



KING COUNTY

1200 King County Courthouse
516 Third Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104

Signature Report

November 17, 2008

Ordinance 16291

Proposed No. 2008-0575.1

Sponsors Phillips

1 AN ORDINANCE related to department of judicial
2 administration fees; including failure to follow court rules
3 or statutes as a reason the department of judicial
4 administration may charge the special handling fee; and
5 amending Ordinance 8752, Sections 1-3, as amended, and
6 K.C.C. 4.71.100.

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8 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

9 SECTION 1. A. Section 2 of this ordinance authorizes the department of judicial
10 administration to assess a fee for documents filed that require special handling,
11 specifically documents filed that do follow court rules or statutes.

12 B. Section 3 of this ordinance revises K.C.C. 4.71.100.

13 SECTION 2. The department of judicial administration is hereby authorized to
14 assess a fee for documents filed with the clerk's office that require extra handling because
15 of failure to follow court rules or statutes.

16 SECTION 3. Ordinance 8752, Sections 1-3, as amended, and K.C.C. 4.71.100
17 are each hereby amended to read as follows:

18 A. The department of judicial administration is hereby authorized to assess a fee
19 to anyone who files a document that requires special handling because of errors, failure to
20 follow court rules or statutes or lack of completeness. The department shall make the
21 decision to return the document to the filer on a case-by-case basis.

22 B. The fee assessed for a document that requires extra handling because of errors,
23 failure to follow court rules or statutes or lack of completeness shall be fifteen dollars for
24 each incorrect or incomplete document to cover all costs of the extra handling required.

25 C. The department of judicial administration shall establish a procedure for the
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27 collection of the fee.

28 SECTION 4. This ordinance takes effect January 1, 2009.

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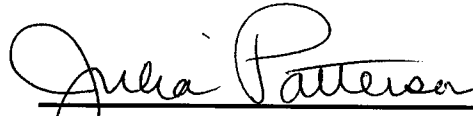
Ordinance 16291 was introduced on 10/20/2008 and passed by the Metropolitan King County Council on 11/17/2008, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Ms. Patterson, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Constantine, Ms. Lambert, Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Gossett, Mr. Phillips and Ms. Hague

No: 0

Excused: 0

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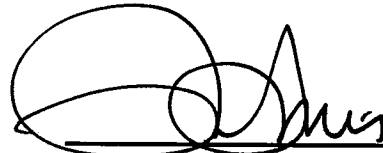
Julia Patterson, Chair

ATTEST:



Anne Noris, Clerk of the Council

APPROVED this 19 day of November 2008.



Ron Sims, County Executive

Attachments None

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