A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING) ORDINANCE BILL NO. *5*
ORDINANCE NO. 1290 RELATING TO NUISANCES)   for 1976
AFFECTING PUBLIC SAFETY, AND DECLARING)
AN EMERGENCY.   ) ORDINANCE NO. *1587*

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LEBANON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1.   Section 7 of Ordinance No. 1290 (compiled as 5-12.7)

is amended by adding thereto the following:

"(1)   SWIMMING POOLS.   Every person in possession or control
        of land within the city, either as owner, purchaser
        under contract, lessee, tenant or licensee; upon which
        is situated a swimming pool, shall at all times
        maintain on the lot or premises upon which such pool
        is located, a fence to prevent accidental or
        unauthorized access.

        Said fencing shall completely surround such pool
        or premises and shall be of substantial construction not
        less than five (5) feet in height, measured from ground
        level on the exterior side of the fence. There shall
        be no openings, gaps, holes or similar openings larger
        than four (4) inches in any horizontal dimension.
        Structures or buildings may be used as part of such
        enclosure.

        All gates or doors providing access to such pool,
        except from buildings or structures, shall be provided
        with self-latches and self-closing devices capable of
        keeping such gates or doors securely latched and closed
        at all times. Such devices shall be located not less
        than five (5) feet above the exterior grade of such gates
        or doors.

        This section is not intended to prevent the use of
        other protective devices, subject to approval by the
        Building Official, provided the degree of protection
        is not reduced from that specified above.

Section 2.   Inasmuch as the provisions of this Ordinance are

necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health and

safety of the people of the City of Lebanon, an emergency is hereby

declared to exist, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and

effect immediately upon its passage by the Council and approval by

the Mayor.

Passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 23rd day
of March, 1976.

M. Scroggin Gonzales
Mayor

ATTEST:

Robert E. Thorn
Recorder