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

Re: City Council Bill 24-0568 Community Relations Commission – Powers and Duties – Complaint Period

The Law Department has reviewed Mayor and City Council Bill 24-568 for form and legal sufficiency. The bill would increase the time within which complaints of unlawful practices must be filed with the Community Relations Commission; make certain related amendments; and provide for a special effective date. The bill extends the time period for filing a complaint from 180 days to 300 days.

As there are no legal impediments to this bill, the Law Department can approve it for form and legal sufficiency

Very truly yours,

Ashlea Brown

Chief Solicitor

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