


Councilmember Vincent C. Gray

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

1 To amend Chapter 46 of Title 47 of the District of Columbia Official Code to provide an
2 extension of the real property tax abatement to the 800 Kenilworth Avenue, N.E.
3 redevelopment project, described as Lot 0008 in Square 5058.
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5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this
6 act may be cited as the “800 Kenilworth Avenue Northeast Redevelopment Project Real Property
7 Limited Tax Abatement Act of 2020”.

8 Sec. 2. Section 47-4643 of the District of Columbia Official Code is amended as follows:

9 (a) The existing language is designated as subsection (a)

10 (b) Subsection (a) is amended by striking the phrase “10 years.” and inserting the phrase
11 “51 years.” in its place.

12 (c) A new subsection (b) is added to read as follows:

13 “(b) The tax abatement shall remain in effect for the 40-year period following the
14 effective date of the 800 Kenilworth Avenue Northeast Redevelopment Project Real Property
15 Limited Tax Abatement Act of 2020, introduced on May 12, 2020. The real property shall be
16 deed-restricted in perpetuity such that the apartment units are leased as work-force housing to

tenants whose income does not exceed 80% of area median income for the Washington Metropolitan Statistical Area as determined by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development pursuant to Section 42 of Internal Revenue Code.”.

Sec. 3. Fiscal Impact Statement.

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

Sec. 4. Effective Date.

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