


Council of the District of Columbia
COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
MEMORANDUM

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20004

TO: Chairman Phil Mendelson
FROM: Elissa Silverman, Chair 
RE: Request to Agendize Measure for the August 10, 2021, Additional Legislative Meeting
DATE: August 5, 2021

I am writing to request that the following emergency measures be agendized for the Additional Legislative Meeting on August 10, 2021.

- “Short-term Disability Insurance Benefit Protection Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2021”
- “Short-term Disability Insurance Benefit Protection Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2021”

This legislation protects the paid family leave benefit payments of District workers who also have short-term disability insurance plans. These measures will ensure there is no gap in the law during Council recess after expiration of the emergency act, which will expire on August 24, 2021. The temporary act is projected to become law following congressional review on August 5, 2021, but it is not yet confirmed.

If you have any questions regarding these measures, please contact Liz Weiss at lweiss@dccouncil.us.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

cc: Members, Council of the District of Columbia
Office of the Secretary
Office of the General Counsel
Office of the Budget Director