

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 20-0616
(First Reader)**

Introduced by: Councilmembers Henry, Cohen, Burnett, President Scott, Councilmember Dorsey
Introduced and read first time: September 21, 2020

Assigned to: Judiciary Committee

REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: City Solicitor, Office of the Comptroller, Office of the Mayor, Department of Human Resources, Department of Finance

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning

2 **Comptroller – Clerk of Board of Estimates**

3 FOR the purpose of designating the Comptroller or the Comptroller’s designee to be the clerk of
4 the Board of Estimates; and making certain modernizing corrections and clarifications.

5 BY repealing and re-ordaining

6 Article 5 - Finance, Property, and Procurement
7 Section(s) 1-1, 1-2
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 5. Finance, Property, and Procurement**

14 **Subtitle 1. City Comptroller**

15 **§ 1-1. Oath of office.**

16 BEFORE ASSUMING THE DUTIES OF OFFICE, THE [The] Comptroller[, before entering upon his
17 duties,] shall take the [usual] oath [of office] REQUIRED BY ARTICLE IV, § 6(i) OF THE CITY
18 CHARTER.

19 **§ 1-2. [Deputy Comptroller] CLERK TO THE BOARD OF ESTIMATES.**

20 The [Deputy] Comptroller OR THE COMPTROLLER’S DESIGNEE SHALL [is hereby required to]
21 perform the duties of Clerk to the Board of Estimates

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

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 **SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day
2 after the date it is enacted.