



Chairman Phil Mendelson

AN AMENDMENT

Bill 25-203, "Fiscal Year 2024 Local Budget Act of 2023"
ANS

May 30, 2023

Amendment. On page 28, paragraph (6) District of Columbia Public Schools is amended as follows:

- (1) Strike the year "2023" and insert the year "2025" in its place.
- (2) Strike the two provisos added by the ANS (both in red and underlined):
 - ("10 percent advance")
 - “, except, that no expenditures may be charged against the 10 percent advance until the Fiscal Year 2024 local fund appropriation for the District of Columbia Public Schools has been expended”

Rationale:

The first part corrects a typographical error in the introduced bill;

The second part strikes language included in the ANS that was intended to maximize the use of DCPS appropriations that would otherwise lapse at the end of the fiscal year due to underspending. This balancing of existing appropriations and advance funding is better managed by the OCFO during the year-end closing period. The amendment restores the provision to its original form.