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NOTICE OF INTENDED PASSAGE AND SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

Notice is given pursuant to KRS 67.077 that the Fiscal Court of Hart County, Kentucky, at a regular meeting on Monday, November 15, 2010, at 9:00 a.m. at the Hart County Courthouse, Munfordville, Kentucky, held a first reading of an Ordinance relating to adult entertainment establishments to consider the Ordinance for passage and adoption. Persons wishing to express their opinion on the proposed Ordinance may do so at the second reading of said Ordinance scheduled to occur at a regular meeting of the Fiscal Court of Hart County, Kentucky, on Thursday, December 2, 2010, at 9:00 a.m. at the Hart County Courthouse. The title and summary of the Ordinance is as follows:

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO ADULT ENTERTAINMENT ESTABLISHMENTS:

- 1. The Ordinance is to establish a licensing process for the regulation of adult entertainment establishments, to promote the health, safety, and general welfare of Hart County citizens and to establish uniform regulations to prevent the deleterious secondary effects of sexually oriented businesses within Hart County
- 2. Persons or entities desiring to engage in adult entertainment establishments shall apply for an annual license and pay the annual license fee of \$5,000.
- 3. Upon the filing of an application for an adult entertainment establishment license or employee license, the Director shall cause the premises to be inspected for compliance. Within 30 business days after receipt of an application, the Director shall issue a license or issue a notice of intent to deny a license. No person shall operate, own or be employed at an unlicensed adult entertainment establishment. No owner shall permit unlicensed adult entertainment activities to operate on his property. An appeal process is created for license denial, suspension, or revocation.
- 4. Restrictions and Operating Rules include signage, construction, age requirements, restricted operating hours, unlawful activities, public view limitations, and location requirements to include that no adult entertainment establishment shall be located within 1,000 feet of a school, park, place of worship, governmental building, or residential area.
- 5. Penalties and fines are prescribed for the operation of adult entertainment establishment in violation of such provisions.

A copy of the full text of the Ordinance is available for public inspection in the office of the Fiscal Court Clerk, Hart County Courthouse, Munfordville, Kentucky, during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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