

Legislation Details (With Text)

File #:	140720	Version:	1	Name:	
Type:	Bill	Status:		ENACTED	
File created:	9/25/2014	In control:		Committee on Public Safety	
On agenda:		Final action:		10/30/2014	
Title:	Amending Title 10 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Regulation of Individual Conduct and Activity," to add a new Chapter 10-2100, entitled "Hate Crimes," to provide for additional penalties for criminal conduct motivated by hatred toward certain characteristics of other persons, under certain terms and conditions.				
Sponsors:	Councilmember Reynolds Brown, Councilmember Kenney, Councilmember Squilla, Councilmember Jones, Councilmember Greenlee, Councilmember Henon, Councilmember Bass, Councilmember Johnson, Councilmember Quiñones Sánchez, Council President Clarke, Councilmember O'Neill, Councilmember Blackwell, Councilmember O'Brien, Councilmember Neilson, Councilmember Goode, Councilmember Oh				
Indexes:	HATE CRIMES				
Code sections:					
Attachments:	1. CertifiedCopy14072001.pdf				

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result	Tally
11/12/2014	1	MAYOR	SIGNED		
10/30/2014	1	CITY COUNCIL	READ AND PASSED	Pass	17:0
10/23/2014	1	CITY COUNCIL	ORDERED PLACED ON THIS DAY'S FIRST READING CALENDAR		
10/23/2014	1	CITY COUNCIL	SUSPEND THE RULES OF THE COUNCIL	Pass	
10/23/2014	1	CITY COUNCIL	READ AND ORDERED PLACED ON NEXT WEEK'S SECOND READING CALENDAR		
10/21/2014	0	Committee on Public Safety	HEARING NOTICES SENT		
10/21/2014	0	Committee on Public Safety	HEARING HELD		
10/21/2014	0	Committee on Public Safety	AMENDED		
10/21/2014	1	Committee on Public Safety	REPORTED FAVORABLY, RULE SUSPENSION REQUESTED		
9/25/2014	0	CITY COUNCIL	Introduced and Referred	Pass	

Amending Title 10 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Regulation of Individual Conduct and Activity," to add a new Chapter 10-2100, entitled "Hate Crimes," to provide for additional penalties for criminal conduct motivated by hatred toward certain characteristics of other persons, under certain terms and conditions.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

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

TITLE 10. REGULATION OF INDIVIDUAL CONDUCT AND ACTIVITY.

* * *

CHAPTER 10-2200. HATE CRIMES.

§ 10-2201. Definitions.

(1) Hate crime. Commission of an offense under Title 18, Chapter 25 (relating to criminal homicide), Chapter 27 (relating to assault), Chapter 29 (relating to kidnapping), Chapter 31 (relating to sexual offenses), Chapter 33 (relating to arson, criminal mischief and other property destruction), or Section 3503 (relating to criminal trespass) of the Pennsylvania Crimes Code, against an individual or group of individuals or the property of an individual or group, accompanied by malicious intent as defined in subsection (2) hereof.

(2) Malicious intent. The intent to commit any act, the commission of which is a necessary element of any offense referred to in subsection (1) above, motivated by hatred toward the actual or perceived sexual orientation, gender or gender identity, or disability, as such terms are defined by § 9-1102 of this Code, of another individual or group of individuals.

§ 10-2202. Prohibited Conduct.

(1) No person shall commit a hate crime against another individual or group of individuals.

§ 10-2203. Penalties.

(1) Violation of this Chapter is punishable by a term of imprisonment of up to ninety (90) days, and a monetary fine not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

(2) Section 1-112 ("Notices of Violation") shall not be applicable to this Chapter.

SECTION 2. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall be effective immediately.