



Councilmember Trayon White, Sr.

A BILL

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To require the District of Columbia Housing Authority to provide improvement assistance to senior residents of living facilities to paint their housing units.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the “Senior Resident Living Facility Unit Improvement Assistance Act of 2021”.

Sec. 2. Definitions.

For the purposes of this act, the term “living facilities” refers to:

(1) An entity whether public or private, that combines housing, health, and personalized assistance for the support of individuals who are unrelated to the owner or operator of the entity;

Sec. 3. Establishment of the requirement to provide improvement assistance to senior residents of living facilities to paint their housing units.

(a) DCHA shall require and enforce that any living facility operating in the District of Columbia designate personnel to aid senior residents of the living facility to paint their housing unit.

(b) Any senior resident of a living facility shall be rendered aid to paint their housing unit upon request.

32 Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

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

36 Sec. 5. Effective date.

37 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto by the
38 Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of congressional review as
39 provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December
40 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the district of
41 Columbia Register.