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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 08-0076R		

**TO**

DATE: December 16, 2008

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. 08-0076R.

Investigative Hearing – CitiBuy – Prompt Payment to Small and Minority Businesses and 2<sup>nd</sup> Tier Sub-Contractors

For the purpose of requesting the Baltimore City Bureau of Purchases and the Mayor’s Office of Minority and Women-Owned Business Development to report to the City Council on the number of small and minority businesses and 2<sup>nd</sup> tier sub-contractors that are contracted to deliver goods and services to City agencies; the average length of time between date of delivery of goods and services provided by small and minority businesses and other 2<sup>nd</sup> tier sub-contractors, and the date marking receipt of compensation for services rendered; and a comprehensive plan to revise current policies to ensure prompt payment to small and minority businesses and 2<sup>nd</sup> tier contractors.

The Department of Transportation will be glad to participate in a discussion regarding Women and Minority owned businesses. Our Agency actively monitors WBE and MBE usage by our various divisions.

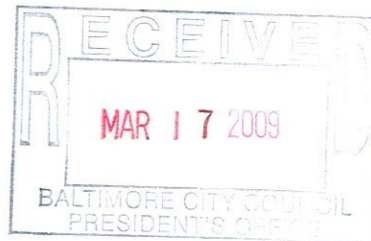
The Department of Transportation has no objections to the passage of this bill.

Respectfully,

  
ALFRED H. FOXX  
DIRECTOR

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



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