

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency, due to congressional review, with respect to the need to amend the Neighborhood Engagement Achieves Results Amendment Act of 2016 to require that all money remaining in the operating budget of the Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement at the end of Fiscal Year 2018 shall be deposited into the Neighborhood Safety and Engagement Fund.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Neighborhood Safety and Engagement Fund Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2018”.

Sec. 2. (a) On September 18, 2018, the Council passed the Neighborhood Safety and Engagement Fund Emergency Amendment Act of 2018, effective October 12, 2018 (D.C. Act 22-0462; 65 DCR 11370), which will expire on January 1, 2019. This emergency legislation was necessary to clarify the Council’s intent by explicitly providing that any excess monies remaining at the end of Fiscal Year 2018 in the Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement’s operating budget shall be deposited into the Fund.

(b) On October 2, 2018, the Council passed the Neighborhood Safety and Engagement Fund Temporary Amendment Act of 2018, effective November 2, 2018 (D.C. Act 22-0478; 65 DCR 12026). This act is pending congressional transmittal.

34 (c) This congressional review emergency is necessary to prevent a gap in the law between
35 the expiration of the emergency act and the effective date of the temporary act.

36 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances
37 enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the
38 Neighborhood Safety and Engagement Fund Emergency Amendment Act of 2018 be adopted after
39 a single reading.

40 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

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