MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Phil Mendelson  
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Fitzroy Lee  
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DATE: December 16, 2021


REFERENCE: Draft Introductions as provided to the Office of Revenue Analysis on December 13, 2021

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2022 through fiscal year 2025 budget and financial plan to implement the emergency and temporary bills.

Background

The emergency and temporary bills clarify remedies that are available to the Attorney General in the prosecution of civil rights violations.¹ Specifically, the Attorney General may obtain injunctive relief, civil penalties, and other forms of relief. The Attorney General may also seek subpoenas for the production of documents and materials and for the attendance and testimony of witnesses under oath.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2022 through fiscal year 2025 budget and financial plan to implement the emergency and temporary bills. Clarifying the remedies available to the Attorney General to prosecute civil rights violations does not have a cost.