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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill 21-0160	M E M O	

TO: Mayor Brandon M. Scott
TO: Rules and Legislative Oversight Committee
FROM: Department of Transportation
POSITION: **Defer to Sustainability Office**
RE: Council Bill – 21-0160

DATE: 1/10/22

INTRODUCTION – Building Code - Cool Roofs

PURPOSE/PLANS – For the purpose of requiring newly constructed buildings and additions to existing buildings partly financed using City funds to adhere to specified roofing requirements; authorizing certain exceptions; and generally relating to the installation of Cool Roofs.

COMMENTS – Council Bill 21-0160 looks to require all new roofs installed with the utilization of City funds to meet certain green roofing standards. The legislation provides a list of exemptions for roofs that may be challenging to install or replace with green roofs.

AGENCY/DEPARTMENT POSITION – The Baltimore City Department of Transportation does not foresee any direct fiscal or operational impact resulting from the legislation and defers to the Office of Sustainability regarding Council Bill 21-0160.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Liam Davis at Liam.Davis@baltimorecity.gov or at 410-545-3207.

Sincerely,

Steve Sharkey
Director