

Ordinance No. 1178

AN ORDINANCE to amend Article VII of Chapter 17 of the Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended, by adding thereto a new section numbered 17-114.1, which new Section 17-114.1 relates to PROVISION APPLICABLE TO GAS SERVICE, which said Article VII relates to THE IMPOSING AND LEVYING OF A TAX ON PERSONS PURCHASING CERTAIN UTILITY SERVICES, THE DEFINING OF CERTAIN TERMS, THE FIXING OF THE AMOUNT OF THE TAX, THE PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION THEREOF, AND THE PRESCRIBING OF PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS, AND which said Chapter 17 relates to LICENSES.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Article VII of Chapter 17 of the Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1953, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding thereto a new section numbered Sec. 17-114.1 to read as follows:

Sec. 17-114.1. PROVISION APPLICABLE TO GAS SERVICE.

There is excluded from the tax imposed by this Article so much of the charge (exclusive of any Federal or State tax thereon) made by a seller of gas service against any purchaser who uses gas for space heating from a main or centrally installed unit or units, as is in excess of Five Dollars (\$5.00) for any month or portion of a month; provided, however, that in the case of any apartment house or other multiple family dwelling using gas for space heating from a main or centrally installed unit or units wherein such gas service is furnished through a master meter or master meters, the said sum of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be multiplied by the number of dwelling units served by or through said master meter or master meters.

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 meeting. This ordinance shall be retroactive to and shall take effect from July 1, 1962.

FRANK E. MANN
Mayor

Final Passage: July 24, 1962