

The New York City Council

City Hall New York, NY 10007

Legislation Text

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Int. No. 531

By Council Member Lancman

A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to enacting the Child Protection Notification Act.

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section 1. Title 14 of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new

section 14-170 to read as follows:

§14-170. Arrest of individuals with minor children. a. For the purposes of this section, the term

"primary caregiver" shall mean the person who is primarily responsible for providing care to a child under the

age of eighteen.

b. Upon making an arrest, the department shall ascertain whether the individual being arrested is the

primary caregiver to a child under the age of eighteen. In the event that the department determines such

individual is the primary caregiver to a child under the age of eighteen, the department shall notify the

administration for children's services of such an arrest, unless the department determines that doing so would

jeopardize an ongoing investigation.

§2. This local law shall take effect 60 days after its enactment into law.

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