

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

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**CHAIRMAN PHIL MENDELSON  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING**

on

**PR 23-551, Washington Convention and Sports Authority Board of Directors Brian Kenner  
Confirmation Resolution of 2019**

on

**Tuesday, November 26, 2019, 3:30 p.m.  
Room 412, Council Chambers, John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20004**

Council Chairman Phil Mendelson announces a public hearing before the Committee of the Whole on PR 23-551, the “Washington Convention and Sports Authority Board of Directors Brian Kenner Appointment Resolution of 2019.” The hearing will be held at **3:30 p.m., or immediately following the preceding hearing whichever occurs later, on Tuesday, November 26, 2019 in Room 412** of the John A. Wilson Building.

The stated purpose of **PR 23-551** is to appoint Mr. Brian Kenner to the Washington Convention and Sports Authority Board of Directors (Events DC Board) for a four-year term to end May 16, 2023. The Washington Convention and Sports Authority (Events DC) is established as an independent authority of the District government. The mission of Events DC is two-fold: (1) generate economic and community benefits for the District by creating the premier event experience; and (2) promote Washington, D.C. as a world-class tourist destination. The Events DC Board, which is comprised of 12 members, serves as the governing body for Events DC. The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony from public witnesses as to the fitness of this nominee for the Events DC Board.

Those who wish to testify are asked to email the Committee of the Whole at [cow@dccouncil.us](mailto:cow@dccouncil.us), or call Peter Johnson at (202) 724-8083, and provide your name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title (if any) by close of business **Friday, November 22, 2019**. Persons wishing to testify are encouraged, but not required, to submit 15 copies of written testimony. If submitted by the close of business on November 22, 2019 the testimony will be distributed to Councilmembers before the hearing. Witnesses should limit their testimony to four minutes; less time will be allowed if there are a large number of witnesses. Copies of the legislation can be obtained through the Legislative Services Division of the Secretary of the Council’s office or on <http://lims.dccouncil.us>. Hearing materials, including a draft witness list, can be accessed at <http://www.chairmanmendelson.com/circulation>, 24 hours in advance of the hearing.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Written statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, Suite 410 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at 5:00 p.m. on December 10, 2019.