

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency, on an emergency basis, due to congressional review, with respect to the need to amend Residential Tranquility Act of 2010 to prohibit persons targeting a residence for purposes of a demonstration from using sound amplifying devices in a residential zone between 7:00 p.m. and 9:00 a.m., and to prohibit a person from launching or throwing a projectile onto the residential property of another with the intent to cause fear, intimidate, or retaliate against any person living or working at that residence; and to amend the National Capital Revitalization and Self-Government Improvement Act of 1997 to provide that the term expiration date for a Council appointment to the Corrections Information Council shall be December 7th of the year in which the term expires.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Residential Tranquility Congressional Review Declaration Resolution of 2025”.

Sec. 2. (a) On October 29, 2024, the Council adopted the Residential Tranquility Emergency Amendment Act of 2024, effective November 4, 2024 (D.C. Act 25-622; 71 DCR 13558) (“emergency act”), which expires on February 2, 2025.

(b) On November 12, 2024, the Council adopted the Residential Tranquility Temporary Amendment Act of 2024, enacted on November 22, 2024 (D.C. Act 25-640, 71 DCR 14480) (“temporary act”), which has a projected law date of May 8, 2025.

31 (c) On January 7, 2025, the Council adopted the Residential Tranquility Congressional
32 Emergency Amendment Act of 2025, effective January 31, 2025 (D.C. Act 26-2; 72 DCR 1130)
33 (“emergency congressional review act”), which expires on May 1, 2025.

34 (d) This congressional review emergency legislation is necessary to prevent a gap in the
35 law between the expiration of the emergency congressional review act and the projected law date
36 of the temporary act.

37 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances in
38 Section 2 constitute emergency circumstances, making it necessary that the “Residential
39 Tranquility Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2025” be adopted after a
40 single reading.

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