LOCAL LAWS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 2017

No. 172

Introduced by Council Members Cabrera, Salamanca, Cornegy, Grodenchik, Barron, Kallos and Rosenthal.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to clarifying who can visit youth in secure detention facilities

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 9 of title 21 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 21-911 to read as follows:

§ 21-911 Secure detention facility visitors. ACS shall permit youth in secure detention facilities to receive visitors including, but not limited to, a coach, teacher, clergyperson or other appropriate adult, except when the facility director determines that such visits are detrimental to the youth, or that the visitors refused to comply with rules governing visitation, or the visit would not be consistent with public safety.

§2. This local law takes effect 90 days after it becomes law.

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 August 24, 2017 and approved by the Mayor on September 8, 2017.

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. 172 of 2017, Council Int. No. 1451-A of 2017) to be filed with the Secretary of State contains the correct text of the local law passed by the New York City Council and approved by the Mayor.

STEPHEN LOUIS, Acting Corporation Counsel.