

CITY OF BALTIMORE  
ORDINANCE **20.354**  
Council Bill 19-0378

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Introduced by: Councilmember Dorsey, Ex Officio Council President Middleton,  
Councilmembers Henry, Cohen, Bullock, Sneed, Burnett, Clarke, Reisinger, Stokes,  
Schleifer, Scott

Introduced and read first time: April 22, 2019

Assigned to: Equity and Structure Committee

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Committee Report: Favorable

Council action: Adopted

Read second time: February 10, 2020

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**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING**

**Ethics Board – Administration and Staff**

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2 FOR the purpose of appointing the Inspector General to serve as the Executive Director of the  
3 Board of Ethics; requiring that the Office of the Inspector General provide staff to the Board  
4 of Ethics; and providing for a special effective date.

5 BY repealing and reordaining, with amendments

6 Article 8 - Ethics

7 Section 3-11

8 Baltimore City Code

9 (Edition 2000)

10 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That the  
11 Laws of Baltimore City read as follows:

12 **Baltimore City Code**

13 **Article 8. Ethics**

14 **Subtitle 3. Administration**

15 ***PART II. STAFF AND OTHER ASSISTANCE***

16 **§ 3-11. Executive Director and staff.**

17 (a) *Director.*

18 The [Director of Legislative Reference] INSPECTOR GENERAL serves as the Executive  
19 Director of the Ethics Board and is responsible for assisting the Board in performing its  
20 responsibilities.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.  
Underlining indicates matter added to the bill by amendment.  
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by  
amendment or deleted from existing law by amendment.

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1 (b) Staff.

2 In consultation with the Board, the Executive Director may assign staff from the  
3 [Department of Legislative Reference] OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL to assist the  
4 Board and Executive Director.

5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That the catchlines contained in this Ordinance  
6 are not law and may not be considered to have been enacted as a part of this or any prior  
7 Ordinance.

8 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That this Ordinance takes effect on the 180<sup>th</sup>  
9 day after the date it is enacted.

FEB 24 2020

Certified as duly passed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor,

FEB 24 2020

this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

Chief Clerk

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

Enacted pursuant to Baltimore City Charter, Article IV, Section 5(c), without the  
Mayor's signature on April 13, 2020.

Mayor, Baltimore City

Approved For Form and Legal Sufficiency

This 20 Day of 2020

  
Chief Solicitor