

**LOCAL LAWS  
OF  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK  
FOR THE YEAR 2020**

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**No. 119**

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Introduced by Council Members Powers, Rosenthal, Kallos, Adams, Chin, Menchaca, Ayala, Barron, Louis, Rivera and the Public Advocate (Mr. Williams).

**A LOCAL LAW**

**To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to the prohibition against discrimination in housing accommodations based on lawful source of income**

*Be it enacted by the Council as follows:*

Section 1. The definition of “lawful source of income” in section 8-102 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as added by local law 63 for the year 2018, is amended to read as follows:

Lawful source of income. The term "lawful source of income" [includes income derived from social security, or any form of federal, state or local public assistance or housing assistance including section 8 vouchers.] *includes, but is not limited to, child support, alimony, foster care subsidies, income derived from social security, or any form of federal, state, or local public assistance or housing assistance including, but not limited to, section 8 vouchers, whether or not such income or credit is paid or attributed directly to a landlord.*

§ 2. Paragraph (o) of subdivision 5 of section 8-107 of the administrative code of the city of New York is REPEALED.

§ 3. 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 October 29, 2020 and approved by the Mayor on November 17, 2020.

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. 119 of 2020, Council Int. No. 2082-A of 2020) 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.