# A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND LOCAL LAW 1 OF 1992

**Explanation:** This Amendment to Local Law No. 1 of 1992 shall be for the purpose of increasing civil penalties for violations of Chapter 171, Section 6, Sub-part B of the County Code, commonly referred to as the "Flow Control Ordinance", from One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) per violation to a tiered system of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) for a first violation, Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars ($2,500) for a second violation, and Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) for any subsequent violation.

**Legislative Intent:** The Sullivan County Legislature, after consideration, declares that it is in the best interest of the citizens of Sullivan County to amend Local Law No. 1 of 1992 by increasing civil penalties for violations of Chapter 171, Section 6, Sub-part B of the County Code, commonly referred to as the "Flow Control Ordinance", from One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) per violation to a tiered system of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) for a first violation, Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars ($2,500) for a second violation, and Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) for any subsequent violation, as detailed below:

**Amendment(s):**

(1) Add the following language to line four (4) of Section 171-18 after the words "shall be deemed to be a separate violation.":

"Notwithstanding the foregoing, any person who shall violate § 171-6(B) of this chapter shall be liable to the County of Sullivan for a civil penalty in the amount of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) for a first violation, Twenty-Five Hundred Dollars ($2,500) for a second violation, and Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) for any subsequent violation."

All other language remains unchanged and in full force and effect.

**Effective:** This Local Law shall become effective as of the date of filing with the Secretary of State.

Dated: _____ __, 2026 **AnnMarie Martin, Clerk to the Legislature**