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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 OF LEWIS

Local Law No. 5 of the Year 2007

**A LOCAL LAW TO AMEND THE LEWIS COUNTY
ETHICS LAW (Local Law No. 5 -- 2005).**

(Insert Title)

BE IT ENACTED by the Board of Legislators of the County of Lewis, as follows:

SECTION 1. TITLE.

This local law shall be known and may be cited as the "A Local Law to Amend the Lewis County Ethics Law (Local Law No. 5 -- 2005)".

SECTION 2. AUTHORITY.

This local law is enacted pursuant to section 806 of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York and section 10 of the Municipal Home Rule Law and is not intended to authorize any conduct prohibited by Article 18 of the General Municipal Law. This local law also supplements other provisions of law regulating ethics in local government, such as section 107 of the Civil Service Law of the State of New York.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.

- (a) Section 201 of "**PART B: ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS**" of Local Law No. 5 – 2005, is hereby amended and superceded by deleting Subparagraph 2 thereof and the following language shall be substituted therefor:

"2. No more than one member of the Ethics Board may be an appointed officer or employee of the County. Of the total membership of the Ethics Board, no more than two members shall be registered in the same political party."

- (b) Except as specifically amended and superceded herein, the provisions contained in Local Law No. 5 – 2005 shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing in the office of the Secretary of State and in compliance with all applicable provisions of law.

(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. 5 of 2007, of the County of Lewis was duly adopted by the Lewis County Board of Legislators on October 2, 2007, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.

~~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 disapproved, repassed after disapproval, by the _____, and was deemed duly adopted 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 disapproved, repassed after disapproval, by the _____ on _____, 20__. 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.~~

* 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 chairman 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.

4. ~~(Subject to a 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 the County of Lewis was duly passed by the Lewis County Board of Legislators on _____. Such Local Law was subject to permissive referendum and no valid petition requesting such referendum was filed as of _____, in accordance with the applicable provisions of law.~~

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 the 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 of 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.



Clerk of the Lewis County Board of Legislature
Clerk or officer designated by local legislative body
TERESA K. CLARK, CLERK
Date: November 16, 2007

(Seal)

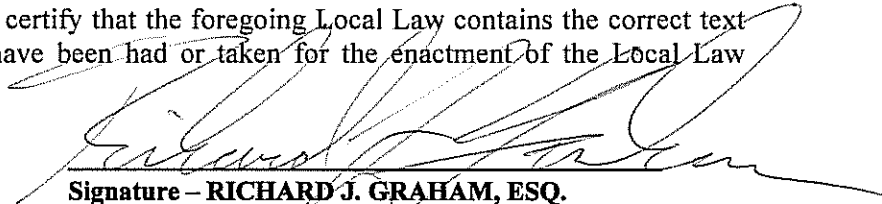
(Certification to be executed by County Attorney, Corporation Counsel, Town Attorney, Village Attorney or other authorized Attorney of locality.)

STATE OF NEW YORK)

ss:

COUNTY OF LEWIS)

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.



Signature – RICHARD J. GRAHAM, ESQ.
LEWIS COUNTY ATTORNEY
County of Lewis
Date: November 16, 2007