

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

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**No. 60**

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Introduced by Council Members Borelli, Ariola, Riley, Schulman, Yeger, Farías, Rivera, Gennaro, Hanks, Brooks-Powers, Narcisse, Lee and Paladino.

**A LOCAL LAW**

**To amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to requiring provision of body armor to fire department employees within the bureau of emergency medical services providing emergency medical services**

*Be it enacted by the Council as follows:*

Section 1. Chapter 1 of title 15 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 15-148 to read as follows:

*§ 15-148 Provision of body armor. a. The commissioner shall provide body armor to all employees of the department within the bureau of emergency medical services who provide emergency medical services. Such body armor shall be of the type that the commissioner determines would be most suitable for the protection of such employees, and shall meet ballistic and stab resistance standards of the national institute of justice or any successor standards.*

*b. No employee of the department shall be permitted to retain or use the body armor provided pursuant to subdivision a of this section after leaving the employment of the department or moving to a position that does not involve the provision of emergency medical services.*

§ 2. This local law takes effect immediately.

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 April 11, 2024 and approved by the Mayor on May 1, 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. 60 of 2024, Council Int. No. 126-A of 2024) 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.

MARTHA MANN ALFARO, Acting Corporation Counsel.