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**Title:** Amending Section 20-101 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Residence Requirements," by providing that certain employees in the civil service need not be a bona fide resident of the City when appointed, but must establish and maintain bona fide residence in the City within six months after appointment.

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4/10/2008	0	CITY COUNCIL	READ		
4/10/2008	0	CITY COUNCIL	PASSED	Pass	10:7
4/3/2008	0	CITY COUNCIL	ORDERED PLACED ON THIS DAY'S FIRST READING CALENDAR		
4/3/2008	0	CITY COUNCIL	SUSPEND THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL	Pass	
3/27/2008	0	Committee on Labor and Civil Service	HEARING NOTICES SENT		
3/27/2008	0	Committee on Labor and Civil Service	REPORTED FAVORABLY, RULE SUSPENSION REQUESTED		
3/27/2008	0	Committee on Labor and Civil Service	HEARING HELD		
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1/24/2008	0	CITY COUNCIL	Introduced	Pass	

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*THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA HEREBY ORDAINS:*

SECTION 1. Section 20-101 of The Philadelphia Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

§20-101. Residence Requirements.

[(1) No person shall be appointed as an employee in the civil service of the City unless he has been a bona fide resident of the City for at least one year prior to his appointment.]

[(2)] *(1)* Every employee in the civil service shall [maintain] establish his or her bona fide residence in the City *within six months of his or her appointment, and shall thereafter maintain bona fide residence in the City, except that no person shall be appointed as a laborer in the civil service of the City unless he or she has been a bona fide resident of the City for at least one year prior to his or her appointment.* The City Controller may require proof of the residence of any employee in the civil service.

[(3)] *(2)* The Civil Service Commission may, upon the request of the Personnel Director, waive the above residence qualifications when in its discretion the circumstances warrant a waiver.

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**Explanation:**

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted.

*Italics* indicate new matter added.