individual, corporation, firm, partnership, entity, or circumstance directly involved in the controversy in which such order or judgment shall be rendered.

§ 4. It is hereby determined, pursuant to the provisions of the State Environmental Quality Review Act, 8 N.Y.E.C.L. section 0101 et seq. and its implementing regulations, Part 617 of 6 N.Y.C.R.R., and Section 1611 of the County Government Law of Nassau County, that the adoption of this local law is a "Type II" Action within the meaning of Section 617.5(c)(20) and (27) of 6 N.Y.C.R.R., and, accordingly, is of a class of actions which do not have a significant effect on the environment; and no further review is required.

§ 5. This local law shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED

County Executive

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