



MEMORANDUM

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RAWLINGS-BLAKE,
Mayor

PAUL T. GRAZIANO,
Executive Director, HABC
Commissioner, HCD

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council
c/o Karen Randle, *Executive Secretary*

From: Paul T. Graziano, *Commissioner*

Date: April 1, 2013

Re: **City Council Bill 12-0135 – Baltimore City Landmark List – Frederick Douglass High School**

The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) has reviewed City Council Bill 12-0135, which was introduced for the purpose of designating Frederick Douglass High School, 2301 Gwynns Falls Parkway, as a historical landmark.

This bill, if enacted, would designate the property known as Frederick Douglass High School, located at 2301 Gwynns Falls Parkway, as a historical landmark. Designating Frederick Douglass High school as a historical landmark will provide the building with additional protection towards preservation.

The Department of Housing and Community Development supports the adoption of City Council Bill 12-0135.

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cc: Ms. Angela Gibson, *Mayor's Office of Government Relations*
Ms. Kaliope Parthemos, *Deputy Mayor*

