## CITY OF BALTIMORE

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## BOARD OF MUNICIPAL AND ZONING APPEALS

DAVID C. TANNER, Executive Director 417 E. Fayette Street, Room 1432 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

March 6, 2017

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council City Hall 100 N. Holliday Street Baltimore, MD 21202

Re: City Council Bill No. 17-0021: Zoning - Baltimore City Zoning Code - Legalization - Corrections.

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

City Council Bill No. 17-0021 has been referred by your Honorable Body to the Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals for study and report.

The purpose of City Council Bill No. 17-0021 is to legalize City Code Article 32 {"Zoning"}, as enacted by Ordinance 16-581 {"TransForm Baltimore - Zoning"} and edited, codified, and published by the Baltimore City Department of Legislative Reference; further amending new Article 32 to correct various technical errors, omissions, and inconsistencies and to correct, clarify, and conform various references and language; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the zoning and development laws of the City of Baltimore.

The BMZA has reviewed the legislation and recommends approval to the passage of Bill Number 17-0021.

Sincerely,

David C. Tanner

**Executive Director** 

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CC: Mayors Office of Council Relations