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ORDINANCE NO. 425, 1991

An Ordinance amending Littering Regulation and
Creating Civil Infraction Process for Violations

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CLALLAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

C.C.C. Chapter 19.20

Littering

Amend Chapter 19.20 to read as follows: "All new material shall be underlined, material deleted shall be placed within double parentheses and scored through."

Sections:

- 19.20.010 General Provisions
- 19.20.020 Debris Escaping from Vehicle
- 19.20.030 Ownership - Prima Facie Evidence
- ~~((19.20.040---Destruction-of-Signs))~~
- 19.20.050 ~~((Penalty))~~ Civil Infraction
- 19.20.055 Enforcement
- 19.20.060 Effective Date

C.C.C. 19.20.010. General Provisions. No person shall throw garbage, debris, bottles or any other waste material from any vehicle or otherwise deposit upon any public property or upon private property not owned by him, except at duly designated dumping places as set out and so marked ~~((from or near any public highway of Clallam County upon said highway right of way or upon private or public property adjoining said highway on either side of said right of way, except at duly designated dumping places as set out and so marked))~~ and authorized by the Commissioners of this county or otherwise permitted by the owners of ~~((adjoining))~~ private property or by constituted public authority. "Property" as used herein shall include fresh and salt water bodies.

C.C.C. 19.20.020. Debris Escaping from Vehicle. No vehicle shall be driven or moved on any public highways situated in ~~((of))~~ Clallam County unless such vehicle is so constructed or loaded as to prevent any of its load from dropping, sifting, leaking, or otherwise escaping therefrom, except that sand may be dropped for the purpose of securing traction, or water may be sprayed on roadways in the cleaning and maintaining of such roadways by public authority having such jurisdiction. Any person owning or operating a vehicle from which any

~~((glass-er))~~ objects have fallen or escaped ~~((which-would-constitute-an-obstruction-or-injure-a-vehicle-or-otherwise-endanger-travel-upon-such-public-highway;))~~ shall immediately and in a safe manner cause the said highway to be cleaned of all such ~~((glass-er))~~ objects.

C.C.C. 19.20.030. Ownership - Prima Facie Evidence. ~~((That identification-of-the-owner-and))~~ The location of any garbage, bottles, debris, or waste material ((or-other-foreign-matter-of-any-nature)) found upon any ((private-or)) public property ((adjoining)) or upon private property not owned by the person identified as the owner of the garbage, bottles, debris or waste material, except as provided in C.C.C. 19.20.010 or the location of objects upon any public highways situated in Clallam County ((on-any-public-highway-of-this-county)) shall be considered ((as)) prima facie evidence of its having been illegally deposited upon said public or private property or public highway by the said identified owner thereof. ((of-said-debris,-waste-material,-etc,-as-designated above-))

~~((C.C.C.--19.20.040.--Destruction-of-Signs.--That-no-person-shall mutilate,-destroy,-move,-change-or-alter-in-any-sign-or-signs-erected along-a-public-highway,-by-public-authority-for-the-purpose-of-admonition or-direction-or-otherwise-))~~

C.C. 19.20.050 ((Penalty)) Civil Infraction. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall be deemed to have committed a civil infraction and shall be assessed a civil penalty in the amount of \$250.00, and may further be penalized by the court as set forth in RCW 7.80 et seq as now or hereafter amended ~~((guilty-of-a-misdemeanor-and-shall-be-subject-upon-conviction-to-a-fine of-not-more-than-one-hundred-(\$100.00)-dollars-or-imprisonment-for-not more-than-30-days-in-the-Clallam-County-Jail-for-each-such-violation-))~~.

C.C.C. 19.20.((050)) 055. Enforcement. All law enforcement officers and the county litter control officer are authorized to issue notices of civil infraction; provided that, the procedure to be used for enforcement shall be that set forth in RCW 7.80. et seq as now or hereafter amended.

C.C.C. 19.20.060. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, the welfare of the County of Clallam requiring such action.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 28th DAY OF May, 1991.

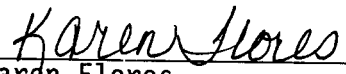
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