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## ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING MC-3475, ADOPTED ON MAY 13, 1999, GOVERNING PREVIOUS SECTION 451-2 WHICH IS CURRENTLY LOCATED AND LISTED AS SECTION 656-2 OF THE CAMDEN CODE OF THE CITY OF CAMDEN CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE CAMDEN ROOMING AND BOARDING HOUSE SITE LICENSING BOARD

WHEREAS, on May 13, 1999, the City Council of the City of Camden adopted MC-3475, which amended then Chapter 451, Section 451-2; <u>Establishment of Licensing Board</u>, to add the following:

## Section 451-2. Establishment of Licensing Board

The Camden Rooming and Boarding House Site Licensing Board, is hereby established pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40: 52-9 et. seq., which shall be the licensing authority for the City of Camden. The Board shall consist of three (3) persons, no more than two (2) of whom may be of the same political party, to be appointed by resolution of the municipal governing body. Members shall serve for terms of three (3) years and until their successors are appointed and qualified into office; except that of the initial three (3) appointments, one (1) shall be for a term of one (1) year and one (1) for a term of two (2) years. Members of the municipal governing body shall be eligible for appointment to the Board. Members of the Board shall receive no salaries, but shall be entitled to reimbursement for actual expenses necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties as such members. There shall be two (2) alternate members to the Board to serve for a term of one (1) year. In the event of vacancies or absences, the alternate members may act in lieu of the regular members provided, however, no alternate member shall participate in Board action if by reason of his or her participation, more than two members of the Board shall be of the same political party. Members may be removed by the appointing authority for cause. They shall not be subject to the provisions of Title 11A, Civil Service, of the New Jersey Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Camden now seeks to clarify and expound upon the above language, specifically the term: "to be appointed by resolution of the municipal governing body" to provide that Board Appointees shall initially be recommended by the Mayor to the City Council of the City of Camden who shall then approve such recommendations by resolution of the City Council of the City of Camden; now therefore

**BE IT ORDAINED,** by the City Council of the City of Camden, that MC-3475, adopted on May 13, 1999, now located and listed as Section 656-2 of the Camden Code is hereby amended as follows:

## Section 656-2. Establishment of Licensing Board

The Camden Rooming and Boarding House Site Licensing Board, established pursuant to the provisions of <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40: 52-9 et. seq., shall be the licensing authority for the City of Camden. The Board shall consist of three (3) persons, no more than two (2) of whom may be of the same political party, who shall be recommended by the Mayor to the City Council of the City of Camden for approval by resolution of the City Council of the City of Camden. Members shall serve for terms of three (3) years and until their successors are appointed and qualified into office; except that of the initial three (3) appointments, one (1) shall be for a term of one (1) year and one (1) for a term of two (2) years. Members of the Board shall receive no salaries, but shall be entitled to reimbursement for actual expenses necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties as such members. There shall be two (2) alternate members to the Board to serve for a term of one (1) year. In the event of vacancies or

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**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed as to such inconsistency only.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that this ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days after its final passage and publication as provided by law.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that if any provision of this ordinance is declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions of this ordinance. Furthermore, the other provisions of this ordinance are deemed to be severable and remain in full force and effect.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 52:27BBB-23 and <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40:69A-41, a true copy of this Ordinance shall be forwarded to the Mayor, who shall have ten (10) days from the receipt thereof to approve or veto this Ordinance. Additionally, pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 52:27BBB-23, a true copy of this Ordinance shall be forwarded to the State Commissioner of Community Affairs, who shall have ten (10) days from the receipt thereof to veto this Ordinance, and the action by the Commissioner regarding this Ordinance shall supersede any action by the Mayor on the same Ordinance. All notices of approval and/or veto shall be filed in the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

Date of Introduction: March 12, 2024

The above has been reviewed and approved as to form.

DANIEL S. BLACKBURN City Attorney

ANGEL FUENTES

President City Council

VICTOR CARSTARPHEN Mayor

ATTEST: LUIS PASTORIZA **Municipal Clerk** 

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## MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 19, 2024

TO: Victor Carstarphen, Mayor

FROM: Luis Pastoriza, Municipal Clerk

Ordinance Final Passage – (MC-5498) RE:

> Ordinance Amending And Supplementing MC-3475, Adopted On May 13, 1999, Governing Previous Section 451-2 Which is Currently Located And Listed As Section 656-2 Of the Camden Code Of The City of Camden Concerning The Appointment Of Members Of The Camden Rooming And Boarding House Site Licensing Board

In accordance with Rule XIX of the Administrative Code of the City of Camden (Rules of Procedure governing the City Council), I am delivering to you the attached ordinance adopted by City Council at a Regular meeting held on 4-9-2024. Said article provides that "each ordinance shall be returned by the Mayor to the Municipal Clerk after the Mayor has affixed his /her signature thereto or after the expiration of ten (10) days from the date of its delivery to the Mayor in any event."

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR			
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Date of Approval:	100	4/24/24	£

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