

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To amend, on an emergency basis, the Coronavirus Support Temporary Amendment Act of 2021 to authorize certain emergency procurements deemed necessary to respond to changing public health conditions and to protect the health and safety of District residents.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Limited Emergency Procurement Extension Emergency Amendment Act of 2021”.

Sec. 2. Section 507 of the Coronavirus Support Temporary Amendment Act of 2021, effective June 24, 2021 (D.C. Law 24-9; 68 DCR 4824), is amended by striking the phrase “shall expire on November 5, 2021;” and inserting the phrase “shall expire on November 5, 2021, except for procurements that:

“(A) Are necessary to protect public health and safety through:

“(i) Expanding the availability and type of at-home coronavirus testing in response to the Omicron variant and any future coronavirus variants of concern;

“(ii) Expanding the number of vaccination sites to meet increased demand for vaccination; or,

“(iii) Making necessary changes in information technology systems to address unanticipated changes in public health requirements; and,

1 “(B) Are entered into no less than two business days after a summary of each
2 proposed procurement is provided to the Council and made publicly available online that includes:

3 “(i) A description of the specific goods or services to be procured;

4 “(ii) The source selection method, including whether the procurement was
5 competitively sourced;

6 “(iii) The anticipated contract amount;

7 “(iv) The name and certified business enterprise status of the proposed
8 awardee; and

9 “(v) An explanation regarding why expedited procurement procedures are
10 necessary to meet the specific need identified.” in its place.

11 Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.

12 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Chief Financial Officer as the fiscal
13 impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975,
14 approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a)

15 Sec. 4. Effective date.

16 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
17 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), and shall remain in effect no longer than 90
18 days, as provided for emergency acts of the Council of the District of Columbia in section 412(a)
19 of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 788; D.C.
20 Official Code § 1-204.12(a)).