

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairman Phil Mendelson

FROM: Councilmember Robert C. White, Jr.

DATE: May 16, 2023

RE: Request to agendize measures for the May 16th Legislative Meeting

I request that the following measure be placed on the agenda for the May 16, 2023 Legislative Meeting:

• PR25-113 - Sense of the Council on the Restoration of Cuban American Relations Resolution of 2023

This Sense of the Council resolution, introduced on February 10, 2023, urges the United States to end the economic embargo on the Republic of Cuba, which has been in place in various forms since 1962. It further urges the United States to remove Cuba from the State Sponsors of Terrorism list. These actions would roll back changes made by President Trump and return to normalization of relations between the United States and Cuba led by President Obama.

Filed versions of the measure is attached. If you have any questions regarding these measures, please contact Katie Whitehouse, Legislative Director, kwhitehouse@dccouncil.gov.

cc: Members, Council of the District of Columbia

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