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	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING 8 TH FLOOR, 417 EAST FAYETTE STREET		
	SUBJECT	CITY COUNCIL BILL #21-0085 / BALTIMORE CITY FIRE CODE – TELEPHONE ACCESS TO 9-1-1 EMERGENCY SYSTEM		

TO

The Honorable President and
 Members of the City Council
 City Hall, Room 400
 100 North Holliday Street

DATE: June 9, 2021

The Department of Planning is in receipt of City Council Bill #21-0085, which is for the purpose of requiring that certain multiple-line telephone systems allow for the direct dial of 9-1-1; defining certain terms; authorizing certain inspections; providing for certain fines; and generally relating to access to the City's 9-1-1 emergency system.

The Department of Planning has no objection to City Council Bill #21-0085, and defers to the Fire Department and the Department of Housing and Community Development as the more directly impacted agencies.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Eric Tiso, Division Chief, Land Use and Urban Design Division at 410-396-8358.

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- cc: Ms. Natasha Mehu, Mayor's Office
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