LOCAL LAWS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 2024

No. 30

Introduced by Council Members Brooks-Powers, Louis, Farías, Brewer, Velázquez, Dinowitz, Barron, Richardson Jordan, Krishnan, Williams, Ung, Feliz, Narcisse, Rivera, Bottcher, Riley, Sanchez, Cabán and Won.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to providing information on the reduced fare programs to persons issued a summons for fare evasion

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 1 of title 14 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding

a new section 14-172.1 to read as follows:

§ 14-172.1 Information on reduced fare program.

a. Definitions. As used in this section, the following terms have the following meanings:

Fare evasion. The term "fare evasion" means a violation of subdivision 3 of section 165.15 of the penal

law occurring in a subway station, bus or other facility or conveyance operated by the transit authority, or

a violation of section 1050.4 of title 21 of the New York codes, rules and regulations.

Reduced fare program. The term "reduced fare program" means the program established pursuant to chapter 12 of title 68 of the rules of the city of New York to provide a discount on designated city transit options, including subway or bus service.

Transit authority. The term "transit authority" means the New York city transit authority.

b. The department shall, on a monthly basis, transmit to the human resources administration/department of social services the name and address of any natural person issued a summons for fare evasion during the preceding quarter.

c. The human resources administration/department of social services shall develop informational materials on the reduced fare program, and shall distribute such materials to any natural person whose name and address is transmitted to the human resources administration/department of social services pursuant to subdivision b provided that such person has not previously been provided with such materials pursuant to this section Such materials shall include, but need not be limited to:

- 1. The eligibility criteria for the reduced fare program;
- 2. The amount of any discount provided by such program; and
- 3. The application procedures for such program.
- § 2. This local law takes effect 120 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 December 20, 2023 and returned unsigned by the Mayor on January 19, 2024.

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. 30 of 2024, Council Int. No. 1011-A of 2023) 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.