

# **The New York City Council**

*City Hall  
New York, NY 10007*



## **Meeting Minutes**

**Thursday, November 2, 2023**

**10:30 AM**

**VOTE**

**Council Chambers - City Hall**

### **Committee on Small Business**

*Julie Menin, Chair*

*Members: Selvena N. Brooks-Powers, Tiffany Cabán, Shekar Krishnan,  
Darlene Mealy, Sandra Ung and Marjorie Velázquez*

## Roll Call

**Present:** Menin, Brooks-Powers, Cabán, Krishnan, Mealy, Ung and Velázquez

## Int 0845-2022

**A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to reducing penalties, allowing opportunities to cure for certain violations, and eliminating certain requirements for commercial establishments; to repeal subchapters 6, 9, 12, and 15 of chapter 5 of title 20 of such code, relating to availability for sale of advertised merchandise, sale of travel tickets, delayed payment transactions billing practices, and disclosure of information by child care facilities, respectively; to repeal the row that begins 24-237(c) in table I in paragraph 5 of subdivision (b) of section 24-257 of such code, relating to penalties for operation of a steam whistle; and to make other technical changes in relation thereto**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 845-A, Memorandum In Support, Int. No. 845, December 7, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 12-7-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - December 7, 2022, Committee Report 4/12/23, Hearing Testimony 4/12/23, Hearing Transcript 4/12/23, Proposed Int. No. 845-A - 10/26/23, Committee Report 11/2/23, Hearing Transcript 11/2/23, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, November 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 845-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement

*Proposed Int. No. 845-A*

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**A motion was made that this Introduction be Approved by Committee approved by Roll Call.**

**Affirmative:** 7 - Menin, Brooks-Powers, Cabán, Krishnan, Mealy, Ung and Velázquez

**Int 1083-2023**      **A Local Law to amend the New York city charter, in relation to the establishment of the office of nightlife**

**Attachments:** Summary of Int. No. 1083-A, Summary of Int. No. 1083, Int. No. 1083, June 8, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-8-23, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 8, 2023, Committee Report 9/26/23, Hearing Testimony 9/26/23, Hearing Transcript 9/26/23, Proposed Int. No. 1083-A - 10/26/23, Committee Report 11/2/23, Hearing Transcript 11/2/23, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, November 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Int. No. 1083-A (FINAL), Fiscal Impact Statement

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Res 0243-2022

**Resolution calling upon the New York State Legislature to pass, and the Governor to sign, S.5256/A.7196, to prohibit the use of a confession of judgment in business loans.**

**Attachments:** Res. No. 243, June 16, 2022 - Stated Meeting Agenda, Hearing Transcript - Stated Meeting 6-16-22, Minutes of the Stated Meeting - June 16, 2022, Proposed Res. No. 243-A - 4/12/23, Committee Report 4/12/23, Hearing Testimony 4/12/23, Hearing Transcript 4/12/23, Proposed Res. No. 243-A - 5/31/23, Committee Report 11/2/23, Hearing Transcript 11/2/23, Committee Report - Stated Meeting, November 2, 2023 - Stated Meeting Agenda

*Proposed Res. No. 243-A*

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