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CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 3820

AN ORDINANCE expanding the scope of the crime of Obscuring the Identity of a Machine to include possession of property with obscured serial numbers and amending Section 10A.56.180 of the Bellevue City Code and Ordinance No. 3516 Section 11 (part) and Section 20 (part).

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 3516 Section 11 (part) and Section 20 (part) and Bellevue City Code Section 10A.56.180 are each hereby amended to read as follows:

10A.56 180 Obscuring identity of a machine.

- A. A person is guilty of obscuring the identity of a machine if he knowingly:
1. Obscures the manufacturer's serial number or any other distinguishing identification number or mark upon any vehicle, machine, engine, apparatus, appliance, or other device with intent to render it unidentifiable; or
 2. Possesses a vehicle, machine, engine, apparatus, appliance, or other device (~~held for sale~~) knowing that the serial number or other identification number or mark has been obscured.
- B. "Obscure" means to remove, deface, cover, alter, destroy, or otherwise render unidentifiable.
- C. Obscuring the identity of a machine is a gross misdemeanor.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty

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days after final passage by the City Council.

PASSED by the City Council this 8th day of September 1987,
and signed in authentication of its passage this 8th day
of September 1987.

(SEAL)


Cary E. Bozeman, Mayor

Approved as to form:

Richard L. Andrews, City Attorney


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Attest:

Marie K. O'Connell, City Clerk

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