


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



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**MEMORANDUM**

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

**FROM:** Jeffrey S. DeWitt  
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**DATE:** January 13, 2021

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Impact Statement – January 2021 Public Emergency Extension  
Authorization Emergency Amendment Act of 2021

**REFERENCE:** Draft Resolution as provided to the Office of Revenue Analysis on  
January 13, 2021

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**Conclusion**

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2021 through fiscal year 2024 budget and financial plan to implement the resolution.

**Background**

The resolution authorizes<sup>1</sup> the Mayor to extend the public emergency executive order<sup>2</sup> issued in response to the violent and riotous protests at the United States Capitol on January 6, 2021 and the inaugural activities to occur on January 20, 2021 for an additional 15-day period. The public emergency executive order is set to conclude at 12:00 a.m. on Friday, February 5, 2021.

**Financial Plan Impact**

Funds are sufficient in the fiscal year 2021 through fiscal year 2024 budget and financial plan to implement the resolution. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to approve the disbursement of all appropriations necessary to implement public emergency executive orders. The District may also apply for financial assistance through the Federal Emergency Management Agency and other

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<sup>1</sup> By amending Section 7 of the District of Columbia Public Emergency Act of 1980, effective March 5, 1981 (D.C. Law 3-149; D.C. Official Code § 7-2306).

<sup>2</sup> Mayor's Order 2021-003.

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appropriate United States Government agencies to recoup expenditures incurred or to obtain funding needed to implement public emergency executive orders.