Introduced October 13, 2009, by Councilman Hursey, seconded by Councilman Hicks, (by request of Administration)

Item No. 09-10-2825

ORDINANCE NO. 3557

An ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Chapter 1, General Provisions, Section 1-12, relative to general penalty provision.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Slidell City Council that the Code of Ordinances of the City of Slidell, Chapter 1, General Provisions, is hereby rescinded and reenacted to read as follows:

"Sec. 1-12. General penalty.

It shall be unlawful for any person to violate or fail to comply with the provisions of this Code of Ordinances, and these shall be civil violations. Civil violators shall be subject to civil penalties and civil fines up to, but not exceeding, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) plus legislatively approved costs, expenses and legal interest from the date of violation, at the Court's discretion, per violation. Each day any violation of, or failure to comply with, any provision of this Code of Ordinances shall constitute a violation.

Any penalty heretofore adopted prior to the effective date of this Ordinance is hereby repealed."

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that Chapter 11, General Provisions, is hereby rescinded and reenacted to read as follows:

"Sec. 11-4. Penalties for violation of Chapter.

It shall be unlawful for any person to violate or fail to comply with any provision of this Chapter. The violation of, or failure to comply with, any provision of this Chapter shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or

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imprisonment for a term not exceeding six (6) months, or both by such fine and imprisonment, within the discretion of the Court, together with all legislatively allowed costs.

Any penalty heretofore adopted prior to the effective date of this Ordinance is hereby repealed."

ADOPTED this 9th day of February, 2010.

Lionel Hicks

President of the Council Councilman, District A

Ben O.-Morris Mayor

Thomas P. Reeves
Council Administrator

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