

Ordinance No. 1007

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 17-8, Section 17-14, Section 17-16, Article I, Section 17-48, Article II, Section 17-74, Section 17-75, Section 17-76, and Section 17-83, Article III, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, which Section 17-8 relates to QUARTERLY PAYMENTS OF TAXES, which Section 17-14 relates to PRORATION, which Section 17-16 relates to TRANSFER, which Article I relates to LICENSES IN GENERAL, which Section 17-48 relates to MERCHANTS PLACING VENDING MACHINES, which Article II relates to REGULATORY LICENSES, which Section 17-74 relates to PROFESSIONAL OCCUPATIONS AND BUSINESSES, which Section 17-75 relates to PERSONAL SERVICES, which Section 17-76 relates to BUSINESS SERVICES AND OCCUPATIONS, which Section 17-83 relates to AMUSEMENTS AND ENTERTAINMENTS, which Article III relates to NONREGULATORY LICENSES, and which Chapter 17 relates to LICENSES and LICENSE TAXES GENERALLY.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 17-8, Article I, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 17-8 PARTIAL PAYMENT WHEN TAX IS BASED ON GROSS RECEIPTS

In all cases where a license tax is based in whole or in part upon gross receipts, and the tax on such gross receipts is equal to or exceeds the sum of two hundred dollars, exclusive of any and all other types of tax, the tax may be paid in four equal installments during the license year, the first payment to be made on or before January thirty-first, the second on or before May first, the third on or before August first, and the fourth on or before November first.

Upon default being made in the payment of any installment when it becomes due, the amount of such installment shall be delinquent as of that date. There is hereby imposed a handling charge of two dollars on each payment made in installments.

Section 2. That Section 17-14, Article I, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding a new paragraph thereto to read as follows:

There shall be no prorating of any license of five dollars or less.

Section 3. That Section 17-16, Article I, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding a new paragraph thereto to read as follows:

No license issued in connection with alcoholic beverages, regardless of amount of alcohol content, shall be transferable.

Section 4. That Article II, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding a new section thereto numbered Section 17-48 to read as follows:

SEC. 17-48 SAME—MERCHANTS PLACING VENDING MACHINES

Every person engaged in the business of selling goods, wares and merchandise in the City through the use of coin-operated vending machines and who gives the required bond and receives a state license under the provisions of Sections 58-362 to 58-369.1, Code of Virginia, 1950, shall pay for the privilege of doing business in the City an annual license tax of \$25.00 plus \$0.29 for each \$100.00 of the gross receipts in excess of \$8,620.00 taken through such vending machines.

The license taxes imposed by this section shall be in lieu of any specific City license tax on the individual machines so used.

This section shall not apply to any vending machine upon which the license tax has been paid under the provisions of Section 17-46 of this chapter.

Section 5. That Section 17-74, Article III, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding new classifications thereto to read as follows:

- Pathologists
- Medical laboratory
- Dental laboratory

Section 6. That Section 17-75, Article III, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding new classifications thereto to read as follows:

- Motels
- Motor hotels
- Sale of money orders

Section 7. That Section 17-76, Article III, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding a new classification thereto to read as follows:

- Tree trimming, removal or surgery

Section 8. That Section 17-83, Article III, Chapter 17 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding a new classification thereto to read as follows:

- Swimming pools or swimming clubs

Section 9. That this ordinance shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City not later than five days following its introduction together with a notice containing the time and place for a public hearing. The Clerk of the Council shall note the date of introduction and first reading, the date of publication, the date of the public hearing, and the date of the second reading and final passage in the minutes of the meeting. This ordinance shall become effective January 1, 1959.

LEROY S. BENDHEIM
Mayor