

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE to amend and reordain subsection (f) of Section 5 of a City of Alexandria ordinance numbered 1704; which ordinance was finally passed May 4, 1971 and relates to MAKING PROVISIONS FOR IMPOSING AND COLLECTING TAXES ON PERSONS AND PROPERTY, REAL AND PERSONAL, WITHIN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1971, AND THE SUPPORT OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT FOR THE PAYMENT OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST OF THE CITY DEBT, AND FOR OTHER MUNICIPAL EXPENSES AND PURPOSES, which Section 5 relates to IMPOSING AND COLLECTING THE TAX ON MOTOR VEHICLES, BOATS AND TRAILERS, and which subsection (f) relates to FILING OF RETURNS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES, BOATS OR TRAILERS.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That subsection (f) of Section 5 of a City of Alexandria ordinance numbered 1704, finally passed May 4, 1971, be and the same hereby is amended and reordained to read as follows:

(f) The owner or holder of any motor vehicle, boat or trailer subject to taxation under subsection (a) shall file on or before May 1, 1971, a schedule listing such property with the commissioner of revenue on forms to be furnished by such commissioner. With respect to any motor vehicle, boat or trailer which becomes owned or held by a resident or citizen of the City or located within the territorial boundaries of the City or otherwise acquires a situs in the City after the first day of January, 1971, the owner of such property shall file a schedule listing such property with the commissioner of revenue within thirty (30) days after the property has become subject to taxation under the provision of this section; provided, however, that for the calendar year 1971 with respect to any motor vehicle, boat or trailer which becomes so owned, held, located or situated in the City after the first day of January 1971 and on or before June 1, 1971 the owner of such property shall file a schedule listing such property with the commissioner of revenue * on or before July 1, 1971.

Section 2. That in the opinion of Council an emergency exists and this is declared an EMERGENCY ORDINANCE because the City needs additional time to properly notify the citizens of the requirements of the prorated personal property tax ordinance in order to avoid excessive penalty charges and to implement the new type of return required by the ordinance.

Section 3. That this EMERGENCY ORDINANCE shall not be published. The clerk of the council shall note the date of introduction and first reading, 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 the moment of its final passage.

Charles E. Beatley, Jr.
Mayor

FINAL PASSAGE: MAY 25, 1971

N.B. Underscoring is not part of the ordinance but merely denotes new or changed material; asterisk denotes deletion.