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Introductory*

**City of Baltimore
Council Bill**

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A Bill Entitled

An Ordinance concerning

Zoning - Conditional Use Conversion of a Single-Family Dwelling Unit to 3 Dwelling Units in the R-8 Zoning District - Variances - 1235 West Lafayette Avenue

For the purpose of permitting, subject to certain conditions, the conversion of a single-family dwelling unit to 3 dwelling units in the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 1235 West Lafayette Avenue (Block 0090, Lot 021), as outlined in red on the accompanying plat; and granting variances from certain bulk (lot area), gross floor area per unit type, and off-street parking regulations.

By authority of

Article - Zoning

Sections 5-201(a), 5-305(a), 5-308, 9-401 (Table 9-401), 9-701(2), 9-703(c)(3), 9-703(f),
16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406)

Baltimore City Revised Code
(Edition 2000)

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, That permission is granted for the conversion of a single-family dwelling unit to 3 dwelling units in the R-8 Zoning District on the property known as 1235 West Lafayette Avenue (Block 0090, Lot 021), as outlined in red on the plat accompanying this Ordinance, in accordance with Baltimore City Zoning Code §§ 5-201(a) and 9-701(2), subject to the condition that the building complies with all applicable federal, state, and local licensing and certification requirements.

Section 2. And be it further ordained, That pursuant to the authority granted by §§ 5-201(a), 5-305(a), and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance from the requirements of § 9-401 (Table 9-401: Rowhouse and Multi-Family Residential Districts - Bulk and Yard Regulations), as a lot area of 1,875 square feet is required for 3 dwelling units, and the lot is only 1,280 square feet.

Section 3. And be it further ordained, That pursuant to the authority granted by §§ 5-201(a), 5-305(a), and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance from the requirements of § 9-703(c)(3) for gross floor area per unit type, as two of the proposed bedroom units, on the second and third floors, would be less than 1,000 square feet.

Section 4. And be it further ordained, That pursuant to the authority granted by §§ 5-201(a), 5-305(a), and 5-308 of Article 32 - Zoning, permission is granted for a variance from the off-street parking requirements of §§ 9-703(f), 16-203, and 16-602 (Table 16-406: Required Off-Street Parking).

Section 5. And be it further ordained, That as evidence of the authenticity of the accompanying plat and in order to give notice to the agencies that administer the City Zoning Ordinance: (i) when the City Council passes this Ordinance, the President of the City Council shall sign the plat; (ii) when the Mayor approves this Ordinance, the Mayor shall sign the plat; and (iii) the Director of Finance then shall transmit a copy of this Ordinance and the plat to the Board of Municipal and Zoning Appeals, the Planning Commission, the Commissioner of Housing and Community Development, the Supervisor of Assessments for Baltimore City, and the Zoning Administrator.

Section 6. And be it further ordained, That this Ordinance takes effect on the 30th day after the date it is enacted.