

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to amend the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget Support Act of 2014 to clarify provisions supporting the Fiscal Year 2015 budget.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Fiscal Year 2015 Budget Support Clarification Congressional Review Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2014”.

Sec. 2. (a) On June 24, 2014, the Council also passed Bill 20-750, the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget Support Act of 2014. The Mayor returned that permanent legislation unsigned, and it is currently undergoing congressional review.

(b) On October 7, 2014, the Council passed Act 20-461, the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget Support Clarification Emergency Amendment Act of 2014. The Mayor returned that legislation unsigned, and it is projected to expire on February 4, 2015. It is also projected to be overridden by Bill 20-750, once Bill 20-750 becomes law.

(c) On October 28, 2014, the Council also passed Bill 20-958, the Fiscal Year 2015 Budget Support Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2014. That legislation is currently being enrolled.

(d) The congressional review period for the temporary legislation, and the pending end of

1 the review period for Bill 20-750, will create a gap in authority between Act 20-461 and Bill 20-  
2 958. This gap must be avoided for the proper implementation and balancing of the Fiscal Year 2015  
3 Budget and Financial Plan.

4           Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances  
5 enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the Fiscal  
6 Year 2015 Budget Support Clarification Congressional Review Emergency Act of 2014 be  
7 adopted after a single reading.

8           Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.