

1 **BILL NO. 2001-49**

2 **ORDINANCE NO. STRICKEN**

3 AN ORDINANCE TO REQUIRE PERSONS WHO WORK AS ESCORTS TO OBTAIN A
4 HEALTH CARD, TO UNDERGO INITIAL AND PERIODIC MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS, AND
TO PROVIDE FOR OTHER RELATED MATTERS.

5 Sponsored by: Mayor Oscar B. Goodman

Summary: Requires persons who work as
6 escorts to obtain a health card and to undergo
7 initial and periodic medical examinations.

8 THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS DOES HEREBY ORDAIN
9 AS FOLLOWS:

10 SECTION 1: Title 6, Chapter 36, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas,
11 Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to add the provisions set forth as Sections 2 and 3 of this
12 Ordinance.

13 SECTION 2: Each escort shall maintain in force at all times a current valid health card
14 issued by the Clark County Health District. Before a health card is issued, and in addition to any other
15 requirements of the Clark County Health District, a medical examination is required of all persons to
16 be employed as escorts. In addition, escorts shall undergo periodic medical examinations at least
17 _____ a _____. Each such examination shall be performed at no cost to the City or the Clark
18 County Health District and shall:

19 (A) Be performed by or under the supervision of a physician duly licensed
20 to practice medicine in the State of Nevada;

21 (B) Be performed at the location of the licensed operation, at the physician's
22 office, or at a hospital or licensed clinic, as determined by the physician;

23 (C) Include tests approved by the Health Division of the Department of
24 Human Resources of the State of Nevada for the detection and diagnosis of sexually transmitted
25 disease, including without limitation tests for infectious syphilis, gonorrhea and chlamydia;

26 (D) Include tests approved by the Health Division of the Department of
27 Human Resources of the State of Nevada for the detection of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome
28 (AIDS) and Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV); and



1 (E) Include other approved tests deemed advisable by the physician for the
2 detection of any infectious or contagious disease.

3 SECTION 3: The results of each test described in Section 2 shall be reported to the
4 Clark County Health District. If a health card applicant tests positive for AIDS, HIV or any other
5 sexually transmitted disease, a health card shall not issue. If an escort who has been issued a health
6 card tests positive for AIDS, HIV or any other sexually transmitted disease, the health card shall be
7 revoked and the escort's employment shall be terminated.

8 SECTION 4: If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or
9 phrase in this ordinance or any part thereof, is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, or invalid
10 or ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity or
11 effectiveness of the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof. The City Council of the
12 City of Las Vegas hereby declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, subdivision,
13 paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections,
14 subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional,
15 invalid or ineffective.

16 SECTION 5: Whenever in this ordinance any act is prohibited or is made or declared
17 to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or whenever in this ordinance the doing of any act is
18 required or the failure to do any act is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a
19 misdemeanor, the doing of such prohibited act or the failure to do any such required act shall
20 constitute a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than
21 \$1,000.00 or by imprisonment for a term of not more than six months, or by any combination of such
22 fine and imprisonment. Any day of any violation of this ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

23 SECTION 6: All ordinances or parts of ordinances or sections, subsections, phrases,
24 sentences, clauses or paragraphs contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada,

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1 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

2 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2001.

3 APPROVED:

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5 By _____
OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

6 ATTEST:

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BARBARA JO RONEMUS, City Clerk

9 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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1 The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the
2 ____ day of _____, 2001, and referred to the following committee composed of
3 _____ and _____ for recommendation;
4 thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the ____ day of
5 _____, 2001, which was a _____ meeting of said Council; that at said
6 _____ meeting, the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council
7 as first introduced and adopted by the following vote:

8 VOTING "AYE": _____

9 VOTING "NAY": _____

10 ABSENT: _____

11 APPROVED:

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13 By _____
OSCAR B. GOODMAN, Mayor

14 ATTEST:

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16 BARBARA JO RONEMUS, City Clerk
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Clark County, Nevada

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STATE OF NEVADA)
COUNTY OF CLARK) SS:

Donna Stark, being 1st duly sworn, deposes and says:

That she is the Legal Clerk for the Las Vegas Review-Journal and the Las Vegas Sun, daily newspapers regularly issued, published and circulated in the City of Las Vegas, County of Clark, State of Nevada, and that the advertisement, a true copy attached for,

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was continuously published in said Las Vegas Review Journal and/or Las Vegas Sun in 1 edition(s) of said newspaper issued from 05/25/01 to 05/25/2001, on the following days: MAY 25, 2001

Signed: Donna Stark

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME THIS THE 25

day of May 2001

Mary B. Sheffield
Notary Public

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At a City Council meeting May 2, 2001 BILL NO. 2001-49 WAS READ BY TITLE AND REFERRED TO RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE. Councilmembers Weekly and Mack

COPIES OF THE COMPLETE BILL ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, 1ST FLOOR, CITY HALL, 400 STEWART AVENUE, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA. PUB: May 25, 2001 LV Review-Journal

