F R O M	Name & Title	Walter Horton Acting Real Estate Officer	CITY OF BALTIMORE MEMC
	Agency Name & Address	Department of Real Estate	
		Room 304 - City Hall	
		100 N. Holliday Street	
	Subject	City Council Bill 08-0015- Sale of Property - 950 South Caroline Street (Block 1817, Lot 04)	



DATE: February 20, 2008



TO: Honorable President and Members Of the City Council c/o Karen Randle Mayor's Legislative Liaison to the City Council Room 400 - City Hall

> As requested, the Department of Real Estate has reviewed the subject bill, which if approved, would authorize the Mayor and City Council to sell at either public or private sale, all its interest in a certain parcel of land known as 950 South Caroline Street (Block 1817, Lot 04) vacant lot and no longer needed for public use.

The subject city owned property consists of 0.147 acres of unimproved land and lying within the 27 acres Harbor Point Planned Unit Development. The 27 acres will be redeveloped to create a \$1.8 millions square feet of mixed-use development project. This development will include commercial, residential office uses; it will create home ownership opportunities with 3000 jobs, all of which will assist in the elimination of blight for this area.

The Department of Real Estate supports the passage of this bill and the sale of the parcel (Block 1817, Lot 04), with recommendation that the property be sold at the Fair Market Value.

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Cc:

Ms. Angela C. Gibson &

Harriette Taylor

