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BOARD OF MUNICIPAL AND ZONING APPEALS

DAVID C. TANNER, Executive Director 417 E. Fayette Street, Room 1432 Baltimore, Maryland 21202

May 15, 2008

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council City Hall

> Re: City Council Bill #08-0110 Planned Unit Development – Designation-Guilford Holliday Towers

Ladies and Gentlemen:

City Council Bill #08-0110 has been referred by your Honorable Body to the Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals for study and report.

The purpose of this legislation is to approve the application of the RWN Development Group LLC, its affiliates and assigns who are either the developer, contract purchaser, potential owner, or owner of certain properties known az 211 East Pleasant Street (a/k/a 320 Guilford Ave), 310-318 Guilford avenue, 222 East Saratoga Street, 407 East Saratoga Street, 231-233 Holliday Street, 235-239 Holliday Street and 154, 158. 160, 162, and 164 North Gay Street (collectively referred to as the property) to have the property designated a Business Planned Unit Development; and approving the Development Plan submitted by the applicant. This legislation will allow for the preservation of certain historic properties within the boundary, while providing for the future development of surrounding properties

The Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals has reviewed this legislation and the Planning Department staff report. The BMZA concurs that City Council Bill #08-0110 should be amended and passed.

Sincerely.

Executive Director

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C.c. Mayors Office of Council Relations Legislative Reference

