AMENDMENTS TO COUNCIL BILL 20-0526 (1st Reader Copy)

By: President Scott
{To be offered on the Council Floor}

Amendment No. 1

On page 1, in line 5, strike "providing for a date of termination of the prohibitions;"; and, on that same page, in line 6, after the semi-colon, insert "providing for retroactive application of certain provisions"; and, on page 3, strike lines 13 through 17 and substitute:

"SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That if any provision of this Ordinance or the application of this Ordinance to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, the invalidity does not affect any other provision or any other application of this Ordinance, and for this purpose the provisions of this Ordinance are declared severable.

SECTION 4. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That City Code Article 13, § 8-4 {"Rent increases barred – during states of emergency"}, as enacted by this Ordinance, is effective retroactively from March 5, 2020.

SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, That, notwithstanding Section 4 of this Ordinance, City Code Article 13, § 8-7 {"Enforcement by citation"} as enacted by this Ordinance and City Code Article 1, § 40-14(e)(1) as amended by this Ordinance take effect on the date of enactment and may only be applied to violations of this Ordinance committed after the date of its enactment."