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Int. No. 1444

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A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to setting a maximum pedestrian path requirement in front of sidewalk cafes

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Section 19-160 of the administrative code of the city of New York, as added by local law number 121 for the year 2023, is by adding a new subdivision k to read as follows:

k. No rule promulgated by the department in relation to the license granted to a sidewalk cafe in accordance with subdivision b of this section shall require that a clear path of more than 8 feet of the width of

the sidewalk remain clear after the installation of such sidewalk cafe.

§ 2. This local law takes effect 120 days after it becomes law.

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