



Legislation Text

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Amending Chapter 409 of the Saint Paul Legislative Code pertaining to technical amendments for computation of time and appearances.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAINT PAUL DOES ORDAIN:

SECTION 1

Section 409.26 of the Saint Paul Legislative Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

(e) Computation of time.

(1) Second appearance. A second violation within twelve (12) months shall be treated as a second appearance for the purpose of determining the presumptive penalty.

(2) Third appearance. A third violation within eighteen (18) months shall be treated as a third appearance for the purpose of determining the presumptive penalty.

(3) Fourth appearance. A fourth violation within twenty-four (24) months shall be treated as a fourth appearance for the purpose of determining the presumptive penalty.

(4) Any appearance not covered by subsections (1), (2) or (3) above shall be treated as a first appearance. Measurement of the twelve-, eighteen- or twenty-four-month period shall be as follows: The beginning date shall be the earliest violation's date of appearance before the council, and the ending date shall be the date of the new violation. In case of multiple new violations, the ending date to be used shall be the date of the violation last in time.

(5) For the purpose of a second, third or fourth appearance under this section, "violation" shall mean either one of those violations listed in paragraph ~~(m)~~ (b) or a violation of section 310.05 (m).

SECTION 2

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days following its passage, approval and publication.