

Ordinance No. 1210

AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain Section 12-44, Article III, Chapter 12 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended; which Chapter 12 relates to FIRE PREVENTION, which Article III relates to PYROTECHNICS AND SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION and which Section 12-44 relates to MANUFACTURE OF SMALL ARMS AMMUNITION.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 12-44, Article III, Chapter 12 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended and reordained to read as follows:

Sec. 12-44. Same—Manufacture.

No person shall manufacture within the limits of the City any small arms ammunition. This shall not be construed as prohibiting the hand-loading of small arms ammunition for private use and not for resale. This also shall not be construed as prohibiting machine rebulleting of small arms ammunition for private use or resale, provided any such rebulleting:

- (a) is confined to the removal and replacement of small arms projectiles only with no change or recharge of powder or propellants;
- (b) does not process incendiary proximity or time fuze projectiles;
- (c) does not permit more than five pounds of free propellant in the rebulleting machine at any time;
- (d) is conducted in an area closed off with reinforced concrete walls or concrete block walls, protected with asbestos sheets or a similar substance approved by the Fire Department; and
- (e) is protected by deluge and other fire prevention or extinguishing equipment approved by the Fire Department.

Section 2. 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 hearing. This ordinance shall become effective the date of its final passage.

FRANK E. MANN
Mayor

Final Passage: June 11, 1963