

Local Law Filing

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

County
~~CITY~~ of Clinton
~~TOWN~~
~~VILLAGE~~

Local Law No. 5 of the year 2002

A local law Establishing the Term of Office for the Office of
(Insert Title)
County Legislator

Be it enacted by the _____ of the
(Name of Legislative Body)

County
~~CITY~~ of Clinton as follows:
~~TOWN~~
~~Village~~

Pursuant to the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York and Article 5 of the County Law of the State of New York.

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the within Local Law to increase the efficiency and professionalism of county government and to make the terms correspond with other elected officials, by extending the term of County Legislators from three (3) years to four (4) years. The terms of County Legislators was previously extended from two (2) years to three (3) years in Local Law No. 4 of 1996.

SECTION 2. Commencing at the general election in November 2003, County Legislators will be elected to a four (4) year term of office, which initial term shall start on January 1, 2004.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Local Law shall become effective only if approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting upon the Local Law at the general election to be held in November 2002. If so approved, it shall become effective immediately and supersede Local Law No. 4 of 1996.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of this Legislature shall transmit the form of the proposition, which shall contain a brief statement of the text said Local Law and its number, to the Clerk of the

(If additional space is needed, attach pages the same size as this sheet, and number each.)

(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and strike out that which is not applicable.)

1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 19____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 19____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.
(Name of Legislative Body)

2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer*.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 19____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 19____, and was (approved)(not approved)(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ and was deemed duly adopted on _____ 19____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.
(Name of Legislative Body)
(Elective Chief Executive Officer)*

3. (Final adoption by referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 5 of ~~19~~ 2002 of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of Clinton ~~19~~ 2002 was duly passed by the Clinton County Legislature on 2/13 ~~19~~ 2002, and was (approved)(not approved)(repassed after ~~disapproval~~) by the Chairperson on 2/13 ~~19~~ 2002. Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a (mandatory)(~~permissive~~) referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the (general)(~~special~~)(~~annual~~) election held on 11/5 ~~19~~ 2002, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

4. (Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 19____ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of _____ was duly passed by the _____ on _____ 19____, and was (approved)(not approved)(repassed after disapproval) by the _____ on _____ 19____. Such local law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of _____ 19____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.
(Name of Legislative Body)
(Elective Chief Executive Officer)*

* Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairperson of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

Board of Elections. Thereafter, a sufficient number of copies of such proposition and abstract shall be printed and made available to the electors at the time of registration or otherwise in advance of election, and in addition, a sufficient number of copies shall be delivered with other election supplies, and distributed to the electors at the election, and in the event the Local Law is approved by an affirmative vote of the majority of the qualified electors voting upon the Local Law at the general election held in November 2002, the Clerk of this Legislature be, and the same hereby is, directed to renumber same as the appropriate Local Law of the Year 2002.

5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the City of _____ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on _____ became operative.

6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. _____ of 20____ of the County of _____ State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November _____ 20____ pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph _____, above.

William J. Buzel
Clerk of the County legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk
or officer designated by local legislative body

(Seal)

Date: December 23, 2002

(Certification to be executed by County Attorney, Corporation Counsel, Town Attorney, Village Attorney or other authorized attorney of locality.)

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF Clinton

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing local law contains the correct text and that all proper proceedings have been had or taken for the enactment of the local law annexed hereto.

Dennis D. Curtin
Signature
Dennis D. Curtin
County Attorney
Title

County
City of Clinton
Town
Village

Date: December 23, 2002