

**LOCAL LAW INTRO. NO. -2009**

A LOCAL LAW amending the Laws of Westchester County, in relation to gender-based discrimination.

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

Section 1. Paragraph "9." of Section 700.02 of the Laws of Westchester County is hereby amended to read as follows:

9. *Gender* means:

a. The physiological and psychological characteristics of being a male or female;

and

b. gender identity, self-image, appearance, behavior, or expression, whether or not such gender identity, self image, appearance, behavior or expression is different from that traditionally associated with the legal sex assigned to that person at birth.

Section 2. This Local Law shall take effect immediately.