ORDINANCE NO. 2021-0008

An Ordinance Amending Section 5.160.090 of the Sacramento City Code, Relating to Worker Protection, Health, and Safety; and Declaring the Ordinance to be an Emergency Measure to Take Effect Immediately Upon Adoption

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO:

SECTION 1.

Section 5.160.090 of the Sacramento City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

5.160.090 Sunset.

A. Except as provided in subsection B, this chapter has no effect after June 30, 2021.

B. An employee may bring an action, or continue to pursue any of the remedies described in section 5.160.080, after June 30, 2021 if the alleged violation occurred before July 1, 2021.

SECTION 2. Emergency Declaration.

The City Council declares this ordinance to be an emergency measure, to take effect immediately upon its adoption pursuant to Sacramento City Charter section 32(g)(2). The facts constituting the emergency include (a) those set forth in Sacramento City Code section 5.160.020; (b) the current expiration of chapter 5.160 on March 31, 2021; (c) the continuing community-wide risks of COVID-19 exposure as various sectors of the economy re-open in the coming months; (d) and the need to ensure uninterrupted extension of the worker protections afforded by chapter 5.160 until such time as vaccine distribution is sufficiently widespread across all segments of society.
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on March 16, 2021 by the following vote:

Ayes: Members Ashby, Guerra, Harris, Jennings, Loloe, Schenirer, Valenzuela, Vang, and Mayor Steinberg

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: None

Attest: Mindy Cuppy

Mindy Cuppy, City Clerk

The presence of an electronic signature certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy as approved by the Sacramento City Council.

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