

Bill No. 92-47

Ordinance No. 3675

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2 for the loan.

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4 that is not real property as well as documents and titles.

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6 Metropolitan Police Department.

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13 the effective date of this Ordinance shall be granted in accor-
14 dance with the procedure set forth in this Section.

15 (B) For a license that the City Council may grant:

16 (1) Within twelve months of the effective date of
17 this Ordinance, the Director shall:

18 (a) Retain, unless withdrawn by an applicant,
19 all applications pending on the effective date of this
20 Ordinance; and

21 (b) Accept applications until, but not later
22 than, the conclusion of business on the thirtieth day
23 following the effective date of this Ordinance.

24 (2) In respect to a population increase
25 allowing the issuance of a new pawnbroker license, the
26 Director shall accept applications for a period of thirty
27 days beginning on the first day of April, or as soon
28 thereafter as practicable, of the year in which the governor
29 certifies that the population has achieved or exceeds an
30 increase allowing issuance of a pawnbroker license.

31 (C) An applicant may submit only one application for
32 each available license.

1 (D) If an applicant submits more than one application
2 or attempts to submit multiple applications on one applica-
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12 priority of eligibility of applicants for the pawnbroker
13 license.

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15 eligibility of all applicants available to the public.

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17 of priority of eligibility, which list and rank of priority
18 will expire at the close of business on the day the
19 pawnbroker license is granted.

20 (G) If an applicant becomes eligible to apply for the
21 pawnbroker license, he must, within six months of his selec-
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25 of this Code;

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18 to Chapter [6.88.] 6.86 of this Code.

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25 6.60.110: (A) Every pawnbroker shall maintain in his place of
26 business a book or other permanent record in which must be
27 legibly written in the English language, at the time of each
28 purchase:

29 (1) The date and time of each transaction.

30 (2) The name, age, house number and street, the
31 serial number of one piece of positive identification or a
32 work card issued pursuant to Chapter 6.86 of this Code and a

1 general description of the complexion, color of hair and
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3 had. Instead of a record of the serial number of one piece
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5 contain an entry that the pawnbroker knows the person
6 with whom the transaction is had.

7 (3) A description of the property received in
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10 must contain the name of the maker and the number of the
11 works or the case; and

12 (b) In the case of jewelry, the description
13 must contain all letters and marks inscribed on the jewelry.

14 (4) The amount lent.

15 (5) The number of any pawn ticket issued therefor.

16 (6) The name or other identification of the person
17 or employee conducting the transaction, who shall legibly
18 print or type his full name and write his signature on the
19 record of the transaction.

20 (B) The person with whom a transaction is had shall, at
21 the time of the transaction, certify in writing that he has
22 the legal right to pledge or sell the property that is the
23 subject of the transaction.

24 (C) The record of all goods received must at all times
25 during the ordinary hours of business be open to the inspec-
26 tion of the police department.

27 SECTION 12: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 140, of the
28 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
29 hereby amended to read as follows:

30 6.60.140: Each pawnbroker must, before the hour of twelve noon
31 of every day, make and deliver to the [Metropolitan Police
32 Department] police department, in duplicate, a detailed

1 record or ticket of each article pawned during the preceding
2 twenty-four hours. The record or tickets shall set forth all
3 of the information required to be kept in the book referred
4 to in Section 6.60.110[.] of this chapter. If no article
5 has been pawned or received, a report must be made to that
6 effect.

7 SECTION 13: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 150, of the
8 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
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10 6.60.150: The records or tickets received by the [Metropolitan
11 Police Department] police department from a pawnbroker shall
12 be treated as confidential except in the ordinary administra-
13 tion of this Code or other [state, local or federal] federal,
14 state or local laws or pursuant to a subpoena or other order
15 of a court of competent jurisdiction.

16 SECTION 14: Title 6, chapter 60, Section 200, of the
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19 6.60.200: No property received in pawn by any pawnbroker may be
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21 the pawnor, until the expiration of ten days after the
22 receipt thereof has been reported to the [Metropolitan Police
23 Department] police department as required by Section
24 6.60.140[.] of this chapter.

25 SECTION 15: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 230, of the
26 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
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30 (A) He has filed a stolen property report with a law
31 enforcement agency;

32 (B) He has furnished proof of ownership to the

1 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department; and

2 (C) The [Metropolitan Police Department] police
3 department has issued a release order to the pawnbroker to
4 release the described property to such person.

5 SECTION 16: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 250, of the
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9 agent or employee of a pawnbroker to:

10 (A) [Fail to make] Omit making an entry of any material
11 matter in his book or record kept as provided for in Section
12 6.60.110[;] of this chapter;

13 (B) Make any false entry in his book or record;

14 (C) Obliterate, destroy or remove from his place of
15 business the book or record;

16 (D) Refuse to allow inspection by the [Metropolitan
17 Police Department] police department or the Department of the
18 book or record or any goods in his possession, during the
19 ordinary hours of business;

20 (E) Report any material matter falsely to the
21 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department;

22 (F) [Fail to report] Omit reporting forthwith to the
23 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department possession
24 of any property which he may have good cause to believe has
25 been lost or stolen, together with the name of the owner, if
26 known, and the date when and the name of the person from whom
27 he received the property;

28 (G) Remove or allow to be removed from his place of
29 business, except upon redemption by the owner thereof, any
30 property received within ten days after the receipt thereof
31 is reported to the [Metropolitan Police Department]
32 police department;

1 (H) Receive any property from any person under the age
2 of eighteen years, any common drunkard, any habitual user of
3 controlled substances as defined in Chapter 453 of NRS, any
4 habitual criminal, any person in an intoxicated condition any
5 known thief or receiver of stolen property, or any known
6 associate of a thief or receiver of stolen property, whether
7 the person is acting in his own behalf or as the agent of
8 another;

9 (I) Violate the provisions of Section 6.60.080 or
10 Section 6.60.120[.] of this chapter.

11 SECTION 17: If any section, subsection, subdivision,
12 paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase in this ordinance or any
13 part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or
14 invalid or ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction,
15 such decision shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of
16 the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof.
17 The City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, hereby
18 declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, sub-
19 division, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof
20 irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsec-
21 tions, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases
22 be declared unconstitutional, invalid or ineffective.

23 SECTION 18: Whenever in this ordinance any act is pro-
24 hibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a
25 misdemeanor, or whenever in this ordinance the doing of any act
26 is required or the failure to do any act is made or declared to
27 be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, the doing of such
28 prohibited act or the failure to do any such required act shall
29 constitute a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be
30 punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or by imprisonment
31 for a term of not more than six months, or by any combination of
32 such fine and imprisonment. Any day of any violation of this

1 ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

2 SECTION 19: All ordinances or parts of ordinances, sec-
3 tions, subsections, phrases, sentences, clauses or paragraphs
4 contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada,
5 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

6 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this 16th day of
7 September, 1992.

8 APPROVED:

9 By

10 JAN LAVERTY JONES Mayor

11 ATTEST:

12 Kathleen M. Tighe
13 KATHLEEN M. TIGHE, City Clerk
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1 The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed
2 and read by title to the City Council on the 19th day of
3 August, 1992, and referred to the following committee com-
4 posed of Councilmen Nolen and
5 Higginson for recommendation; thereafter the
6 said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the 16th
7 day of September, 1992, which was a regular meeting of
8 said Council; that at said regular meeting, the proposed
9 ordinance was read by title to the City Council as amended and
10 adopted by the following vote:

11 VOTING "AYE": Councilmen, Nolen, Adamsen, Higginson and Hawkins Jr.

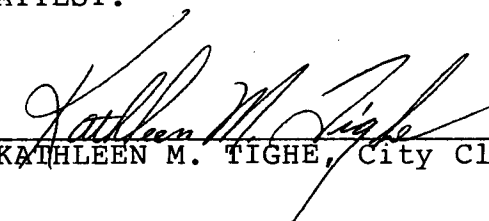
12 VOTING "NAY": NONE

13 ABSENT: Mayor Jones

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16 (C) Obliterate, destroy or remove from his place of
17 business the book or record;

18 (D) Refuse to allow inspection by the [Metropolitan
19 Police Department] police department or the Department of the
20 book or record or any goods in his possession, during the
21 ordinary hours of business;

22 (E) Report any material matter falsely to the
23 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department;

24 (F) [Fail to report] Omit reporting forthwith to the
25 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department possession
26 of any property which he may have good cause to believe has
27 been lost or stolen, together with the name of the owner, if
28 known, and the date when and the name of the person from whom
29 he received the property;

30 (G) Remove or allow to be removed from his place of
31 business, except upon redemption by the owner thereof, any
32 property received within ten days after the receipt thereof

1 is reported to the [Metropolitan Police Department]
2 police department;

3 (H) Receive any property from any person under the age
4 of eighteen years, any common drunkard, any habitual user of
5 controlled substances as defined in Chapter 453 of NRS, any
6 habitual criminal, any person in an intoxicated condition any
7 known thief or receiver of stolen property, or any known
8 associate of a thief or receiver of stolen property, whether
9 the person is acting in his own behalf or as the agent of
10 another;

11 (I) Violate the provisions of Section 6.60.080 or
12 Section 6.60.120[.] of this chapter.

13 (J) Receive in pawn any boat, motor vehicle or
14 recreation vehicle, or any title or other indicia of
15 ownership thereof in lieu of any boat, motor vehicle or
16 recreational vehicle.

17 SECTION 17: If any section, subsection, subdivision,
18 paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase in this ordinance or any
19 part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or
20 invalid or ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction,
21 such decision shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of
22 the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof.
23 The City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, hereby
24 declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, sub-
25 division, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof
26 irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsec-
27 tions, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases
28 be declared unconstitutional, invalid or ineffective.

29 SECTION 18: Whenever in this ordinance any act is pro-
30 hibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a
31 misdemeanor, or whenever in this ordinance the doing of any act
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1 is required or the failure to do any act is made or declared to
2 be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, the doing of such
3 prohibited act or the failure to do any such required act shall
4 constitute a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be
5 punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or by imprisonment
6 for a term of not more than six months, or by any combination of
7 such fine and imprisonment. Any day of any violation of this
8 ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

9 SECTION 19: All ordinances or parts of ordinances, sec-
10 tions, subsections, phrases, sentences, clauses or paragraphs
11 contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada,
12 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

13 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this ____ day of
14 _____, 1992.

15 APPROVED:

16 By _____
17 JAN LAVERTY JONES, Mayor

18 ATTEST:

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21 KATHLEEN M. TIGHE, City Clerk
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The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the ____ day of _____, 19____, and referred to the following committee composed of _____ and _____ for recommendation; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said ordinance on the ____ day of _____, 19____, which was a _____ meeting of said Council; that at said _____ meeting, the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council as amended and adopted by the following vote:

VOTING "AYE": _____
VOTING "NAY": _____
ABSENT: _____

APPROVED:

By _____
JAN LAVERTY JONES, Mayor

ATTEST:

KATHLEEN M. TIGHE, City Clerk

SEE FIRST AMENDMENT

Bill No. 92-47

Ordinance No. _____

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO PAWNBROKER LICENSES; AMENDING TITLE 6, CHAPTER 60 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, 1983, EDITION BY ADDING THERETO NEW DEFINITIONS; INCREASING THE SEMIANNUAL LICENSE FEE; REPEALING THE LICENSE ACQUISITION FEE AND SUBSTITUTING THEREFOR A POPULATION CRITERION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW LICENSES; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ONE NEW PAWNBROKER LICENSE PRIOR TO A POPULATION INCREASE ALLOWING THE ISSUANCE OF AN ADDITIONAL LICENSE; ESTABLISHING GUIDELINES, INCLUDING A "LOTTERY," FOR THE SELECTION OF NEW LICENSEES; ESTABLISHING TRANSACTIONAL GUIDELINES AND RECORDKEEPING PROCEDURES FOR PAWNBROKERS TO COMPORT WITH REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED BY STATE STATUTE; REVISING THE LANGUAGE OF CERTAIN SECTIONS TO CONFORM TO NEW DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION HEREOF; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith.

Sponsored by:
Councilman Bob Nolen

Summary: Amends LVMC Chapter 6.60 by adding new definitions, increasing the semiannual license fee, establishing new standards and guidelines for the selection of new licensees, making certain recordkeeping amendments mandated by state statute and by revising certain language.

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

SECTION 1: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 20, of the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

6.60.020: As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words shall have the meanings ascribed to them as follows:

(A) "Application" means an application for consideration of a pawnbroker license.

(B) "Pawn" or "pledge" means the deposit of personal property by a debtor (pawnor) to his creditor (pawnbroker) as security for a loan.

(C) "Pawnbroker" means a person who lends money on the security of personal property deposited or left in pawn with him.

(D) "Pawnor" means a person who borrows money from

1 another and deposits personal property with him as security
2 for the loan.

3 (E) "Personal property" means all corporeal property
4 that is not real property, but, for purposes of this chapter,
5 the term "personal property" does not include boats, motor
6 vehicles or recreation vehicles, or titles or other indicia
7 of ownership thereto.

8 (F) "Police department" means the Las Vegas
9 Metropolitan Police Department.

10 (G) Population" means the estimated number of persons
11 inhabiting the City as determined and reported by the State
12 of Nevada, Department of Taxation, pursuant to the provi-
13 sions of NRS 360.283, and as certified by the governor, pur-
14 suant to the provisions of NRS 360.285.

15 SECTION 2: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 40, of the
16 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
17 hereby amended to read as follows:

18 6.60.040: Each person required to be licensed as a pawnbroker by
19 this [Chapter] chapter shall pay in advance a semiannual
20 license fee of [four hundred] six thousand, two hundred
21 dollars.

22 SECTION 3: Section 50 of Chapter 60 of Title 6 of the
23 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
24 hereby repealed in its entirety.

25 SECTION 4: Title 6, Chapter 60, of the Municipal Code
26 of the City of Las Vegas is hereby amended by adding thereto a
27 new section, designated as Section 50, reading as follows:

28 6.60.050: Other than as provided in Section 6 of this Ordinance,
29 no new pawnbroker license may be granted under the provisions
30 of this chapter until the population of the City achieves or
31 exceeds four hundred thousand persons. Thereafter, only one
32 new pawnbroker license may be granted for each population

1 increase of fifty thousand persons, as certified by the
2 governor.

3 SECTION 5: Title 6, Chapter 60, of the Municipal Code
4 of the City of Las Vegas is hereby amended by adding thereto a
5 new Section as set forth in Section 6 hereof.

6 SECTION 6: The City Council may, within twelve months
7 of the effective date of this Ordinance, grant one new pawnbroker
8 license.

9 SECTION 7: Title 6, Chapter 60, of the Municipal Code
10 of the City of Las Vegas is hereby amended by adding thereto a
11 new Section as set forth in Section 8 hereof.

12 SECTION 8: (A) All pawnbroker licenses granted after
13 the effective date of this Ordinance shall be granted in accor-
14 dance with the procedure set forth in this Section.

15 (B) For a license that the City Council may grant:

16 (1) Within twelve months of the effective date of
17 this Ordinance, the Director shall:

18 (a) Retain, unless withdrawn by an applicant,
19 all applications pending on the effective date of this
20 Ordinance; and

21 (b) Accept applications until, but not later
22 than, the conclusion of business on the thirtieth day
23 following the effective date of this Ordinance.

24 (2) In respect to a population increase
25 allowing the issuance of a new pawnbroker license, the
26 Director shall accept applications for a period of thirty
27 days beginning on the first day of April, or as soon
28 thereafter as practicable, of the year in which the governor
29 certifies that the population has achieved or exceeds an
30 increase allowing issuance of a pawnbroker license.

31 (C) An applicant may submit only one application for
32 each available license.

1 (D) If an applicant submits more than one application
2 or attempts to submit multiple applications on one applica-
3 tion form, all such multiple applications shall be construed
4 collectively as one application.

5 (E) The Director shall assign a number to all applica-
6 tions.

7 (F) Not more than fifteen calendar days after the
8 Director has ceased accepting applications, he shall:

9 (1) Conduct in public a random drawing of all of
10 the numbers assigned to applications to establish, in the
11 order drawn, a list of applicants' names and a rank of
12 priority of eligibility of applicants for the pawnbroker
13 license.

14 (2) Make the list of names and rank of priority of
15 eligibility of all applicants available to the public.

16 (3) Retain the list of applicants' names and rank
17 of priority of eligibility, which list and rank of priority
18 will expire at the close of business on the day the
19 pawnbroker license is granted.

20 (G) If an applicant becomes eligible to apply for the
21 pawnbroker license, he must, within six months of his selec-
22 tion or notification, complete the licensing process, which
23 includes without limitation:

24 (1) Fulfilling all business licensing requirements
25 of this Code;

26 (2) Meeting all zoning requirements applicable to
27 his prospective business location;

28 (3) Being found suitable for a pawnbroker license;
29 and

30 (4) Being approved for licensing by the City
31 Council.

32 (H) If an applicant:

1 (1) Does not complete the licensing process within
2 six months, his application will automatically expire, and
3 the Director shall notify the next applicant on the list in
4 the rank of priority of eligibility to begin the licensing
5 process.

6 (2) Completes the licensing process, but is denied
7 a license, the Director shall notify the next applicant on
8 the list in the rank of priority of eligibility to begin the
9 licensing process.

10 (3) Such selection, notification and licensing
11 process shall continue until a pawnbroker license is granted.

12 (H) All pawnbroker licensees licensed prior to or after
13 the effective date of this Ordinance who have less than two
14 years of experience as a licensed pawnbroker within the City
15 or within Clark County must deposit with the Director as
16 security against judgments obtained by pawnors a fiduciary
17 fund in the sum of \$5,000.00 cash. The Director shall:

18 (1) Tender to the licensee a receipt for the fund;

19 (2) Deposit the fund in a secure, interest bearing
20 account;

21 (3) Retain and use the fund and its proceeds for a
22 period of two years to reimburse pawnors who are damaged by
23 and obtain court-ordered judgments against a licensee; and

24 (4) At the end of two years, return the balance of
25 the fund to the licensee along with all interest accumulated
26 thereon; provided, however, the Director shall retain for
27 possible judgment or settlement that portion of the fund
28 against which claims may be pending.

29 SECTION 9: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 70, of the
30 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
31 hereby amended to read as follows:

32 6.60.070: Each employee of the pawnbroker, other than those

1 individuals found suitable for the license, must first obtain
2 and thereafter maintain a valid, unexpired work card pursuant
3 to Chapter [6.88.] 6.86 of this Code.

4 SECTION 10: Section 110 of Chapter 60 of Title 6 of the
5 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
6 hereby repealed in its entirety.

7 SECTION 11: Title 6, Chapter 60, of the Municipal Code
8 of the City of Las Vegas is hereby amended by adding thereto a
9 new section, designated as Section 110, reading as follows:

10 6.60.110: (A) Every pawnbroker shall maintain in his place of
11 business a book or other permanent record in which must be
12 legibly written in the English language, at the time of each
13 purchase:

14 (1) The date and time of each transaction.

15 (2) The name, age, house number and street, the
16 serial number of one piece of positive identification or a
17 work card issued pursuant to Chapter 6.86 of this Code and a
18 general description of the complexion, color of hair and
19 facial appearance of the person with whom the transaction is
20 had. Instead of a record of the serial number of one piece
21 of positive identification or a work card, the record may
22 contain an entry that the pawnbroker knows the person
23 with whom the transaction is had.

24 (3) A description of the property received in
25 pledge; and,

26 (a) In the case of watches, the description
27 must contain the name of the maker and the number of the
28 works or the case; and

29 (b) In the case of jewelry, the description
30 must contain all letters and marks inscribed on the jewelry.

31 (4) The amount lent.

32 (5) The number of any pawn ticket issued therefor.

1 (6) The name or other identification of the person
2 or employee conducting the transaction, who shall legibly
3 print or type his full name and write his signature on the
4 record of the transaction.

5 (B) The person with whom a transaction is had shall, at
6 the time of the transaction, certify in writing that he has
7 the legal right to pledge or sell the property that is the
8 subject of the transaction.

9 (C) The record of all goods received must at all times
10 during the ordinary hours of business be open to the inspec-
11 tion of the police department.

12 SECTION 12: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 140, of the
13 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
14 hereby amended to read as follows:

15 6.60.140: Each pawnbroker must, before the hour of twelve noon
16 of every day, make and deliver to the [Metropolitan Police
17 Department] police department, in duplicate, a detailed
18 record or ticket of each article pawned during the preceding
19 twenty-four hours. The record or tickets shall set forth all
20 of the information required to be kept in the book referred
21 to in Section 6.60.110[.] of this chapter. If no article
22 has been pawned or received, a report must be made to that
23 effect.

24 SECTION 13: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 150, of the
25 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
26 hereby amended to read as follows:

27 6.60.150: The records or tickets received by the [Metropolitan
28 Police Department] police department from a pawnbroker shall
29 be treated as confidential except in the ordinary administra-
30 tion of this Code or other [state, local or federal] federal,
31 state or local laws or pursuant to a subpoena or other order
32 of a court of competent jurisdiction.

1 SECTION 14: Title 6, chapter 60, Section 200, of the
2 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
3 hereby amended to read as follows:

4 6.60.200: No property received in pawn by any pawnbroker may be
5 removed from his place of business, except when redeemed by
6 the pawnor, until the expiration of ten days after the
7 receipt thereof has been reported to the [Metropolitan Police
8 Department] police department as required by Section
9 6.60.140[.] of this chapter.

10 SECTION 15: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 230, of the
11 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
12 hereby amended to read as follows:

13 6.60.230: A pawnbroker shall release, without charge, pawned
14 property to a person if:

15 (A) He has filed a stolen property report with a law
16 enforcement agency;

17 (B) He has furnished proof of ownership to the
18 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department; and

19 (C) The [Metropolitan Police Department] police
20 department has issued a release order to the pawnbroker to
21 release the described property to such person.

22 SECTION 16: Title 6, Chapter 60, Section 250, of the
23 Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, 1983 Edition, is
24 hereby amended to read as follows:

25 6.60.250: It is unlawful for any pawnbroker[,] or any clerk,
26 agent or employee of a pawnbroker to:

27 (A) [Fail to make] Omit making an entry of any material
28 matter in his book or record kept as provided for in Section
29 6.60.110[;] of this chapter;

30 (B) Make any false entry in his book or record;

31 (C) Obliterate, destroy or remove from his place of
32 business the book or record;

1 (D) Refuse to allow inspection by the [Metropolitan
2 Police Department] police department or the Department of the
3 book or record or any goods in his possession, during the
4 ordinary hours of business;

5 (E) Report any material matter falsely to the
6 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department;

7 (F) [Fail to report] Omit reporting forthwith to the
8 [Metropolitan Police Department] police department possession
9 of any property which he may have good cause to believe has
10 been lost or stolen, together with the name of the owner, if
11 known, and the date when and the name of the person from whom
12 he received the property;

13 (G) Remove or allow to be removed from his place of
14 business, except upon redemption by the owner thereof, any
15 property received within ten days after the receipt thereof
16 is reported to the [Metropolitan Police Department]
17 police department;

18 (H) Receive any property from any person under the age
19 of eighteen years, any common drunkard, any habitual user of
20 controlled substances as defined in Chapter 453 of NRS, any
21 habitual criminal, any person in an intoxicated condition any
22 known thief or receiver of stolen property, or any known
23 associate of a thief or receiver of stolen property, whether
24 the person is acting in his own behalf or as the agent of
25 another;

26 (I) Violate the provisions of Section 6.60.080 or
27 Section 6.60.120[.] of this chapter.

28 SECTION 17: If any section, subsection, subdivision,
29 paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase in this ordinance or any
30 part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or
31 invalid or ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction,
32 such decision shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of

1 the remaining portions of this ordinance or any part thereof.
2 The City Council of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada, hereby
3 declares that it would have passed each section, subsection, sub-
4 division, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof
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6 tions, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases
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8 SECTION 18: Whenever in this ordinance any act is pro-
9 hibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a
10 misdemeanor, or whenever in this ordinance the doing of any act
11 is required or the failure to do any act is made or declared to
12 be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, the doing of such
13 prohibited act or the failure to do any such required act shall
14 constitute a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be
15 punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 or by imprisonment
16 for a term of not more than six months, or by any combination of
17 such fine and imprisonment. Any day of any violation of this
18 ordinance shall constitute a separate offense.

19 SECTION 19: All ordinances or parts of ordinances, sec-
20 tions, subsections, phrases, sentences, clauses or paragraphs
21 contained in the Municipal Code of the City of Las Vegas, Nevada,
22 1983 Edition, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

23 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this ____ day of
24 _____, 1992.

25 APPROVED:

26 By _____
27 JAN LAVERTY JONES, Mayor

28 ATTEST:

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31 KATHLEEN M. TIGHE, City Clerk
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1 The above and foregoing ordinance was first proposed and read by
2 title to the City Council on the ____ day of _____, 19__,
3 and referred to the following committee composed of _____
4 _____ and _____ for recommen-
5 dation; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said
6 ordinance on the ____ day of _____, 19__, which was a
7 _____ meeting of said Council; that at said
8 _____ meeting, the proposed ordinance was read by
9 title to the City Council as first introduced and adopted by the
10 following vote:

11 VOTING "AYE": _____

12 VOTING "NAY": _____

13 ABSENT: _____

15 APPROVED:

17 By _____
18 JAN LAVERTY JONES, Mayor

19 ATTEST:

21 _____
22 KATHLEEN M. TIGHE, City Clerk

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SECOND AMENDMENT
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AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO PAWNBROKER LICENSES; AMENDING TITLE 6, CHAPTER 60 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, 1983, EDITION BY ADDING THERETO NEW DEFINITIONS; INCREASING THE SEMIANNUAL LICENSE FEE; REPEALING THE LICENSE ACQUISITION FEE AND SUBSTITUTING THEREFOR A POPULATION CRITERION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW LICENSES; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ONE NEW PAWNBROKER LICENSE PRIOR TO A POPULATION INCREASE ALLOWING THE ISSUANCE OF AN ADDITIONAL LICENSE; ESTABLISHING GUIDELINES, INCLUDING A "LOTTERY," FOR THE SELECTION OF NEW LICENSEES; ESTABLISHING TRANSACTIONAL GUIDELINES AND RECORD-KEEPING PROCEDURES FOR PAWNBROKERS TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED BY STATE STATUTE; REVISING THE LANGUAGE OF CERTAIN SECTIONS TO CONFORM TO NEW DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION HEREOF; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

SPONSORED BY:

Councilman Bob Nolen

SUMMARY: Amends LVMC Chapter 6.60 by adding new definitions, increasing the semiannual license fee, establishing new standards and guidelines for the selection of new licensees, making certain record-keeping amendments mandated by state statute and by revising certain language.

The above and foregoing amended ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the 19th day of August, 1992, and referred to the following committee composed of Councilmen Nolen and Higginson, for recommendation; thereafter, the said committee reported favorably on said amended ordinance on the 16 day of September, 1992, which was a regular meeting of said City Council; and that at said regular meeting the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council as amended and adopted by the following vote:

VOTING "AYE" Councilmen: Nolen, Adamsen, Higginson and Hawkins Jr.

VOTING "NAY" Councilman: NONE

EXCUSED: Mayor Jones

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PUB: September 19, 1992
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STATE OF NEVADA)
COUNTY OF CLARK)

SS:

CHRISTINE BICKERTON, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That she/he is a 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 of which is attached, was continuously published in the LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL or THE LAS VEGAS SUN for a period of ONE insertions from the period of SEPTEMBER 19, 1992 to SEPTEMBER 19, 1992, on the following days:

SEPTEMBER 19, 1992

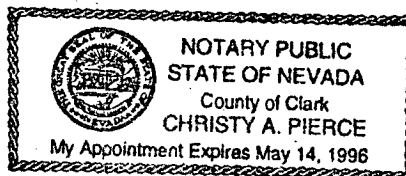
Signed:

Christine Bickerton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22nd day of September, 19 92

Christy A. Pierce
Notary Public



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SPONSORED BY:

Councilman Bob Nolen

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keeping amendments mandated by state statute and by revising certain language.

At a City Council meeting

AUGUST 19, 1992

BILL NO. 92-47 WAS READ BY TITLE AND REFERRED TO RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE: Councilmen Nolen AND Higginson COPIES OF THE COMPLETE BILL ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, 10TH FLOOR, CITY HALL, 400 EAST STEWART AVENUE, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA.

PUB: September 3, 1992
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STATE OF NEVADA)

COUNTY OF CLARK)

SS:

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SEPTEMBER 3, 1992

Signed:

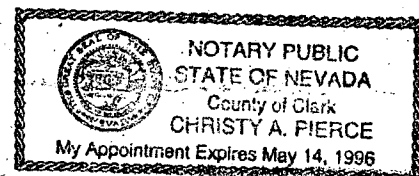
Christine Bickerton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

4th

day of September, 19 92

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ORDINANCE 3675

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AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO PAWNBROKER LICENSES; AMENDING TITLE 6, CHAPTER 60 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, 1983 EDITION BY ADDING THERETO NEW DEFINITIONS; INCREASING THE SEMIANNUAL LICENSE FEE; REPEALING THE LICENSE ACQUISITION FEE AND SUBSTITUTING THEREFOR A POPULATION CRITERION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW LICENSES; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ONE NEW PAWNBROKER LICENSE PRIOR TO A POPULATION INCREASE ALLOWING THE ISSUANCE OF AN ADDITIONAL LICENSE; ESTABLISHING GUIDELINES, INCLUDING A "LOTTERY," FOR THE SELECTION OF NEW LICENSEES; ESTABLISHING TRANSACTIONAL GUIDELINES AND RECORD-KEEPING PROCEDURES FOR PAWNBROKERS TO COMPORT WITH REQUIREMENTS IMPOSED BY STATE STATUTE; REVISING THE LANGUAGE OF CERTAIN SECTIONS TO CONFORM TO NEW DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION HEREOF; AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH.

SPONSORED BY:
Councilman Bob Nolen
SUMMARY: Amends LVMC Chapter 6.60 by adding new definitions, increasing the semiannual license fee, establishing new standards and guidelines for the selection of new licensees, making certain record-keeping amendments mandated by state statute and by revising certain language.

The above and foregoing amended ordinance was first proposed and read by title to the City Council on the 19th day of August, 1992, and referred to the following committee composed of Councilmen Nolen and Higginson, for recommendation; thereafter the said committee reported favorably on said amended ordinance on the 16 day of September, 1992, which was a regular meeting of said City Council; and that at said regular meeting the proposed ordinance was read by title to the City Council as amended and adopted by the following vote:

VOTING "AYE" Councilmen: Nolen, Adamsen, Higginson and Hawkins Jr.
VOTING "NAY" Councilman: NONE

EXCUSED: Mayor Jones
COPIES OF THE COMPLETE ORDINANCE ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, 10TH FLOOR, 400 EAST STEWART AVENUE, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA
PUB: September 19, 1992
Las Vegas Review-Journal

STATE OF NEVADA)
COUNTY OF CLARK)

SS:

CHRISTINE RICKERTON, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That she/he is a 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 of which is attached, was continuously published in the LAS VEGAS REVIEW-JOURNAL or THE LAS VEGAS SUN for a period of ONE insertions from the period of SEPTEMBER 19, 1992 to SEPTEMBER 19, 1992, on the following days:

SEPTEMBER 19, 1992

Signed:

Christine Rickerton

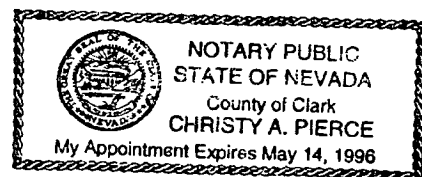
Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22nd day of September, 1992

Christy A. Pierce
Notary Public



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**FIRST AMENDMENT
BILL NO. 72-0**
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At a City Council meeting, AUGUST 19, 1992, BILL NO. 72-0 WAS READ BY TITLE AND REFERRED TO RECOMMENDING COMMITTEE: Councilmen Nolen AND Higginson. COPIES OF THE COMPLETE BILL ARE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK, 10TH FLOOR, CITY HALL, 400 EAST STEWART AVENUE, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA.
PUB: September 3, 1992
Las Vegas Review-Journal

STATE OF NEVADA)
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SEPTEMBER 3, 1992

Signed:

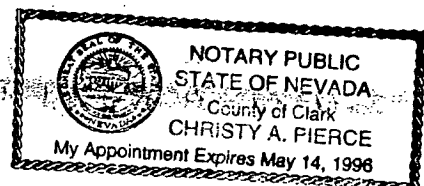
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day of September, 19 92

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