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ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain Section 3-2-102 (LEVY AND RATE) of Article I (TAX ON SALE OF CIGARETTES) of Chapter 2 (TAXATION) of Title 3 (FINANCE, TAXATION AND PROCUREMENT) of the Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as amended.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 3-2-102 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as amended, be, and the same hereby is, amended and reordained to read as follows:

Sec. 3-2-102 Levy and rate.

(a) In addition to all other taxes of every kind now or hereinafter imposed by law, there is hereby levied and imposed by the city, upon every person who sells or uses cigarettes within the city, from and after the effective date of this article an excise tax equivalent to ~~\$1.00~~15 for each package of cigarettes sold or used within the city. The tax shall be paid and collected in the manner and at the time hereinafter prescribed; provided, that the tax payable for each cigarette or cigarette package sold or used within the city shall be paid but once.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall become effective on July 1, 2014.

WILLIAM D. EUILLE
Mayor

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