

# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 298

Approved May 27, 1999

IN THE REGISTRATION  
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF  
CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 27 1999

RESOLVED, That the Providence City Council hereby  
Endorses and Urges Passage by the General Assembly of Senate Bill 99S-  
0384 Relating to Towns and Cities-General Powers-City of Providence, in  
substantially the form attached.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 20 1999  
READ AND PASSED  
*[Signature]*  
PRES.  
*Michael R. Clement*  
CLERK

**APPROVED**  
MAY 27 1999  
*Vincent A. Cianci*  
MAYOR

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAR 4 1999  
FIRST READING  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON  
STATE LEGISLATION

*Michael P. Clement*  
Clerk

THE COMMITTEE ON  
*State Legislation*  
Recommends Passage  
*Lou L. Lujan*  
Clerk  
MAY 17 1999

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*Council President Lombardi and  
All the Members of the City Council*

COUNCIL PRESIDENT

JOHN J. LOMBARDI

48 GROVE STREET  
PROVIDENCE, RI 02909

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COMMITTEE

Claims and Pending  
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Chairman

## City of Providence, Rhode Island

February 11, 1999

Mr. Michael R. Clement, City Clerk  
City Clerk's Department  
City Hall  
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Re: Providence City Council Resolution in Support of An Act Relating to Towns and  
Cities - General Powers - City of Providence - Senate Bill 99-S-0384

Dear Mr. Clement:

I am requesting that the Providence City Council support the enclosed legislation, which was presented to the Rhode Island General Assembly on February 4, 1999 relative to a proposed amendment to Chapter 45-2 of the General Laws entitled "General Powers".

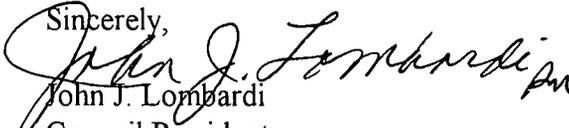
This Senate Bill has been introduced by Senators Ruggerio, Kells, Igliozzi, Perry, Caprio, et al. This act would place a four (4) year moratorium on the issuance of adult entertainment licenses within the City of Providence.

This amendment to the general law would read: 45-2-23.1 City of Providence - Bureau of Licenses - Moratorium.-- the Bureau of licenses within the City of Providence, shall not issue, to any establishment which is not an operating business as of February 1, 1999, any adult entertainment licenses or any entertainment licenses that would permit adult entertainment for a period of four (4) years from the effective date of this section.

I am requesting that a resolution in support of Senate Bill 99-S-0384 with regard to this moratorium be placed in the next docket of the Providence City Council.

Thank you for your consideration. If you should have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

  
John J. Lombardi  
Council President

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Enclosure(s)

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND****IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY****JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1999**

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**A N A C T****RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS -- CITY OF PROVIDENCE****99-S 0384****Introduced By: Senators Ruggerio, Kells, Iglizzi, Perry, Caprio, et al.****Date Introduced: February 4, 1999****Referred To: Read and Passed**

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