Amendments to Council Bill 118407 – DPD 2014 Omnibus ORD Remove language authorizing the DPD Director to issue citations for failure to comply with noise variance conditions. Sponsor: O'Brien

The amendment would remove language that would authorize the DPD Director to issue a citation, instead of a stop work order or notice of violation, for failure to comply with conditions of a variance from the standards of the Noise Ordinance.

Section 81. Section 25.08.590 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance

122923, is amended as follows:

25.08.590 Granting of variance

E. <u>Variance conditions</u>

<u>1.</u> The Administrator may impose conditions, including but not limited to conditions relating to types of equipment, hours of use, and duration, to mitigate the adverse impacts of granting the variance. The Administrator may also include conditions proposed by the applicant as part of the variance application. Compliance with the Noise Management and Mitigation Plan approved by the Administrator is a condition of every variance.

2. Failure to comply with the conditions of a noise variance or with any permit conditions relating to noise may be subject to issuance of a citation under Section 25.08.900 and to the penalties of Section 25.08.960, at the discretion of the Administrator, for a single incidence of non-compliance. This remedy is an alternative to, but not in lieu of, the procedures in Sections 25.08.720 and 25.08.730. The procedures of Sections 25.08.720 and 25.08.730 shall apply to continuing failure to comply.
