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February 8, 2008

TO: The Honorable President Stephanie Rawlings-Blake and Members of the Baltimore City Council City Hall, Room 408
100 N. Holliday Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

FROM: Ms. Kathleen G. Kotarba, Executive Director

RE: Bill No. 08-0005-Baltimore City Landmark List- American Brewery

This legislation will designate the American Brewery, located at 1701 N. Gay Street, as a Baltimore City Landmark. The Commission for Historical and Architectural Preservation approves this legislation and requests that the designation process be completed as soon as possible.

The American Brewery is currently being renovated. The American Brewery is significant for its architectural design [Standard #4] featuring distinguishing Victorian architectural characteristics. The Brewery is also significant for its role in Baltimore's brewing history and its association with prominent Baltimoreans. It served as a brewery from the 1870s to the early 1970s.

Your favorable support is requested. Thank you for your consideration.

cc. Ms. Angela Gibson, Mayor's Legislative Liaison to the City Council

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Mr. Douglas McCoach, Director, Department of Planning

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