


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



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**MEMORANDUM**

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

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

**DATE:** DEC 29 2008

**SUBJECT:** Fiscal Impact Statement: "Disclosure to the United States District Court Amendment Act of 2009"

**REFERENCE:** Draft Bill – No Number Assigned

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**Conclusion**

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2009 through FY 2012 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed legislation. No additional funds or staff time are required to implement the provisions of this proposal.

**Background**

The proposed legislation would amend D.C. Code § 47-1805.04, which governs the divulgence of information from individual tax returns. The proposed legislation would allow the Office of Tax and Revenue to furnish to the United States District Court for the District of Columbia ("District Court") the names, addresses, and Social Security numbers of individuals who have filed an income tax return.

In the past the District Court relied on the master jury list maintained by the District of Columbia Superior Court. This information, combined with other information sources such as voter registration lists and lists of licensed drivers, would allow the District Court to maintain its own master jury list that is as broad and inclusive.

**Financial Plan Impact**

Funds are sufficient in the FY 2009 through FY 2012 budget and financial plan to implement the proposed resolution. The Office of Tax and Revenue already shares such a list with the District

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of Columbia Superior Court. No additional funds or staff time are required to share the list with the District Court.