

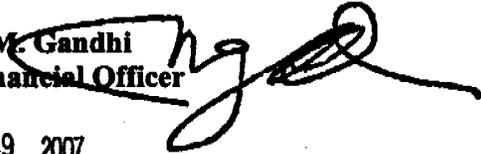
**Government of the District of Columbia
Office of the Chief Financial Officer**



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Chief Financial Officer

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Vincent C. Gray
Chair, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Natwar M. Gandhi
Chief Financial Officer 

DATE: JUL -9 2007

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement: "The Child's Right to Nurse Human Rights Amendment Act of 2007"

REFERENCE: Bill Number 17-133 as Introduced

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2007 budget and the proposed FY 2008 through FY 2011 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation.

Background

The proposed legislation would amend District of Columbia Official Code § 2-1401.05 (District Human Rights Law) to add breastfeeding to the list of protected human rights in the District and thus would prohibit discrimination against breastfeeding women. Specifically, the proposed legislation would codify the right of a woman to breastfeed in any location in the District and would require employers to provide reasonable daily unpaid break-time for women to breastfeed.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2007 budget and the proposed FY 2008 through FY 2011 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation. The proposed legislation would not require additional District resources and is not expected to result in a negative fiscal impact.