BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE ORDINANCE 2006-05

3-20-2006 Ch. I., Art. II Ceneral Provisions: Violations and Y OF UNION. Penalties

"AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE, COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, INCREASING THE MAXIMUM PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF A MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE"

BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of New Providence,
County of Union, State of New Jersey, that Section 1-15.A, Violations and
Penalties, of Article II, Chapter 1, General Provisions, of the Code of the Borough
of New Providence, is hereby amended in its entirety to read follows:

1. Section 1-15 Violations and Penalties.

A. Except as hereinafter provided, whenever in this Code or in any other ordinance or resolution of the borough, or in any such rule, regulation or order promulgated pursuant to such Code or other ordinance of the borough, any act is prohibited or made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or whenever in such Code or in such other borough ordinance, resolution, rule, regulation or order, the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, where no specific penalty is provided therefor, the violation of any such provision of this Code or any other ordinance or resolution of the borough or of any rule, regulation or order promulgated pursuant to such Code or other borough ordinance shall be punished by one (1) or more of the following: imprisonment in the county jail or in any place provided by the municipality for the detention of any prisoners for a term not exceeding ninety (90) days; a fine not exceeding two thousand (\$2,000) dollars; a period of community service not exceeding ninety (90) days, provided that, if the

violation is a violation of housing or zoning codes, then the owner shall be provided a 30-day period in which to cure or abate the condition and shall also be afforded an opportunity for a hearing before the municipal court for an independent determination concerning the violation. Subsequent to the expiration of the 30-day period, a fine greater than one thousand two hundred fifty (\$1,250.00) may be imposed if the court has not determined otherwise or, upon reinspection of the property, it has determined that the abatement has not been substantially completed.

2. This ordinance shall take effect as provided by law.

Introduced: March 6, 2006 Adopted: March 20, 2006

> BOROUGH OF NEW PROVIDENCE COUNTY OF UNION STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Allen	Morgan,	Mayor

Attest:

Wendi B. Barry, Borough Clerk