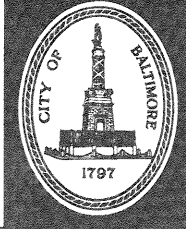


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The Honorable President and Members
of the Baltimore City Council
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c/o Natawna Austin, Executive Secretary

Re: Council Bill 19-0424 {"Corrective Bill 2019 - General"}

You have referred Council Bill 19-0424 to the Ethics Board for its report and comments. This bill and its companion amendments would modify and correct two provisions of the Ethics Code, Sections 7-4 and 7-8. The Ethics Board supports these modifications for the reasons stated in the bill's and the amendment's comments.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tony DeFranco".

Tony DeFranco
Deputy Ethics Counsel

cc: the Honorable Eric Costello, Chair of the Judiciary Committee
Matthew Peters

