

BALTIMORE POLICE DEPARTMENT



Brandon M. Scott Mayor Michael S. Harrison Police Commissioner

March 18, 2021

Honorable President and Members of the Baltimore City Council Room 400, City Hall 100 N. Holliday Street Baltimore, Maryland 21202

RE: City Council Bill #21-0044
Retirement Boards- Composition

Dear Council President Mosby and Members of the City Council:

The Baltimore Police Department (BPD) has reviewed Council Bill 21-0044 for the purpose of conforming the composition of the Board of Trustees for the Retirement Savings Plan and Fire and Police Employees' Retirement Board of Trustees to allow a certain designee of the Comptroller to act in the Comptroller's place; conforming and correcting related provisions; and providing for a special effective date.

The BPD has no objections to City Council Bill 21-0044. Thank you for allowing us to comment on this piece of legislation.

Sincerely,

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Director of Government Affairs

cc: Natwana Austin, Executive Secretary of the Baltimore City Council

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