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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 08-0163		

DATE February 24, 2009

**TO**

The Honorable President and Members  
of the Baltimore City Council  
c/o Karen Randle  
Room 400 City Hall

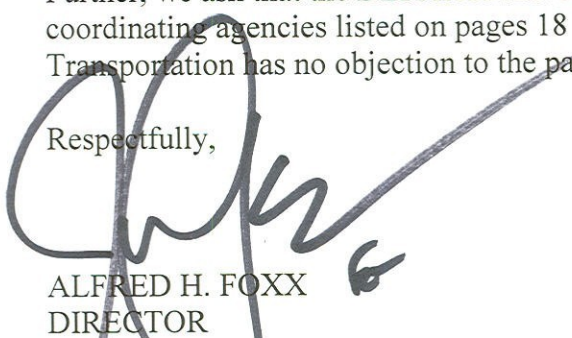
I am herein reporting on City Council Bill No. 08-0163.

**Live Entertainment-Licensing and Regulation-Hospitality Services- Promotion and Coordination**

**For the purpose of deleting live entertainment and dancing as a zoning use category; requiring the licensing of certain establishments that provide live entertainment or dancing; establishing the Board of Licenses for Live Entertainment and providing for its powers and duties; establishing an Office of Hospitality Services and providing for its powers and duties; defining certain terms; imposing certain penalties; and generally relating to the licensing and regulation of live entertainment and to the promotion and coordination of hospitality services.**

The Department of Transportation (DOT) applauds the Council's efforts to add vitality to Baltimore's night life. The Department of Transportation asks the chair to consider the following friendly amendments: We would ask that page 11, Line 21 read (1) A Traffic Management Plan APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION; Further, we ask that the DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION be added as one of the coordinating agencies listed on pages 18 and 19. With those changes, the Department of Transportation has no objection to the passage of this bill.

Respectfully,



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DIRECTOR

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cc: Ms. Angela C. Gibson  
Mr. Bill Driscoll  
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Mr. Frank Murphy

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