Int. No. 570-A

By Council Members Treyger, Holden, Yeger, Kallos, Cohen, Levin and Vallone

..Title

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to illegible parking signs

..Body

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 1 of title 19 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 19-175.7 to read as follows:

§ 19-175.7 Illegible parking signs. Notwithstanding any rule or regulation to the contrary, when a notice of violation is issued to an owner of a vehicle for failure to observe a parking sign, it shall be an affirmative defense to such violation, with the burden of proof on the vehicle owner charged with such notice of violation, that both sides of such sign were not legible. If there are other legible parking signs on the same blockface that apply to the parking space and parking violation at issue, such affirmative defense will not be available. The term “blockface” has the same meaning as set forth in section 19-167.4.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 90 days after it becomes law.

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