ORDINANCE NO. ___3028

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR A FIFTEEN THOUSAND (\$15,000.00) DOLLAR EXEMPTION TO TAXATION ON THE RESIDENTIAL HOMESTEAD OF INDIVIDUALS, WHO QUALIFY UNDER LAW, AS DISABLED, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESQUITE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby adopted an exemption of ad valorem taxation in the amount of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars on the residence homestead of individuals, who qualify under law, as disabled, said "residence homestead" being as defined in Section 11.13(j) of the Property Tax Code adopted by the 66th legislature.

SECTION 2. The necessity to immediately put into effect the tax exemption as authorized herein creates an urgency and an emergency and requires that this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Mesquite, Texas, on the 17th day of April, 1995.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Lynn Prugel City Secretary

City Attorney