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To:

The Hongrable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council

c/o Karen Randle, Executive Secretary

From: Paul T. Graziano, Commissioner

Date:

April 13, 2012

Re:

City Council Bill 12-0034 – Repeal of Planned Unit Development Designation – Gateway

The Department of Housing and Community Development has reviewed City Council Bill 12-0034, which was introduced for the purpose of repealing Ordinance 08-10, approved May 12, 2008; and providing for a special effective date.

This bill, if enacted, would repeal Ordinance 08-20, which is the Gateway South Planned Unit Development (PUD), entirely. The Baltimore Development Corporation has requested this legislation in furtherance of pursuing development of a Video Lottery Terminal facility at the site location. In the absence of a PUD, the land use restrictions on the subject properties will be the underlying zoning restrictions for a B-2-3 zoning district and those of the Carroll Camden Urban Renewal Plan.

The Department of Housing and Community Development has no objection to the adoption of City Council Bill 12-0034.

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cc:

Ms. Angela Gibson, Mayor's Office of Government Relations

Ms. Kaliope Parthemos, Deputy Mayor

