

**Council of the District of Columbia  
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**TO:** Chairman Phil Mendelson  
**FROM:** Councilmember Trayon White, Sr.  
**RE:** Request to Place Emergency Measures on the Agenda for the January 5, 2021  
Legislative Meeting  
**DATE:** December 30, 2020

This memorandum serves as my request to place the following measures on the January 5, 2021, Legislative Meeting agenda and have been filed with the Office of the Secretary:

Congressional Review Emergency Legislation

- Government Grant Transparency Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2021
- Government Grant Transparency Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2021

The Government Grant Transparency Emergency Amendment Act of 2020, effective October 23, 2020, expires on January 12, 2021. The Government Grant Transparency Temporary Amendment Act of 2020 (D.C. Act A23-0460; 67 DCR 13230) is not projected to become law until January 20, 2021. This emergency legislation declares the existence of an emergency with respect to authorizing and providing immediate clarity that grantor agencies' obligation to maintain sole source justifications and final agency justifications related to the selection of grantees and to produce such documents upon request of the Mayor or a member of the Council.

In order to prevent a gap in the law between the expiration of the emergency legislation and the effective date of the temporary legislation, it is now necessary to approve this congressional review emergency legislation.

A copy of these measures are attached. If you have any questions regarding this measure, please contact Tracey G. Jackson at [tgjackson@dccouncil.us](mailto:tgjackson@dccouncil.us).

Cc: Office of the Secretary