

ORDINANCE NO. 182787

An ordinance amending Section 19.123 of Article 1 of Chapter 12 of Division 19 the Los Angeles Administrative Code to provide for reward offers for information leading to the identification and apprehension of individuals who make false 911 "swatting" calls.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**


Section. 1. Paragraph C of Subdivision 5 of Subsection (b) of Section 19.123 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code is added to read as follows:

**C.** A violation of either California Penal Code Section 148.3 or 653x by making a false 911 "swatting" call or report. For purposes of this section, the term "swatting" is a malicious prank that causes a law enforcement emergency response to a location where no crime is occurring.


Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was introduced at the meeting of the Council of the City of Los Angeles of OCT 30 2013, and was passed at its meeting of NOV 06 2013.

HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, Interim City Clerk

By  Deputy

Approved 11/12/13

 Mayor

Approved as to Form and Legality

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

By   
BRIAN L. SOTTILE  
Deputy City Attorney

Date July 26, 2013

File No. 13-0430

## DECLARATION OF POSTING ORDINANCE

I, MARIA VIZCARRA, state as follows: I am, and was at all times hereinafter mentioned, a resident of the State of California, over the age of eighteen years, and a Deputy City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, California.

**Ordinance No. 182787 – Amending Section 19.123 of Article 1 of Chapter 12 of Division 19 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to provide for reward offers for information leading to the identification and apprehension of individuals who make false 911 “swatting” calls** - a copy of which is hereto attached, was finally adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on **November 6, 2013**, and under the direction of said City Council and the City Clerk, pursuant to Section 251 of the Charter of the City of Los Angeles and Ordinance No. 172959, on **November 14, 2013** I posted a true copy of said ordinance at each of the three public places located in the City of Los Angeles, California, as follows: 1) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; 2) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; 3) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

Copies of said ordinance were posted conspicuously beginning on **November 14, 2013** and will be continuously posted for ten or more days.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed this **14th** day of **November, 2013** at Los Angeles, California.

  
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Maria Vizcarra, Deputy City Clerk