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	SUBJECT	<b>CITY COUNCIL BILL 10-0501</b>		

**TO**

DATE: June 23, 2011

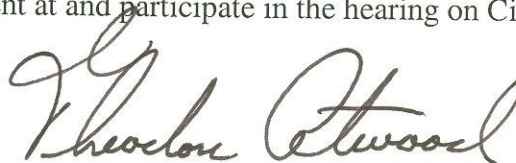
The Honorable President and Members  
of the Baltimore City Council  
c/o Karen Randle  
Room 400 - City Hall

I am herein reporting on City Council Bill 10-0501 introduced by Council Members Henry, Holton, Branch, Curran, Stokes, Clarke, and Conaway.

The purpose of this Mayor and City Council Resolution is to form an inter-Departmental work group, including broad representation from stakeholders outside Baltimore City government, to draft Board of Estimates rules and/or an ordinance expanding the application of Section 3 type of requirements to as broad a class of City contracts as is feasible.

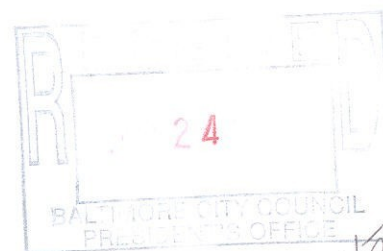
The composition of the City Resident Hiring Preference Work Group proposed in the legislation includes the Department of General Services. The Department is willing to participate in the Work Group and agrees that it will take the concerted efforts of all participants to determine how best to create a program that provides the opportunities we want to see for our residents while meeting all necessary legal requirements.

The Department of General Services will be present at and participate in the hearing on City Council Bill 10-0501.



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Director

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