

## The New York City Council

## Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: Int 1321-2016 Version: A Name: Nuisance Abatement Fairness Act - Requiring a

police or peace officer to personally witness a drug

violation to file an action under the nuisance

abatement law.

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Title: A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring a police

or peace officer to personally witness a drug violation to file an action under the nuisance abatement

law

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| 10/27/2016 | *    | City Council               | Introduced by Council       |        |
| 10/27/2016 | *    | City Council               | Referred to Comm by Council |        |
| 11/2/2016  | *    | Committee on Public Safety | Laid Over by Committee      |        |
| 11/2/2016  | *    | Committee on Public Safety | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 2/14/2017  | Α    | Committee on Public Safety | Approved by Committee       | Pass   |
| 2/14/2017  | *    | Committee on Public Safety | Hearing Held by Committee   |        |
| 2/14/2017  | *    | Committee on Public Safety | Amendment Proposed by Comm  |        |
| 2/14/2017  | *    | Committee on Public Safety | Amended by Committee        |        |
| 2/15/2017  | Α    | City Council               | Approved by Council         | Pass   |
| 2/15/2017  | Α    | City Council               | Sent to Mayor by Council    |        |
| 3/18/2017  | Α    | Administration             | City Charter Rule Adopted   |        |

Int. No. 1321-A

By Council Members Johnson, The Speaker (Council Member Mark-Viverito), Salamanca, Gibson, Palma, Menchaca and Levin

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring a police or peace officer to personally witness a drug violation to file an action under the nuisance abatement law

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Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision (g) of section 7-703 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as

amended by a local law for the year 2017 amending the administrative code of the city of New York relating to

excluding certain violations involving possession of a controlled substance or marihuana from the nuisance

abatement law, as proposed in introduction number 1317-A, is amended to read as follows:

(g) Any building, erection or place, including one- or two-family dwellings, wherein, within the period

of one year prior to the commencement of an action under this chapter, there have occurred three or more

violations of one or any combination of the provisions of penal law article 220, except for section 220.03;

article 221, except for sections 221.05, 221.10, 221.15, 221.35, and 221.40; or article 225; or section 10-203 of

this code; provided that at least one such violation was personally witnessed by a police or peace officer;

§ 2. This local law takes effect on the same date that a local law for the year 2017 amending the

administrative code of the city of New York relating to excluding certain violations involving possession of a

controlled substance or marihuana from the nuisance abatement law, as proposed in introduction number 1317-

A, takes effect.

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