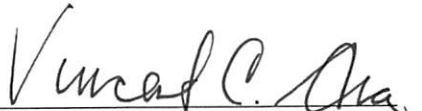


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12 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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17 To amend the Metro for D.C. Amendment Act of 2020 to reduce the percentage of revenue
18 dedication from 100% to 50%; to create a dedicated tax revenue stream to fund Section
19 201 of the Birth-to-Three for All DC Amendment Act of 2018 and the Metro for D.C.
20 Amendment Act of 2020.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this
23 act may be cited as the “Birth-to-Three for All D.C. and Metro for D.C. Dedicated Funding
24 Amendment Act of 2020”.

25 Sec. 2. The amendatory language in Title VI, Section 11y(b) of the “Metro for D.C.
26 Amendment Act of 2020” is amended to read as follows:

27 “(b) Dedicated tax revenue from Class 1 real property taxes, pursuant to D.C. Official
28 Code § 47-860 shall be deposited into the Fund.

29 Sec. 3. Chapter 8 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as
30 follows:

31 (a) The table of contents is amended to add a new section to read as follows:

32 “§ 47-860. Dedicated tax funding for Birth-to-Three and Metro for D.C.”.

1 “(b) A new section 860 is added to read as follows:

2 “§ 47-860. Dedicated tax funding for Birth-to-Three and Metro for D.C.”.

3 “Beginning in June 2020, for any additional local revenue that the Office of Chief
4 Financial Officer certifies in a quarterly revenue estimate as recurring over the four-year
5 financial plan, an equivalent amount of Class 1 real property tax revenue shall be classified to be
6 dedicated tax revenue on a recurring basis, and shall be deposited 50% into the Early Childhood
7 Development Fund and 50% into the Transit Subsidy Fund for the current fiscal year, with
8 equivalent amounts being reserved in the financial plan years, until such time as the fiscal effect
9 of either the Section 201 of the Birth-to-Three for All DC Amendment Act of 2018 or the Metro
10 for D.C. Amendment Act of 2020 is fully funded. Thereafter, 100% of the certified revenue
11 shall be deposited into the special fund of the act that has not yet been fully funded, until such
12 time as both bills are fully funded.”.

13 Sec. 4. Section 11d of the Day Care Policy Act of 1979, effective September 19, 1979
14 (D.C. Law 3-16; D.C. Official Code § 4-401 et seq.), is amended as follows:

15 (a) Subsection (b) is amended to read as follows:

16 “(b)(1) Fifty percent of all net revenue collected pursuant to section 311(a)(3) of the
17 Sports Wagering Lottery Amendment Act of 2018, effective May 3, 2019 (D.C. Law 22-312;
18 D.C. Official Code § _____) shall be deposited into the Fund.

19 “(2) Dedicated tax revenue from Class 1 real property taxes pursuant to D.C.
20 Official Code § 47-860 shall be deposited into the Fund.

21 (b) Subsection (c) is amended to read as follows:

1 “(c)(1) Money in the Fund shall be used to support the cost of care and the teacher salary
2 scale increases as set forth in section 11b.

3 (2) Upon full funding of section 11b, money in the fund may also be used to fund
4 expansion of subsidized child care services in Sec. 11c and the expansion of the Quality
5 Improvement Network in section 15b.”.

6 Sec. 5. Fiscal impact statement.

7 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the fiscal
8 impact statement required by section 4a of the General Legislative Procedures Act of 1975,
9 approved October 16, 2006 (120 Stat. 2038; D.C. Official Code § 1-301.47a).

10 Sec. 6. Effective date.

11 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
12 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review as
13 provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December
14 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of
15 Columbia Register.