

Councilmember Vincent B. Orange, Sr.,
at the request of the Mayor

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To amend, on an emergency basis, An Act To provide for the abatement of nuisances in the District of Columbia by the Commissioners of said District, and for other purposes, to clarify that the posting requirement in section 5a is satisfied by posting the initial vacant or blight determination.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Nuisance Abatement Notice Emergency Amendment Act of 2014”.

Sec. 2. Section 5a of An Act To provide for the abatement of nuisances in the District of Columbia by the Commissioners of said District, and for other purposes, approved April 14, 1906 (34 Stat. 115; D.C. Official Code § 42–3131.05a) is amended by striking the phrase “Notice shall also be posted on the vacant building” and inserting the phrase “Notice of the initial vacant or blighted property determination shall also be posted on the vacant building” in its place.

Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code §1-206.02(c)(3)).

Sec. 4. Effective date.

This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect for no longer than

- 1 90 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in Section
- 2 412(a) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813;
- 3 D.C. Official Code §1-204.12(a)).