

## The New York City Council

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system backups

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2/25/2019	*	Committee on Environmental Protection	Amendment Proposed by Comm	
2/25/2019	*	Committee on Environmental Protection	Amended by Committee	
2/25/2019	Α	Committee on Environmental Protection	Approved by Committee	Pass
2/28/2019	Α	City Council	Approved by Council	Pass
2/28/2019	Α	City Council	Sent to Mayor by Council	
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Int. No. 424-A

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Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. The administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 24-

503.1 to read as follows:

§ 24-503.1 Confirmed sewer backups. a. As used in this section, the following terms have the following

meanings:

Confirmed sewer backup. The term "confirmed sewer backup" means a sewer backup complaint that,

upon field investigation by the department, is confirmed to be associated with a condition in a sewer system.

Such conditions may include surcharging, temporary overtaxing, blockages, or collapses.

Sewer system. The term "sewer system" means all sewers, drains, pipes and appurtenances used to

convey sewage and under the jurisdiction of the commissioner of environmental protection.

b. Where a confirmed sewer backup occurs, the commissioner shall ensure that the sewer segment

causing the confirmed sewer backup is identified, inspected, and cleaned as necessary within 10 calendar days

of such confirmation.

§2. This local law takes effect immediately.

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