

ORDINANCE 2014 - 370

AN ORDINANCE TO ENSURE THAT DECIBEL LIMITS ARE CONSISTENT WITH RESTRICTIONS ON AMPLIFIED ENTERTAINMENT THAT APPLY FROM 2:00 A.M UNTIL 7:00 A.M. WITHIN HOSPITALITY DISTRICTS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA that:

Section 1. Raleigh City Code Section 12-2129(c) is amended by deleting the phrase “55db(A) Sunday through Thursday from 11:00 p.m. until 7:00 a.m.” in that subsection and replacing it with the phrase “55db(A) Sunday through Thursday from 11:00 p.m. until 2:00 a.m.”

Section 2. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of said conflict.

Section 3. If this ordinance or application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the ordinance which can be given separate effect and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be enforced as provided in N.C.G.S. 160A-175 or as provided in the Raleigh City Code. All criminal sanctions shall be the maximum allowed by law notwithstanding the fifty dollar limit in G.S. 14-4(a) or similar limitations.

Section 5. This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption.

ADOPTED: December 2, 2014

EFFECTIVE: December 2, 2014

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This ordinance prepared by the Raleigh City Attorney's Office