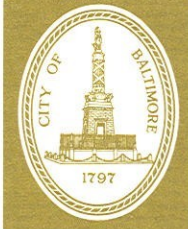


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February 19, 2009

The Honorable President and Members
of the Baltimore City Council
Attn: Karen Randle, Executive Secretary
Room 409, City Hall
100 N. Holliday Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Re: City Council Bill 09-0262 – Baltimore Benefits Commission –
Membership

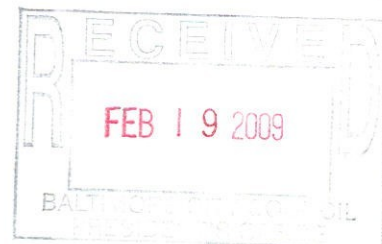
Dear Madame President and City Council Members:

The Law Department has reviewed City Council Bill 09-0262 for form and legal sufficiency. The bill would increase the membership of the Commission to provide certain additional representation. The membership of the Commission would increase from 17 to 21 members. The additional members would serve ex officio.

There are no legal impediments to this bill. Accordingly, the Law Department approves Council Bill 09-0262 for form and legal sufficiency.

Sincerely,

Ashlea H. Brown
Special Assistant Solicitor



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