

**CITY OF BALTIMORE
COUNCIL BILL 06-0488
(First Reader)**

Introduced by: The Council President
At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)
Introduced and read first time: August 14, 2006
Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee

REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: Department of Housing and Community Development,
Department of Finance, Board of Estimates

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ORDINANCE concerning

2 **Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation –**
3 **Department of Housing and Community Development – \$2,000,000**

4 FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Operating Appropriation in the
5 amount of \$2,000,000 to the Department of Housing and Community Development –
6 Program 177 (Administrative Direction and Control), to provide funding to replace Urban
7 Development Action Grant funds not forthcoming to the City due to renovations being
8 performed at the Hyatt Hotel located in the Inner Harbor; and providing for a special
9 effective date.

10 By authority of
11 Article VI - Board of Estimates
12 Section 8(b)(3) and (c)
13 Baltimore City Charter
14 (1996 Edition)

15 **Recitals**

16 The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents funds from the Fiscal 2006 Fund
17 Balance in excess of the revenue relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining the tax levy
18 required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2007.

19 This additional revenue could not have been reasonably anticipated when the Ordinance of
20 Estimates for Fiscal Year 2007 was formulated.

21 This appropriation is made necessary by a material change in circumstances since the
22 Ordinance of Estimates for Fiscal Year 2007 was formulated or is for a new program that could
23 not have been reasonably anticipated when that Ordinance of Estimates was formulated.

24 On August 9, 2006, the Board of Estimates recommended this appropriation to the City
25 Council.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That
2 \$2,000,000 shall be made available to the Department of Housing and Community Development
3 – Program 177 (Administrative Direction and Control) as a Supplementary General Fund
4 Operating Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2007, to provide funding to replace Urban Development
5 Action Grant funds not forthcoming to the City due to renovations being performed at the Hyatt
6 Hotel located in the Inner Harbor. The source of revenue for this appropriation is from the Fiscal
7 2006 Fund Balance in excess of the amount from this source that was relied on by the Board of
8 Estimates in determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2007.

9 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it
10 is enacted.