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County  
~~City~~ of ERIE  
~~Town~~  
~~Village~~

Local Law No. 7 of the year 19 94

A local law with respect to the establishment of an Erie county commission on  
(Insert Title) African American affairs.

Be it enacted by the LEGISLATURE of the  
(Name of Legislative Body)

County  
~~City~~ of ERIE  
~~Town~~  
~~Village~~ as follows:

SECTION 1. Legislative declaration of policy.

It is the policy of the county that all its residents have equal employment and business opportunities with county government. It is the purpose of this local law to advance full minority participation in such employment and business opportunities, by promoting, encouraging and monitoring compliance with existing Erie county affirmative action guidelines relative to employment, job opportunities and the award of county contracts.

SECTION 2. Establishment and membership.

There is hereby established an Erie county commission on African American affairs, hereinafter called the "commission". The commission shall consist of nine members, four to be appointed by the county executive and five to be appointed by the county legislature. Members shall be appointed to two year terms. A majority of the whole number of the members shall elect a chair.

SECTION 3. Duties of Commission.

The Commission shall:

- a. assist the county director of equal employment opportunity in the promotion, encouragement and monitoring of compliance with existing county affirmative action guidelines relative to employment, job training and the award of county contracts;

- b. aid in overseeing contractors and in developing strategies and objectives to implement the county's affirmative action program;
- c. recommend measures to provide maximum efficiency in handling claims filed in the equal employment opportunity office;
- d. strive to remove race-based inequalities in employment and business opportunity in Erie county;
- e. develop educational programs and activities and an information system for services related to the needs of African American businesses, employees and job trainees;
- f. conduct investigations, and perform studies and analyses of conditions which result in unmet needs or in discrimination or prejudice in the areas of employment, business opportunities and job training in Erie county because of race;
- g. submit an annual report of its activities and recommendations to the county executive and the county legislature;
- h. coordinate its activities with the minority business enterprise and women-owned business enterprise utilization advisory board created by Erie County local law number six of nineteen hundred eighty-seven.

SECTION 5. This local law shall take effect immediately.

(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and strike out that which is not applicable.)

~~(Final adoption by local legislative body only.)~~

~~I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 19\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law (Name of Legislative Body)~~

2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer\*.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 7 of 1994 of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of Erie was duly passed by the Erie County Legislature on September 22, 1994, and was (approved)(not disapproved)(repassed after disapproval) by the ERIE COUNTY EXECUTIVE and was deemed duly adopted on October 19, 1994, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law. (Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)

~~3. (Final adoption by referendum.)~~

~~I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 19\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, and was (approved)(not disapproved)(repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_. Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a (mandatory)(permissive) referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the (general)(special)(annual) election held on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.~~

4. (Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)

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\*Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairman of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

~~5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)~~

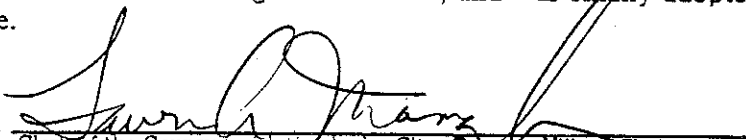
~~I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 19\_\_\_\_ of the City of \_\_\_\_\_ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, became operative.~~

~~6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)~~

~~I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 19\_\_\_\_ of the County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_ pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and of a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.~~

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph 2, above.

  
Clerk of the County legislative body, City, Town or Village, Clerk  
or officer designated by local legislative body

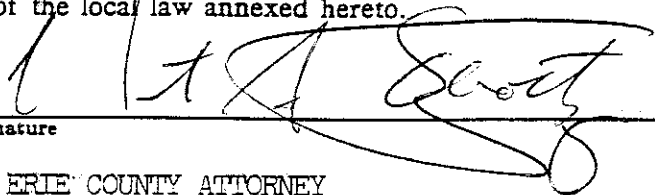
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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Certification to be executed by County Attorney, Corporation Counsel, Town Attorney, Village Attorney or other authorized Attorney of locality.)

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF ERIE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing local law contains the correct text and that all proper proceedings have been had or taken for the enactment of the local law annexed hereto.

  
Signature  
ERIE COUNTY ATTORNEY  
Title

County  
~~City~~ of ERIE  
~~Town~~  
~~Village~~

Date: October 20, 1994