CITY OF BALTIMORE

SHEILA DIXON, Mayor



DEPARTMENT OF LAW

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July 8, 2008

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 08 – 0125 {Board of Fire Commissioners – Number}

Dear Madame President and City Council Members:

The Law Department has reviewed City Council Bill 08-0125 for form and legal sufficiency. The Bill would add language to the Baltimore City Code that comports with provisions of the Baltimore City Charter. (Charter, Article VII, § 49-51; Charter, Article VI, § 6.) The bill specifies that the Board of Fire Commissioners would have 5 members and also specifies terms regarding tenure of each member.

Because City Council Bill 08-0125 is in accordance with section 6 of Article VI, as well as sections 49 through 51 of Article VII, of the City Charter, the Law Department approves the bill for form and legal sufficiency.

Sincerely

Deepa Bhattacharyya Assistant Solicitor

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