



Robert E. Minor III, Chief Information Officer

Mayor's Office of Information Technology

401 E. Fayette Street – 3rd Fl.

March 6th, 2012

**Honorable President Bernard C. "Jack" Young and
City council Members
City Hall – Room 400
Baltimore, MD 21202
Attention: Karen Randle**

RE: City Council Bill Report Request (11-0003)

The Mayor's Office of Information Technology (MOIT) agrees with requiring The Ethics Board to post on its website all financial disclosure statements filed by elected officials on or before May 15th of each year, and remain posted until one year after the official has left office.

MOIT believes that by requiring the adoption of a policy to have elected official's financial disclosure statements posted would provide the citizens of Baltimore City the understanding and knowledge on how their elected officials are acting in their best interests and not for personal gain.

MOIT would also like to state that there will be a cost associated with the implementation of this bill. It will be necessary to meet with the Ethics Board to get a greater understanding of the project scope before estimating cost and to ensure that all legal concerns are addressed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert E. Minor III".

**Robert E. Minor III
Chief Information Officer
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