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	AGENCY NAME & ADDRESS	DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING 8 <sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, 417 EAST FAYETTE STREET	BALTIMORE	
	SUBJECT	CITY COUNCIL BILL #21-0068/ CURING MISTAKES IN BIDS	IVI E IVI U	

TO

The Honorable President and Members of the City Council City Hall, Room 400 100 North Holliday Street DATE:

May 19, 2021

The Department of Planning is in receipt of City Council Bill #21-0068, which is for the purpose of permitting the City Purchasing Agent to waive minor irregularities in bids; permitting a bidder to cure mistakes in a bid under certain conditions; permitting a bidder to withdraw a bid under certain conditions; defining certain terms; requiring the City Purchasing Agent to prepare a determination showing the relief that was granted or denied regarding a bid's correction or withdrawal; and clarifying the duties of the City Purchasing Agent notwithstanding this subtitle.

The Department of Planning has no objection to City Council Bill #21-0068, and defers to the Department of Finance as the more directly affected agency.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Eric Tiso, Division Chief, Land Use and Urban Design Division at 410-396-8358.

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