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To: President and Members of the City Council c/o 409 City Hall

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The Baltimore City Health Department (BCHD) has reviewed Council Bill 11-0657, which serves to correct certain technical errors and omissions in the City Code and repeal obsolete or otherwise unnecessary provisions. This corrective bill corrects, clarifies, and conforms language within the Code.

This bill seeks to amend § 2-106, the rules and regulations section of the City Code, and require the Health Department to file copies of all rules and regulations with Legislative Reference before they take effect. This conforms to the usage otherwise standard throughout the rest of the Code, and provides centralized access for the general public. BCHD defers to the Department of Legislative Reference with respect to such changes in the City Code, and respectfully declines to take a position on council bill 11-0657.

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