

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**  
**Office of the Chief Financial Officer**

Natwar M. Gandhi  
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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** The Honorable Linda W. Cropp  
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

**FROM:** Natwar M. Gandhi  
Chief Financial Officer

**DATE:** June 28, 2002

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Impact Statement: "Government Sport Utility  
Purchasing Act of 2002"

**REFERENCE:** Bill 14-454 as Introduced

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**Conclusion**

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2003 through FY 2006 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation.

**Background**

The Government Sport Utility Purchasing Act of 2002 would prohibit the Government of the District of Columbia from purchasing or leasing additional Sport Utility Vehicles (SUVs) for governmental use. This bill would allow purchases and leases of SUVs for security, emergency and snow removal and for armored vehicles. In addition, all purchased or leased vehicles must have an Environmental Protection Agency estimated miles per gallon of not less than 22 miles per gallon.

**Financial Plan Impact**

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2003 through FY 2006 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation. SUVs will be replaced within the normal course of agency vehicle replacement plans and all replacement vehicle purchases will be funded out of an agency's budget and financial plan.