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

Re: City Council Bill 18-0310– City Property - Naming the Oliver Pool to the
John D Murdock Pool.

Dear President and City Council Members:

The Law Department has reviewed City Council Bill 18-0253 for form and legal sufficiency. The purpose of the bill is to name the Oliver Pool to the John D Murdock Pool..

The Baltimore City Code (“BCC”) requires that property owned by the Mayor and City Council be named or renamed by ordinance. See BCC, Article 5, § 20-2(a). The bill must be referred for comment to the Planning Commission, the municipal agency that has or will have control of the City property, the Department of Real Estate, and any other agency that may have an interest in the naming the City property. BCC, Article 5, §20-2(b)(1). This bill was referred to the City Solicitor, the Planning Commission, and the Departments of Real Estate and Recreation and Parks.

The Law Department is prepared to approve the bill for form and legal sufficiency.

Sincerely,

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Chief Solicitor

cc: Andre M. Davis, City Solicitor
Karen Stokes, Director, Mayor’s Office of Government Relations
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