

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FINANCE DIVISION

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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Proposed Intro. No: 803-A

**COMMITTEE:** Fire and Criminal Justice

Services

**TITLE:** To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the Department of Correction to make its electronic database of people buried at Hart's Island, since 1977, available on its website.

SPONSOR(S): By Council Members Crowley, Oddo, Vacca, Lander, Cabrera, Dromm, Eugene, Ferreras, James, Koo, Koppell, Koslowitz, Levin, Palma, Rose, Williams, Wills, Weprin, Mendez, Mark-Viverito, Jackson, Rodriguez, and Halloran.

**SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION:** Proposed Int. No. 803-A would amend the administrative code of the city of New York to require the Department of Correction ("DOC") to make its electronic database of people buried at Hart's Island, since 1977, available on its website.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** This local law shall take effect thirty days after it shall have been enacted into law.

FISCAL YEAR IN WHICH FULL FISCAL IMPACT ANTICIPATED: Fiscal 2014

## FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

	Effective FY14	FY Succeeding Effective FY15	Full Fiscal Impact FY14
Revenues	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>
Expenditures	\$0	\$0	<b>\$0</b>
Net	\$0	<b>\$0</b>	\$0

**IMPACT ON REVENUES:** There would be no impact on revenues from the enactment of this legislation.

**IMPACT ON EXPENDITURES:** The Department of Correction is already in compliance with the mandates of this legislation. Subsequent to the introduction of Proposed Int. No. 803-A, DOC completed an electronic database of people buried on Hart's Island since 1977 and posted the database on its website. Proposed Int. No.803-A would codify the requirement, and thus ensure that DOC continues to post and maintain its electronic burial database on its website. Adoption of Proposed Int. 803-A would not impact expenditures.

SOURCE OF FUNDS TO COVER ESTIMATED COSTS: NA

**SOURCE OF INFORMATION:** The New York City Department of Correction.

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**LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:** On March 14, 2012, Intro. 803 was introduced by the Council and referred to the Committee on Fire and Criminal Justice Services. On September 27, 2012 the Committee held a hearing regarding this legislation, which was then laid over and subsequently amended. The Committee will consider an amended version of the legislation, Proposed Intro. 803-A. on December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013. Following a successful Committee vote, on December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013, the City Council will vote on Proposed Int. 803-A.

**DATE SUBMITTED TO COUNCIL:** March 14, 2012.

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