

# Council of the District of Columbia

## Committee on Health

1350 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Suite 115, Washington, D.C. 20004

### MEMORANDUM

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To: Chairman Phil Mendelson  
From: Councilmember David A. Catania  
Date: September 14, 2012  
Subject: Request to Agendize Legislation at the September 19, 2012 Additional  
Legislative Meeting on Behalf of the Mayor

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This memorandum serves as my request to agendize and move the following legislation on behalf of the Mayor at the September 19, 2012 additional legislative meeting:

- The “Purchase Orders under Memorandum of Understanding with the Defense Supply Center Philadelphia Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2012”
- The “Purchase Orders under Memorandum of Understanding with the Defense Supply Center Philadelphia Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Act of 2012”

This legislation is necessary to approve purchase orders with the Defense Supply Center Philadelphia for the purchase of pharmaceuticals for programs in the Departments of Health, Health Care Finance, and Corrections. The Memorandum of Understanding with Defense Supply Center Philadelphia provides the District with substantial savings by utilizing the Department of Defense’s pricing structure to purchase life saving medication for individuals in the Aids Drug Assistance Program, DC Healthcare Alliance, and Medicaid.

Copies of these measures are attached. I would appreciate your support on this legislation. If you have any questions, please contact Justin Palmer, Committee Director of the Committee on Health, at (202) 724-8170.

cc: All Councilmembers  
Office of the Secretary  
Office of the General Counsel  
Office of the Budget Director