

**CITY OF BALTIMORE  
COUNCIL BILL 07-0616  
(First Reader)**

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Introduced by: The Council President

At the request of: The Administration (Department of Finance)

Introduced and read first time: March 26, 2007

Assigned to: Budget and Appropriations Committee

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REFERRED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES: Planning Commission, Department of Public Works,  
Department of Finance, Board of Estimates

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A BILL ENTITLED

1     AN ORDINANCE concerning

2                     **Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation –**  
3                     **Department of Public Works – \$2,000,000**

4     FOR the purpose of providing a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation in the  
5         amount of \$2,000,000 to the Department of Public Works (Account #9916-194-134), to  
6         provide capital appropriations for the removal of asbestos from City-owned buildings; and  
7         providing for a special effective date.

8     By authority of  
9         Article VI - Board of Estimates  
10         Section 8(b)(3) and (c)  
11         Baltimore City Charter  
12         (1996 Edition)

13                     **Recitals**

14         The revenue appropriated by this Ordinance represents funds from the Asbestos Litigation  
15         Settlement Proceeds in excess of the revenue relied on by the Board of Estimates in determining  
16         the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2007.

17         This additional revenue could not have been reasonably anticipated when the Ordinance of  
18         Estimates for Fiscal Year 2007 was formulated.

19         This appropriation is made necessary by a material change in circumstances since the  
20         Ordinance of Estimates for Fiscal Year 2007 was formulated or is for a new program that could  
21         not have been reasonably anticipated when that Ordinance of Estimates was formulated.

22         On March 14, 2007, the Board of Estimates recommended this appropriation to the City  
23         Council.

24         **SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE,** That  
25         \$2,000,000 shall be made available to the Department of Public Works (Account #9916-194-  
26         134) as a Supplementary General Fund Capital Appropriation for Fiscal Year 2007, to provide  
27         capital appropriations for the removal of asbestos from City-owned buildings. The source of

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS indicate matter added to existing law.  
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

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1 revenue for this appropriation is funds from the Asbestos Litigation Settlement Proceeds in  
2 excess of the amount from this source that was relied on by the Board of Estimates in  
3 determining the tax levy required to balance the budget for Fiscal Year 2007.

4 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,** That this Ordinance takes effect on the date it  
5 is enacted.