



General Assembly

Amendment

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LCO No. 6789



Offered by:
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To: House Bill No. 5921

File No. 312

Cal. No. 194

"AN ACT REQUIRING THE DISPLAY OF HOUSE NUMBERS."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective January 1, 2016*) (a) On and after January
4 1, 2016, the owner of a residential dwelling shall affix numerals to the
5 dwelling indicating the street number assigned to the dwelling by the
6 municipality or, if there is no record of such assignment, the street
7 number customarily used for the dwelling.

8 (b) The location, type and size of the numerals used to indicate the
9 street number of the dwelling shall be sufficient to ensure their
10 legibility when the dwelling is viewed from one or more points along
11 the centerline of the street on which the dwelling fronts. Such
12 numerals shall be:

13 (1) Located on the exterior front of the dwelling or on a post, sign,
14 mailbox or other device located between the dwelling and the street,

15 provided if a dwelling is set back more than seventy-five feet from the
16 centerline of the street on which the dwelling fronts or if such
17 numerals would not be legible from such centerline because of an
18 obstruction, such numerals shall be located on a post, sign, mailbox or
19 other device located within ten feet of the driveway entrance to the
20 dwelling;

21 (2) At least three inches in height;

22 (3) Of a color contrasting with the color of the background material
23 to which such numerals are affixed; and

24 (4) Positioned not less than four feet or more than twelve feet above
25 the surface of the ground.

26 (c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to an owner of a
27 residential dwelling (1) located in a municipality that has adopted an
28 ordinance requiring the display of street numbers on residential
29 dwellings pursuant to section 7-148 of the general statutes, or (2)
30 located within a historic district established pursuant to section 7-147b
31 of the general statutes.

32 (d) Any person who violates any provision of this section shall, for a
33 first offense, be issued a written warning for such violation and, for
34 any subsequent offense, shall have committed an infraction."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	January 1, 2016	New section