

**LOCAL LAWS
OF
THE CITY OF NEW YORK
FOR THE YEAR 2025**

No. 76

Introduced by Council Members Restler, Gutiérrez, Banks and Mealy.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the New York city charter, in relation to communications in adjudicative proceedings by certain public servants

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Paragraph 3 of subdivision d of section 2604 of the New York city charter, as amended by a vote of the electors on November 5, 2019, is amended to read as follows:

3. The prohibitions set forth in [subparagraphs (a), (b) and (c) of] paragraph 2 of this subdivision shall not be deemed to prohibit a former public servant from making communications with the agency served by the public servant, or with any agency in the branch of city government [served by the public servant], as applicable, which are incidental to an otherwise permitted appearance in an adjudicative proceeding before another agency or body, or a court, unless the proceeding was pending in the agency served during the period of the public servant's service with such agency or in any agency in the branch of city government served during the period of the public servant's service, as applicable.

§ 2. This local law takes effect immediately and is retroactive to and deemed to have been in effect on the same date that local law 11 for the year 2025 took effect.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, s.s.:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a local law of The City of New York, passed by the Council on April 24, 2025 and returned unsigned by the Mayor on May 27, 2025.

MICHAEL M. McSWEENEY, City Clerk, Clerk of the Council.

CERTIFICATION OF CORPORATION COUNSEL

I hereby certify that the form of the enclosed local law (Local Law No. 76 of 2025, Council Preconsidered Int. No. 1263-A of 2025) to be filed with the Secretary of State contains the correct text of the local law passed by the New York City Council, presented to the Mayor, and neither approved nor disapproved within thirty days thereafter.

SPENCER FISHER, Acting Corporation Counsel.