



Executive Chamber, City of Providence, Rhode Island

Vincent A. Cianci, Jr.
MAYOR

May 2, 1980

The Honorable Members
The City Council of the
City of Providence
City Hall
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Honorable Members:

I hereby disapprove and veto the Resolution because it attempts to unlawfully interfere with the Executive Branch of Government's function.

Respectfully submitted,

VINCENT A. CIANCI, JR.
Mayor of Providence

IN CITY COUNCIL

MAY 15 1980

READ:

WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

CLERK

THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No.

Approved

RESOLVED, That the General Assembly of the State of Rhode Island is hereby requested to introduce and urge passage of the following amendments to Chapter 6, of the Charter of the City of Providence relating to Purchasing:

In Section 6.4, beginning in Line 4, delete the words "Finance Director" and add "Finance Committee of the City Council and shall hold Office at the pleasure of said Committee";

In Line 8, delete the colon and add the following, "Subject to ratification by the Finance Committee. All decisions of the Board of Contract and Supply shall be submitted to the Finance Committee for final approval";

Accordingly, that portion of Section 6.4 shall read as follows:

"There shall be established in the finance department a purchasing division. The head of the purchasing division shall be known and designated as the city purchasing agent. The city purchasing agent shall be appointed by the Finance Committee of the Council and shall hold Office at the pleasure of said Committee and pursuant to rules and regulations prescribed by ordinance and shall exercise the powers and duties of the department and director relative to purchasing. The city purchasing agent shall have authority, subject to ratification by the Finance Committee. All decisions of the Board of Contract and Supply shall be submitted to the Finance Committee for final approval;"

In Section 6.3, delete sub-paragraph (a) and reletter accordingly.

In Section 5.49, Line 1, following the word "Charter" add "and subject to the review of the Finance Committee of the City Council";

Accordingly, that portion of Section 5.49 shall read as follows:

"Subject to the other provisions of this charter and subject to the review of the Finance Committee of the City Council, and except as otherwise provided therein, the board of contract and supply shall have and exercise all powers and duties vested in said board upon the date of the adoption of this charter,---".

IN CITY COUNCIL
MAY 1 1980
READ AND PASSED

Rolph Scamali
PRES.

Rose M. Mendonca
CLERK

I HEREBY DISAPPROVE
AND VETO THIS
RESOLUTION

Joanna C. Craver, Jr.
May 2, 1980

Councilman Addison and Easton (By Request)

May 2, 1980

Senator Rocco A. Quattrocchi
State House, Room 312
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Senator Quattrocchi,

Enclosed is copy of Resolution presented to the
City Council on May 1, 1980, read and passed by said
members, and vetoed by His Honor the Mayor.

Very truly yours,

Rose M. Mendonca,
City Clerk.

RMM/jma