



City of Philadelphia

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**Referred to the
Committee on Licenses and Inspections**

AN ORDINANCE

Amending Chapter 10-700 (“Refuse and Littering”) of The Philadelphia Code to revise penalties related to dumpsters, all under certain terms and conditions.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Chapter 10-700 of The Philadelphia Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

CHAPTER 10-700. REFUSE AND LITTERING

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§ 10-719. Penalties.

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(6) The penalty for a violation of Section 10-722 shall be *as follows*:

(a) *For a Licensee*, a fine of at least three hundred dollars (\$300) and no more than one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500) for each violation.

(b) *For a Provider*, a fine of three hundred dollars (\$300) for the first offense, five hundred dollars (\$500) for the second offense, one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for the third offense, and two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for all subsequent violations.

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(c) A violation shall subject the violator to such equitable remedy as the Court may deem proper, including, without limitation, an order to remove or clean a dumpster.

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Explanation:

Italics indicate new matter added.