COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

MEMORANDUM

TO: Nyasha Smith, Secretary to the Council

FROM: Phil Mendelson, Chairman

DATE: February 27, 2025

RE: Request to Place Emergency Measures on the Agenda for the March 4,

2025 Legislative Meeting

This memorandum is to request that the following measures be placed on the agenda for the March 4, 2025 Legislative Meeting:

- Consumer Protection Clarification Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2025
- Consumer Protection Clarification Congressional Review Emergency Act of 2025

On November 26, 2024, the Council unanimously approved the Consumer Protection Clarification Emergency Amendment Act of 2024 (D.C. Act 25-667; 71 DCR 16306) ("emergency measure"). The emergency measure will expire on March 19, 2025. On December 17, 2024, the Council unanimously approved the Consumer Protection Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2024 (D.C. Act 25-707) ("temporary measure") on second reading. The temporary measure has yet to complete congressional review. Therefore, this congressional review emergency is necessary to prevent a gap in the law between the expiration of the emergency measure and the effective date of the temporary measure.

Draft copies of the measures are attached. Please call me or Blaine Stum, Deputy Committee Director, if you have any questions at (202) 724-8092.