COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

MEMORANDUM

TO: Nyasha Smith, Secretary to the Council

FROM: Phil Mendelson, Chairman

DATE: February 25, 2021

RE: Congressional Review Emergency Measures for the March 2, 2021 Legislative

Meeting

This memo is to request that the following measures be placed on the agenda for the March 2, 2021 Legislative Meeting:

- Emergency Rental Assistance Reform Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2021
- Emergency Rental Assistance Reform Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2021

D.C. Act 23-455, the Emergency Rental Assistance Reform Emergency Amendment Act of 2020, expired on February 1, 2021. The temporary version of this legislation will not become law until March 15, 2021. A congressional review emergency retroactive to February 1st is necessary to address the gap in legislative authority.

Copies of the proposed measures are attached. Please contact me or Blaine Stum at 724-8092 if you have any questions.

cc: All Councilmembers
Council Officers