

# Local Law Filing

(Use this form to file a local law with the Secretary of State.)

Text of law should be given as amended. Do not include matter being eliminated and do not use italics or underlining to indicate new matter.

County  City  Town  Village  
(Select one:)

of Cortland

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**JUN 20 2014**

Local Law No. 4

of the year 2014

**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**A local law**

A Local Law Restating Local Law No. 1 of 2009 Providing for the Amendment of Local Law

(Insert Title)

No. 1 of 2002 Entitled "A Local Law Imposing a Tax Upon the Occupancy of Hotel and

Motel Rooms in Cortland County Pursuant to Article 29, Section 1202-9 of the Tax Law of

the State of New York

Be it enacted by the Legislature

(Name of Legislative Body)

of the

County  City  Town  Village  
(Select one:)

of Cortland

as follows:

See Attached

(If additional space is needed, attach pages the same size as this sheet, and number each.)

(Complete the certification in the paragraph that applies to the filing of this local law and strike out that which is not applicable.)

**1. (Final adoption by local legislative body only.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. 4 of 2014 of the ~~(City)(Town)(Village)~~ (County) of Cortland was duly passed by the Cortland County Legislature on June 12, 2014, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.  
*(Name of Legislative Body)*

**2. (Passage by local legislative body with approval, no disapproval or repassage after disapproval by the Elective Chief Executive Officer\*.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, and was (approved)(not approved) *(Name of Legislative Body)* (repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ and was deemed duly adopted *(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)* on 20  , in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

**3. (Final adoption by referendum.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, and was (approved)(not approved) *(Name of Legislative Body)* (repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_. *(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)*

Such local law was submitted to the people by reason of a (mandatory)(permissive) referendum, and received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors voting thereon at the (general)(special)(annual) election held on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

**4. (Subject to permissive referendum and final adoption because no valid petition was filed requesting referendum.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the (County)(City)(Town)(Village) of \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, and was (approved)(not approved) *(Name of Legislative Body)* (repassed after disapproval) by the \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_. Such local law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law. *(Elective Chief Executive Officer\*)*

\* Elective Chief Executive Officer means or includes the chief executive officer of a county elected on a county-wide basis or, if there be none, the chairperson of the county legislative body, the mayor of a city or village, or the supervisor of a town where such officer is vested with the power to approve or veto local laws or ordinances.

**5. (City local law concerning Charter revision proposed by petition.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the City of \_\_\_\_\_ having been submitted to referendum pursuant to the provisions of section (36)(37) of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of such city voting thereon at the (special)(general) election held on \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, became operative.

**6. (County local law concerning adoption of Charter.)**

I hereby certify that the local law annexed hereto, designated as local law No. \_\_\_\_\_ of 20\_\_\_\_ of the County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of New York, having been submitted to the electors at the General Election of November \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, pursuant to subdivisions 5 and 7 of section 33 of the Municipal Home Rule Law, and having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the cities of said county as a unit and a majority of the qualified electors of the towns of said county considered as a unit voting at said general election, became operative.

**(If any other authorized form of final adoption has been followed, please provide an appropriate certification.)**

I further certify that I have compared the preceding local law with the original on file in this office and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such original local law, and was finally adopted in the manner indicated in paragraph 1 above.

*James D. Bolan*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the county legislative body, City, Town or Village Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body

Date: 6-17-14

(Seal)

**(Certification to be executed by County Attorney, Corporation Counsel, Town Attorney, Village Attorney or other authorized attorney of locality.)**

STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF Cortland

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing local law contains the correct text and that all proper proceedings have been had or taken for the enactment of the local law annexed hereto.

*Karen L. Howe*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature  
County Attorney  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

County  
~~City~~ of Cortland  
Town \_\_\_\_\_  
Village \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 6-17-14

**Adopt a Local Law Restating Local Law No. 1 of 2009 Providing for the Amendment of Local Law No. 1 of 2002 Entitled “A Local Law Imposing a Tax Upon the Occupancy of Hotel and Motel Rooms in Cortland County Pursuant to Article 29, Section 1202-9 of the Tax Law of the State of New York”**

WHEREAS, said Local Law has been in its final form upon the desks of the members of the Legislature at least seven (7) calendar days, exclusive of Sunday, prior to this date; AND

WHEREAS, a public hearing thereon has been held before this Legislature after publication of notice thereof as legally required;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that proposed Local Law “D” for the year 2014 is hereby adopted and shall take effect upon the filing thereof in the Office of the Secretary of State as provided by Municipal Home Rule Law, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Legislature shall cause an abstract of this local law to be published in the County’s official newspaper at least once a week for two successive weeks, the first publication of which shall be had within ten days after the local law becomes effective;

NOW, THEREFORE

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Legislature of the County of Cortland as follows:

**Section 1.** Short Title and Statement of Intent.

This Local Law shall be known as a Local Law Amending the Cortland County Room Occupancy Tax. The intent of this Local Law shall be to amend Section 19(c) of said Local Law to provide for a penalty for failure to file a certificate of registration pursuant to the Local Law.

**Section 2.**

Local Law 1 of 2002 is hereby amended by adding to Section 19(c) thereof the number \$250.00 after the words penalty in the second sentence, and substituting therefore the following: Any operator or officer of a corporate operator who fails to file a certificate of registration as provided under this Local Law shall be subject to a penalty of \$250.00 for each month of delinquency in filing such certificate. Officers of a corporate operator shall be personally liable for the tax collected or required to be collected by such corporation under this Local Law, and subject to the penalties herein above imposed.

**Section 3.**

In all other respects, all other Sections of Local Law No. 1 of 2002 are ratified and confirmed.


**Section 4.**

This Local Law shall take effect upon the filing thereof in the Office of the Secretary of State as provided by the Municipal Home Rule Law.

**STATE OF NEW YORK ) SS:  
COUNTY OF CORTLAND )**

This is to certify that I, the undersigned, Clerk of the Cortland County Legislature, have compared the foregoing copy with the original now on file in this office, and that the above actions were passed by the Cortland County Legislature on the 12th day of June, 2014 and that the same is a correct and true transcript of such actions taken.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand  
and the official seal of the CORTLAND COUNTY  
LEGISLATURE, this 12th day of June, 2014.

  
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**Jeremy D. Boylan, Clerk of the Legislature  
Cortland County**