

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004**

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**CHAIRMAN PHIL MENDELSON COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE and  
CHAIRWOMAN BROOKE PINTO  
COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY AND PUBLIC SAFETY ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC  
HEARING**

on

**Bill 25-309, “Special Education for Young Adults in the Custody of the Department of  
Corrections Amendment Act of 2023”**

and

**Bill 25-461, “Leading Education Access for Reentry and Necessary Success Amendment  
Act of 2023”**

on

**Tuesday, January 16, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.**

**Hearing Room 412 (Track B) John A. Wilson Building  
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
DC Council Website ([www.dccouncil.gov](http://www.dccouncil.gov))**

Public Witnesses

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| 1. | Ashley Ruff         | Public Witness  |
| 2. | Sarah Comeau        | Director of Programs & Co-Founder, School Justice Project |
| 3. | Salim Adofo         | ANC 8C  |
| 4. | Tayo Belle          | Managing Attorney, School Justice Project                 |
| 5. | Rev. Anthony Motley | Public Witness  |

Government Witnesses

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| 6. | Katerina Semyonova | Special Counsel for Policy and Legislation,<br>Public Defender Service for the District of<br>Columbia |
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