

The New York City Council

*City Hall
New York, NY 10007*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, September 16, 2015

2:00 PM

250 Broadway - Committee Rm, 16th Fl.

Committee on Fire and Criminal Justice Services

*Elizabeth S. Crowley, Chair
Members: Mathieu Eugene, Fernando Cabrera,
Rory I. Lancman and Paul A. Vallone*

Roll Call

Present: Crowley, Eugene, Cabrera, Lancman and Vallone

Other Council Members Attending: Barron, Garodnick and Rosenthal

Int 0643-2015

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of correction to provide reports regarding the number of inmates who are on waiting lists for placement in or transfer to alternative housing

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 643, Int. No. 643 - 2/12/15, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, Proposed Int. No. 643-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

Proposed Int. No. 643-A

This Introduction was Hearing Held by Committee

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A motion was made that this Introduction be Approved by Committee approved by Roll Call.

Affirmative: 5 - Crowley, Eugene, Cabrera, Lancman and Vallone

Int 0706-2015

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the commissioner of the department of correction to post a quarterly report regarding the visitation of incarcerated individuals.

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 706, Int. No. 706 - 3/11/15, March 11, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, Proposed Int. No. 706-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

Proposed Int. No. 706-A

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Int 0706-2015-A

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Int 0753-2015

A Local Law to amend New York city charter, in relation to renaming the office of the criminal justice coordinator as the office of criminal justice, and the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the office of criminal justice to post on the office's website an annual report regarding bail and the criminal justice system.

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 753, Int. No. 753 - 4/16/15, April 16, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, Proposed Int. No. 753-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

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Int 0758-2015 **A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the commissioner of the department of correction to post a quarterly report regarding the department's grievance system.**

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 758, Int. No. 758 - 4/28/15, April 28, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, Proposed Int. No. 758-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

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Int 0766-2015

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of correction to post a quarterly report on the population demographics of the city's jails.

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 766, Int. No. 766 - 4/28/15, April 28, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, Proposed Int. No. 766-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

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Int 0767-2015

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the publication of the department of correction's policies on the use of force.

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 767, Int. No. 767 - 4/28/15, April 28, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, Proposed Int. No. 767-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

Proposed Int. No. 767-A

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Int 0768-2015 A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring the department of correction to report on enhanced supervision housing

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Proposed Int. No. 768-A

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Int 0784-2015

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the creation of an inmate bill of rights.

Attachments: Summary of Int. No. 784, Int. No. 784 - 5/14/15, Committee Report 5/6/15, Hearing Testimony 5/6/15, Hearing Transcript 5/6/15, May 14, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files, Proposed Int. No. 784-A - 9/16/15, Committee Report 9/16/15, Hearing Transcript 9/16/15, September 17, 2015 - Stated Meeting Agenda with Links to Files

Proposed Int. No. 784-A

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