

**ORDINANCE NO. 7-01-1**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ABBEVILLE, ALABAMA, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION TO AMEND SECTION 7-7 OF ORDINANCE NO. 12-94-2 WHICH WAS ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF ABBEVILLE, ALABAMA, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ON DECEMBER 19, 1994 AND TO AMEND SECTION 7-47 OF ORDINANCE NO. 12-94-2 WHICH WAS ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF ABBEVILLE, ALABAMA, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ON DECEMBER 19, 1994.**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Abbeville, Alabama, A Municipal Corporation, as follows:

**SECTION I. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 7-7 ENTITLED LATE FEES OF ORDINANCE NO. 12-94-2:**

The City Council of the City of Abbeville, Alabama, A Municipal Corporation hereby amends Section 7-7 entitled Late Fees of Ordinance No. 12-94-2 entitled Business Licenses, Taxes and Regulations by deleting the entire paragraph and replacing the same with the following language, to wit:

**7.7 The failure to obtain the privilege license provided for in Section 7-1 of this code by February Fifteen (15<sup>th</sup>), in addition to the other penalties herein provided, shall result in a penalty of twenty percent (20%) of the amount of such privilege license in default. The continued failure to obtain the privilege license provided for in Section 7-1 of this code by March First (1<sup>st</sup>), shall result in a penalty of fifty percent (50%) of the amount of such privilege license in default.**

**SECTION II. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 7-47 ENTITLED PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF ORDINANCE NO. 12-94-2:**

The City Council of the City of Abbeville, Alabama, A Municipal Corporation hereby amends Section 7-47 entitled Penalty for Violation of Ordinance No. 12-94-2 entitled Business Licenses, Taxes and Regulations by deleting the entire paragraph and replacing the same with the following language, to wit:

**7.47 The City of Abbeville, Alabama, A Municipal Corporation hereby adopts Alabama Code § 11-51-93 (1975), as amended. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation, or agent of a firm or corporation to engage in businesses or vocations in the City of Abbeville, Alabama, A Municipal Corporation, for which a license may be required without first having procured a license thereof. A violation of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of**

not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for each offense, and by imprisonment, not to exceed six (6) months, or both, at the discretion of the court trying the same, and each day shall constitute a separate offense.

**SECTION III. SEVERABILITY.**

The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any part of this ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, such declaration shall not affect the part which remains.

**SECTION IV. REPEAL.**

This ordinance does not repeal any other prior ordinance or portion thereof, previously adopted by the City of Abbeville, Alabama, a Municipal Corporation.


**SECTION V. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

The provisions of this ordinance shall become effective upon adoption and publication.

ADOPTED this 2nd day of July, 2001.

**ATTEST:**

**CITY OF ABBEVILLE, ALABAMA, A  
MUNICIPAL CORPORATION**

  
**J. M. GIGANTI, CITY CLERK**

BY:   
**DAN BLALOCK, MAYOR**