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## MINORITY AND WOMEN'S BUSINESS **OPPORTUNITY OFFICE**

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May 26, 2016

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

Re: City Council Bill 16-0672 – Minority and Woman's Business Enterprise – Small Local Business Enterprise Procurement Preferences

Dear President and City Council Members:

This Charter Amendment (City Council Bill 16-0672) would authorize the adoption and implementation of introduced Bill 16-0619 - Minority and Women's Business Enterprises -Small Local Business Enterprise Procurement Preferences. The Minority and Women's Business Opportunity Office takes no position on City Council Bill 16-0672 as it will be placed with the voters. Our report on City Council Bill 16-0619 is incorporated herein by reference.

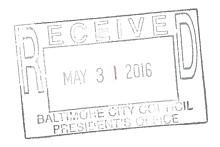
Sincerely,

Courtney M. Billups, Chief

Minority & Women's Business Opportunity Office

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