

Council of the District of Columbia

Committee on Facilities

MEMORANDUM

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

TO: Chairman Phil Mendelson

FROM: Councilmember Janeese Lewis George 

RE: Notice of Intent to Move Emergency Measures at the October 6, 2026 Legislative Meeting

DATE: October 1, 2026

This memorandum serves as notice that I intend to move the following emergency measures at the October 6, 2026 Legislative Meeting:

- Net Zero Continuity Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2026
- Net Zero Continuity Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2026

On July 14, 2026, the Council adopted the Net Zero Continuity Emergency Amendment Act of 2026, which will expire on October 28, 2026. On September 22, 2026, the Council adopted the Net Zero Continuity Temporary Amendment Act of 2026, which passed on 2nd reading on September 22, 2026. However, the temporary act has not been submitted for and thus has not completed congressional review. Therefore, 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 act.

The text of the CRE is substantively identical to the Emergency Act with only a handful of technical changes.

The draft measures are attached. Please reach out to Sebastian Weinmann, Committee Director, at sweinmann@dccouncil.gov, and Emily Near, Senior Legislative Advisor, at enear@dccouncil.gov, with any questions.