

ORDINANCE 3685 A

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KIRKLAND RELATING TO DRUGS AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES.

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend Kirkland Municipal Code Section 11.77.020 so that the penalty provisions for drugs and controlled substances are consistent with RCW Chapter 69.50.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Kirkland do ordain as follows:

Section 1. KMC Section 11.77.020 is hereby repealed.

Section 2. KMC Chapter 11.77 is hereby amended by the addition of a new section to be known as KMC 11.77.020 and to read as follows:

**11.77.020 Penalties**

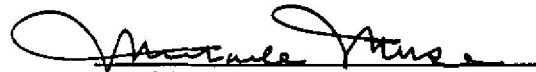
The penalty for a violation of this Chapter shall be the same as provided for under RCW Chapter 69.50. For example, any person who is convicted of a violation under this Chapter which comes within the scope of RCW 69.50.425, "Misdemeanor Violation", shall be punished pursuant to RCW 69.50.425 as now in effect, or as RCW 69.50.425 may be subsequently amended or replaced.

Section 3. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of the ordinance, or the application of the provision to other persons or circumstances is not affected.

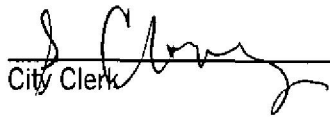
Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect five days from and after its passage by the Kirkland City Council and publication, as required by law.

Passed by majority vote of the Kirkland City Council in regular, open meeting this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1999.

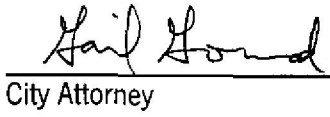
Signed in authentication thereof this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1999.

  
MAYOR

Attest:

Deputy City Clerk 

Approved as to Form:

City Attorney 

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