

TOWN OF WALES

LOCAL LAW NO. 2-2023

LOCAL LAW INTRO. 2-2023

A LOCAL LAW, TO AMEND LOCAL LAW 1-1993 KNOWN AS “ADOPTION OF CODE”, ADOPTED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF WALES ON MAY 11, 1993, BY AMENDING CHAPTER 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS TO EXERCISE Its REGULATORY AUTHORITY IN REGARD TO THE ADOPTION OF FINES AND IMPRISONMENT FOR VIOLATION AND OFFENSES TO THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF WALES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF WALES AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE INTENT

This Local Law amends a prior Local Law known as “Adoption of Code” adopted by the Town of Wales on May 11, 1993, as amended, relating to the administrative, legislative and general legislation of Codes within the Town of Wales as therein set forth.

SECTION 2. CHAPTER 1, GENERAL PROVISIONS

The following is adopted as amendments to Chapter 1, Sections 1-14 and following:

- a. Section 1-14: Findings: New York Penal Law §10.00 authorizes the Town to establish by Local Law a sentence to a term of imprisonment or to a fine. Violation means an offense, other than a traffic infraction, for which a sentence to a term of imprisonment in excess of fifteen (15) days cannot be imposed.
- b. Section 1-15: Penalties for offenses: If no other penalty for violation of any part of this Code or Order issued in compliance with the Code is provided otherwise by law, including the general ordinances and laws of the Town of Wales regulating penalties, a person violating such part of this Code or such others shall be punishable by fine up to \$500.00 or imprisonment not to exceed fifteen (15) days or both, and each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate violation.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon adoption by the Town Board of the Town of Wales and filing with the New York Secretary of State.

