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September 17, 2019

The Honorable President and Members  
of the Baltimore City Council  
Attn: Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary  
Room 409, City Hall  
100 N. Holliday Street  
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

Re: City Council Bill 19-0412 – City Property – Renaming the Engine 52 Fire Station,  
to be the Hilton L. Rogers Fire Station

Dear President and City Council Members:

The Law Department has reviewed City Council Bill 19-0412 for form and legal sufficiency. Article 5, Subsection 20 of the City Code requires that property owned by the Mayor and City Council be renamed by ordinance. *See* City Code, Article 5, §20-1, *et. seq.* The municipal agency that “has or will have control over the property” must be referred the bill for comment, in addition to the Planning Commission and the Department of Real Estate. *See* City Code, Article 5, §20-2(b). Presumably the Fire Department is the agency that controls or will control this property and it has been referred the bill. Provided that is the case, the Law Department approves the bill for form and legal sufficiency.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Elena R. DiPietro'.

Elena R. DiPietro  
Chief Solicitor

cc: Andre Davis, City Solicitor  
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