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From: Brian Wilbon, Interim Director Office of the Director 1910 North Broadway Baltimore, Maryland 21213

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council Room 400 City Hall 100 N. Holliday Street

Date: May 22, 2008

I am herein reporting on City Council Bill No. 08-0046R

Baltimore City Safe Childhood Task Force

FOR the purpose of creating the Baltimore City Safe Childhood Task Force to review and evaluate Baltimore City's investigative, administrative, and judicial handling of cases of child abuse, child neglect, and child sexual exploitation; to review local, state, and federal coordinated interagency response to address the physical, mental, and social needs of the victims and to ensure the proper adjudication and long-range supervision of the perpetrators; and to evaluate the effectiveness of current efforts to educate the public about the dangers our children face and the steps adults can take to ensure Baltimore City's children enjoy a safe and secure childhood.

Baltimore City Department of Social Services supports the proposed legislation. There are no existing conflicts with existing state or federal law or regulations.

Respectfully, [Handwritten signature]

Brian Wilbon Interim Director

cc: Melvina Robinson-Horn File



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