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

No. 157

Introduced by Council Members Reynoso, Chin, Espinal, Johnson, Kallos, Levin, Levine, Menchaca, Mendez, Rosenthal, Gentile, Koslowitz, Rose, Lander, Lancman, Rodriguez, Garodnick, Miller, Richards, Van Bramer, Perkins, Williams, Torres, Vacca, Dromm, Maisel, Cornegy, Ferreras-Copeland, Salamanca, Cohen and Vallone.

A LOCAL LAW

To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to increasing the penalties for a violation of a stop work order

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Section 28-207.2.6 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as amended

by local law number 141 for the year 2013, is amended to read as follows:

§ 28-207.2.6 Penalties. In addition to the penalties provided for in this chapter, any person who fails to comply with a stop work order shall be liable for a civil penalty in the amount of [five thousand dollars] \$6,000 for the initial violation and [ten thousand dollars] \$12,000 for every subsequent violation, to be paid to the department prior to the rescission of the stop work order; provided, however, this shall not apply to any work performed to remedy an unsafe or hazardous condition as authorized by order of the commissioner.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 120 days after it becomes law, except that the commissioner of

buildings may take such measures as are necessary for its implementation, including the

promulgation of rules, before such effective date.

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 9, 2017 and approved by the Mayor on August 30, 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. 157 of 2017, Council Int. No. 940-A of 2015) 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.