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**Act No. M-3 (H.73). Municipal charters; City of Barre; amendments**

**An act relating to approval of amendments to the charter of the City of Barre**

This act amends the charter of the City of Barre to authorize the City to:

- Impose the penalties permitted by 24 V.S.A. § 1974a for violation of an ordinance.
- Purchase real property and lesser interests in real property for the public benefit.
- Publish ordinances in a manner other than publication in a newspaper of general circulation, provided that the manner of publication is permitted by State law.
- Adopt and enforce ordinances relating to the mediation of landlord-tenant issues by the Housing Board of Review.

This act also amends the charter of the City of Barre to grant the Housing Board of Review the powers necessary to act as a mediator in landlord-tenant issues pursuant to City ordinance.

Effective Date: April 19, 2019