

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency, due to congressional review, the need to amend An Act To revise certain laws relating to the liability of hotels, motels, and similar establishments in the District of Columbia to their guests to authorize the Mayor to issue rules to establish requirements for cleaning and maintenance of hotels and motels and to establish standards for public notice of lodging establishment service disruptions..

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That

this resolution may be cited as the “Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2022”.

Sec. 2. (a) On April 5, 2022, the Council passed the Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Emergency Amendment Act of 2022, enacted April 7, 2022 (D.C. Act 24-369; 69 DCR 3368) which expires on July 6, 2022.

(b) On April 19, 2022, the Council passed the Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Temporary Amendment Act of 2022 on second reading (D.C. Act 24-409; 69 DCR 5069) (“temporary act”), which was transmitted to Congress on May 17, 2022 with a projected law date of July 20, 2022.

(c) This identical emergency legislation is necessary to prevent a gap in the law between the expiration of the emergency act and the effective date of the temporary measure.

1 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances
2 in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances, making it necessary that the Hotel
3 Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Congressional Review Emergency
4 Amendment Act of 2022 be adopted after a single reading.

5 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.