

Mayor

MICHAEL BRAVERMAN Acting Executive Director, HABC Acting Commissioner, HCD

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: The Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council

c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

From: Michael Braverman, Acting Commissioner

Date: March 31, 2017

Re: City Council Bill 17-0021 - Baltimore City Zoning Code - Legalization

- Corrections

The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) has reviewed City Council Bill 17-0021, for the purpose of legalizing new City Code Article 32 {"Zoning"}, as enacted by Ordinance 16-581 {"TransForm Baltimore – Zoning"} and edited, codified, and published by the Baltimore City Department of Legislative Reference; further amending new Article 32 to correct various technical errors, omissions, and inconsistencies and to correct, clarify, and conform various references and language; providing for a special effective date; and generally relating to the zoning and development laws of the City of Baltimore.

The Department of Housing and Community Development encourages the passage of City Council Bill 17-0021.

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cc: Ms. Karen Stokes, Mayor's Office of Government Relations Mr. Kyron Banks, Mayor's Office of Government Relations

