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A Local Law to amend the administrative code of the city of New York, in relation to imposing civil penalties for discharging fireworks without a permit.

Be it enacted by the Council as follows:

Section One. Subchapter six of chapter four of title twenty-seven of the administrative code of the city of New York is amended by adding a new section 27-4047.1 to read as follows:

§27-4047.1 Civil penalty for use of fireworks without a permit. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, and in addition to any criminal penalties that may apply, any person who violates subdivision a of section 27-4047 by using or discharging fireworks within the city without a permit shall be liable for a civil penalty of seven hundred and fifty dollars, which may be recovered in a proceeding before the environmental control board. For the purposes of subdivision e of section 15-230 of this code, such violation shall be deemed to be hazardous.

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

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