

CITY of ALBUQUERQUE

TWENTY THIRD COUNCIL

COUNCIL BILL NO. RA-19-1 ENACTMENT NO. _____

SPONSORED BY: Diane G. Gibson

1 RULES AMENDMENT

2 AMENDING THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE ARTICLE II, Section
3 4, AND ARTICLE III, Section 21, RELATING TO THE INTERNAL OPERATIONS
4 COMMITTEE.

5 WHEREAS, the Internal Operations Committee (the Committee) was
6 established as a means for the City Council to review issues relating to the
7 staff, facilities, and operating budget of the Council Services Department; and

8 WHEREAS, the Committee is not meeting its intended purpose as an
9 effective means of communicating potentially sensitive staff issues between
10 the Director of Council Services and the City Council; and

11 WHEREAS, the issues of departmental operating budget, including the
12 monitoring of expenditures and use of budget reversions, can be evaluated
13 through other means.

14 Section 1. Article II, Section 4 (B), Internal Operations Committee, is
15 hereby deleted from the Council Rules of Procedure and subsequent Sections
16 shall be renumbered accordingly:

17 “[~~B. Internal Operations Committee (5 members—President chairs). Areas of~~
18 ~~responsibility include: City Council staff; physical facilities and~~
19 ~~operating budget.]”.~~

20 Section 2. Article III, Section 21 (B), Director, is hereby amended as follows:

21 “B. Director. The Director of Council Services shall, after consultation with the
22 President [~~and members of the Internal Operations Committee~~], hire, have
23 charge of, and see that all employees of the City Council perform their
24 respective duties and shall have general control of the City Council Office.”

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