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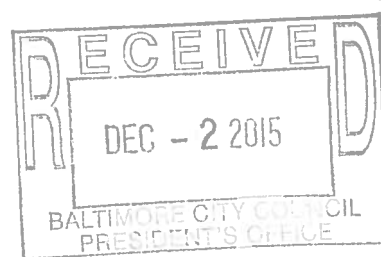
The Honorable President and
Members of the City Council
Room 400, City Hall

City Council Bill 15-0250R has been introduced for the purpose of requiring a thorough examination of the cost and resource benefits of conducting all or parts of the Police Academy Training and Police Officer Enhanced Training at Coppin State University's Bishop L. Robinson Sr. Justice Institute.

This partnership was evaluated and proposed by the Baltimore City Police Department (BPD) in 2014. The agreement would enroll BPD Trainees as full-time certificate seeking students during their academy period; at the commencement of training, the officers would emerge with a certificate in criminal justice and 18 credits toward a bachelor's degree in that field. In 2014, BPD recommended the relationship with Coppin State University as a tool for enhanced recruitment, opportunity for cross-disciplinary training and access to state-of-the-art facilities.

The data from this earlier analysis is now outdated and should be re-evaluated to ensure accuracy. The Finance Department will work with other relevant agencies to evaluate the costs and benefits of conducting all or parts of the Police Academy Training and Police Officer Enhanced Training at Coppin State University's Bishop L. Robinson Sr. Justice Institute.

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