COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE ADMINISTRATION AND LABOR MEMORANDUM 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

TO: Chairman Phil Mendelson

FROM: Councilmember Anita Bonds

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RE: Request to Agendize Measures for the October 1, 2024 Regular Legislative Meeting

DATE: September 26, 2024

This memorandum serves as my request to agendize the following measures for the October 1, 2024 Regular Legislative Meeting:

Emergency and Temporary Legislation

- Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2024
- Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Emergency Amendment Act of 2024
- Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Temporary Amendment Act of 2024

On December 19, 2023, the Council approved the Hotel Enhanced Cleaning and Notice of Service Disruption Second Temporary Amendment Act of 2023, and it will expire on October 12, 2024. This bill clarifies that the Mayor may issue rules to establish requirements for the cleaning and maintenance of hotels, motels, and other lodging establishments (collectively "lodging establishments") and to establish standards for public notice of actual or potential disruptions to service at, or use or enjoyment of, lodging establishments. In order to mitigate the potential of a gap in the law, which could compromise compliance with the cleaning requirements, it is necessary to approve this round of emergency and temporary legislation.

- Fidelity in Access to Government Communications Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2024
- Fidelity in Access to Government Communications Emergency Amendment Act of 2024
- Fidelity in Access to Government Communications Temporary Amendment Act of 2024

The Fidelity in Electronic Communications Second Emergency Amendment Act of 2023, effective March 1, 2024, will expire on October 12, 2024. This bill amended the District of Columbia Public Records Management Act of 1985 to clarify that all communications created or received electronically in the course of official business are subject to existing record-retention obligations. Emergency legislation is necessary to ensure that existing record retention guidelines continue to apply to a wide variety of electronic communications and to ensure that public access to information is not diminished or compromised.