### CHAIRMAN PHIL MENDELSON

### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

### ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

on

**PR 23-241, Board of Industrial Trades Shawn Ellis Confirmation Resolution of 2019**

**PR 23-242, Board of Industrial Trades Courtney Braxton Confirmation Resolution of 2019**

on

**Thursday, May 23, 2019**

**11:00 a.m., Room 120, John A. Wilson Building**

**1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW**

**Washington, DC 20004**

Council Chairman Phil Mendelson announces the scheduling of a public roundtable of the Committee of Whole on PR 23-241 and PR 23-242, appointing Shawn Ellis and Courtney Braxton to the Board of Industrial Trades. The roundtable will be held on **Thursday, May 23, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. in Room 120** of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The stated purpose of PR 23-241 is to appoint Mr. Ellis to the Board for a term to end on June 26, 2021. The stated purpose of PR 23-242 is to appoint Mr. Braxton for a term to end on June 26, 2022. The purpose of the Board is to protect the public health, safety, and welfare of citizens of the District by ensuring that individuals engaged in trades such as plumbing and electrical work have the specialized skills and training required to perform such services for the public. The purpose of this roundtable is to receive testimony from public witnesses as to the fitness of these nominees for the Board.

Those who wish to testify are asked to email the Committee of the Whole at [cow@dccouncil.us](mailto:cow@dccouncil.us), or call Blaine Stum, Legislative Policy Advisor at (202) 724-8092, and to provide your name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title (if any) by close of business Tuesday, **May 21, 2019**.  Persons wishing to testify are encouraged, but not required, to submit 15 copies of written testimony.  If submitted by the close of business on May 21, 2019 the testimony will be distributed to Councilmembers before the roundtable.  Witnesses should limit their testimony to four minutes; less time will be allowed if there are a large number of witnesses.  Copies of the legislation can be obtained through the Legislative Services Division of the Secretary of the Council’s office or on <http://lims.dccouncil.us>.  Roundtable materials, including a draft witness list, can be accessed 24 hours in advance of the roundtable at <http://www.chairmanmendelson.com/circulation>.

If you are unable to testify at the roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record.  Written statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, Suite 410 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.  The record will close at 5:00 p.m. on June 3, 2019.