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	SUBJECT	City Council Bill #12-0061R – Investigative Hearing - Fire Department – Company Closure





TO

The Honorable Bernard C. Young, President And All Members of the Baltimore City Council City Hall, Room 408 DATE:

August 2, 2012

The proposed legislation would provide for the purpose of calling on the Fire Chief, the Director of Finance, and the City Solicitor to report to the City Council on the effect of the proposed disbandment of three fire companies and the effect of that policy on the delivery of fire suppression and rescue services to City residents; the status of the positions identified for demotion in the Fiscal Year 2013 budget in conjunction with the disbandment of fire companies; the levels of compliance with national standards for training, safety, and response to fire emergencies; and to the city council with copies of the current Comprehensive Fire Protection Plan and a detailed plan for future development of the required Comprehensive Fire Protection Plan.

The Fire Department does not object to City Council Bill # 12-0061R.

