

CITY OF SEATTLE
ORDINANCE 126623
COUNCIL BILL 120363

AN ORDINANCE relating to prosecuting violations of domestic violence and other protection orders to make the Seattle Municipal Code consistent with state law; amending Section 12A.09.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 12A.09.020 of the Seattle Municipal Code, enacted by Ordinance 125881, is amended as follows:

12A.09.020 Adoption of RCW sections

The following RCW sections as amended are adopted by reference:

7.105.010 - Definitions

7.105.450 - Enforcement and penalties - Other than antiharassment protection orders and extreme risk protection orders

7.105.455 - Enforcement and penalties - Antiharassment protection orders

7.105.460 - Enforcement and penalties - Extreme risk protection orders - False petitions

9.68A.090 - Communication with minor for immoral purposes - Penalties

9.94A.030's definition of "Domestic violence"

9.94A.835 - Special allegation - Sexual motivation - Procedures

9A.36.041 - Assault in the fourth degree

9A.46.020 - Definition - Penalties (Harassment)

9A.46.030 - Place where committed

9A.46.040 - Court-ordered requirements upon person charged with crime - Violation

9A.46.050 - Arraignment - No-contact order

9A.46.080 - Order restricting contact - Violation

9A.46.085 - Stalking no-contact orders - Appearance before magistrate required

9A.46.110 - Stalking

9A.88.010 - Indecent exposure

9A.88.110 - Patronizing a prostitute

9A.88.130 - Additional requirements

10.99.010 - Intent

10.99.020 - Definitions

10.99.030 - Law Enforcement Officers - Training, powers, duties - Domestic violence reports

10.99.040 - Duties of court

10.99.055 - Enforcement of orders

10.99.100 - Sentencing - Factors - Defendant's criminal history

10.99.901 - Construction

26.44.063 - Temporary restraining order or preliminary injunction - Enforcement - Notice of
modification or termination of restraining order

26.44.067 - Temporary restraining order or preliminary injunction - Contents - Notice - Noncompliance
- Defense - Penalty

~~((26.50.010 - Definitions~~

~~26.50.110 - Violation of order - Penalties))~~

43.43.754's crime of refusal to provide DNA

As used in this Title 12A, as well as in any citation, order, complaint, or charging documents,
"sexual exploitation" means the crime of patronizing a prostitute as referred to in RCW 9A.88.110, and
the crime of patronizing a prostitute as referred to in RCW 9A.88.110 and incorporated by reference in

this Section 12A.09.020 may be known as “sexual exploitation” when charged in Seattle Municipal Court.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

Passed by the City Council the 12th day of July, 2022, and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 12th day of July, 2022.



President Pro Tem of the City Council

☒ Approved / ☐ returned unsigned / ☐ vetoed this 19th day of July, 2022.



Bruce A. Harrell, Mayor

Filed by me this 19th day of July, 2022.



Elizabeth M. Adkisson, Interim City Clerk

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