## CITY OF BALTIMORE

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## DEPARTMENT OF LAW

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The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council c/o Karen Randle, Executive Secretary 409 City Hall Baltimore, MD 21202

> RE: City Council Bill 10-0435 -Housing Authority of Baltimore City-Amendment to 1950 Cooperation Agreement

You requested that the Law Department review for form and legal sufficiency City Council Bill 10-0435. The bill would authorize and approve an amendatory agreement to the Cooperation Agreement between the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore and the Housing Authority of Baltimore City dated March 29, 1950 (the "Cooperation Agreement"), as amended and extended from time to time. The amendatory agreement would extend the terms, covenants, and conditions of the Cooperation Agreement to certain public housing units in the Barclay/East Baltimore Midway neighborhoods.

The amendatory agreement is in the standard form previously used and approved for amendments to the Cooperation Agreement. The Law Department approves Council Bill 10-0435 for form and legal sufficiency.

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Sincerely yours.

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CC:

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