

**CITY OF BALTIMORE**  
**ORDINANCE \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Council Bill 25-0028**

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Introduced by: The Council President  
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)  
Introduced and read first time: February 10, 2025  
Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee  
Committee Report: Favorable  
Council action: Adopted  
Read second time: February 24, 2025

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**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING**

**General Fund Operating Appropriation Transfer –  
Department of General Services to  
Department of Law (Service 861 - Controversies) – \$1,514,351**

FOR the purpose of transferring a General Fund Operating Appropriation in the amount of \$1,514,351 from the Department of General Services to the Department of Law (Service 861 - Controversies); and providing for a special effective date.

BY authority of  
Article VI - Board of Estimates  
Section 9(a)(2)  
Baltimore City Charter  
(1996 Edition)

**Recitals**

Article VI, § 9(a)(2) of the City Charter provides that, on recommendation of the Board of Estimates, the City Council by ordinance may authorize the transfer of an appropriation contained in the Ordinance of Estimates from one municipal agency to another municipal agency.

The sum of \$1,514,351, as appropriated to the Department of General Services in the Fiscal 2024 Ordinance of Estimates, is not needed for the purpose for which it was appropriated and, therefore, is available for transfer to another agency.

On February 5, 2025, the Board of Estimates recommended the transfer authorized by this Ordinance.

**SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That the sum of \$1,514,351, contained in the Fiscal 2024 Ordinance of Estimates as a General Fund Operating Appropriation, is transferred from the Department of General Services to the Department of Law (Service 861 - Controversies).

**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       **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it is  
2 enacted.

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

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President, Baltimore City Council

Certified as duly delivered to His Honor, the Mayor,

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

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Chief Clerk

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

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Mayor, Baltimore City