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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill #10-0593 –Building, Fire, and Related Codes – 2010 Edition		

TO The Honorable Bernard C. Young, President
And All Members of the Baltimore City Council
City Hall, Room 408

DATE: October 14, 2010

The proposed legislation would provide for the purpose of adopting a revised Building, Fire, and Related Codes Article, comprising the Maryland Building Performance Standards (effective January 1, 2010), the International Building Code (2009 Edition), the National Electrical Code (2008 Edition), the National Fuel Gas Code (2009 Edition), the International Mechanical Code (2009 Edition), the National Standard Plumbing Code (2009 Edition), the International Property Maintenance Code (2009 Edition), the International Fire Code (2009 Edition), the International Energy Conservation Code (2009 Edition), and the International Residential Code for One-and Two-Family Dwellings (2009 Edition), all as supplemented, amended, or otherwise modified by this Ordinance; providing for the effect, construction, and effective date of these new standards and codes; conforming, correcting, and clarifying certain language; and generally relating to the adoption of new building, fire, property maintenance, electrical, plumbing, mechanical, and related codes for Baltimore City.

The Fire Department does not object to City Council Bill # 10-0604 and strongly support it.

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