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	SUBJECT	<b>CITY COUNCIL BILL 10-0607</b>		

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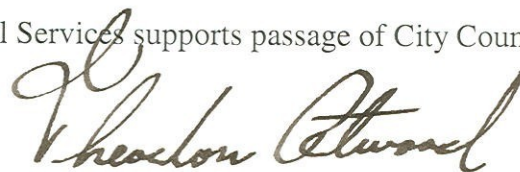
The Honorable President and Members  
of the Baltimore City Council  
c/o Karen Randle  
Room 400 - City Hall

I am herein reporting on City Council Bill 10-0607 introduced by the Council President on behalf of the Administration (Department of Finance).

The purpose of the Bill is to provide a Supplementary Federal Appropriation in the amount of \$200,000 to the Department of General Services (Program 9916), to provide funding for the "Local Energy Assurance Planning (LEAP)" Grant.

The City of Baltimore was selected by the U.S. Department of Energy for a federal grant under the LEAP Program, an American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 funded effort. The grant will enable the Department of General Services to assess and prepare a local energy plan that will provide various ways in which key energy sources will continue to function even during periods of disaster. The plan will be developed in coordination with the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management and will become a part of its emergency program. The planning effort will include a detailed analysis of City facilities, fuel supplies, and recommendations for revisions and additions to City disaster plans. The Board of Estimates approved this supplementary request on October 13, 2010.

Based on these findings, the Department of General Services supports passage of City Council Bill 10-0607.



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