

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To declare, on an emergency basis, the need to adopt a resolution to reprimand or censure the Mayor, adopt a resolution to expel the Mayor, adopt a resolution to reprimand or censure the Attorney General, adopt a resolution to expel the Attorney General, and amend the District of Columbia Home Rule Act to provide for the expulsion of the Mayor and the Attorney General.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Mayor and Attorney General Reprimand, Censure and Expulsion Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2014”.

Sec. 2. (a) In June 2014, the D.C. Court of Appeals ruled that the attorney general election must be held in 2014, thus dictating the District will have its first attorney general election and its first elected Attorney General will take office in 2015.

(b) To preserve the integrity of the office, promote accountability, and secure citizen’s trust and faith in the elected leadership of the District, the Council of the District of Columbia must possess the power to reprimand or censure as well expel the Mayor and the Attorney General.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the Mayor and Attorney General Reprimand, Censure and Expulsion Emergency Act of 2014 be adopted after a single reading.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.