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A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency due to congressional review, with respect to the need to amend the Displaced Workers Protection Act of 1994 to add a new Title II to provide eligible workers who have been displaced by COVID-19 the opportunity to be reinstated once their employer starts rehiring after the pandemic, and to allow eligible employees to be reinstated and retained employees employed if there is a change in the ownership, controlling interest, or identify of their employer.

RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Non-Public Student Educational Continuity Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2021.”

Sec. 2. (a) On January 5, 2021, the Council adopted the Non-Public Student Educational Continuity Emergency Amendment Act of 2021, effective February 1, 2021 (D.C. Act 24-9; 68 DCR 1830) which expires on May 1, 2021.

(b) On February 2, 2021, the Council adopted the Non-Public Student Educational Continuity Temporary Amendment Act of 2021 on second reading (D.C. Act 24-27; 68 DCR

37 2629) (“temporary act”), which was transmitted to Congress on March 9, 2021 with a projected
38 law date of May 11, 2021.

39 (c) This identical emergency legislation, with an applicability of April 30, 2021, is
40 necessary to prevent a gap in the law between the expiration of the emergency act and the
41 effective date of the permanent measure.

42 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances in
43 section 2 constitute emergency circumstances, making it necessary that the Non-Public Student
44 Educational Continuity Congressional Review Emergency Amendment Act of 2021 be adopted
45 after a single reading.

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