

A RESOLUTION

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

April 2, 2019

To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to amend the Attorney General for the District of Columbia Clarification and Elected Term Amendment Act of 2010 to authorize the Attorney General to issue grants, not to exceed the total amount of \$360,000, for the purposes of crime reduction and violence interruption and to use the Litigation Support Fund to pay any personnel and non-personnel costs related to administering a grant.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Attorney General Limited Grant-Making Authority Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2019”.

Sec. 2. (a) On June 5, 2018, the Council passed the Attorney General Limited Grant-Making Authority Emergency Amendment Act of 2018, effective June 27, 2018 (D.C. Act 22-391; 65 DCR 7144), which expired on September 25, 2018.

(b) On June 26, 2018, the Council passed the Attorney General Limited Grant-Making Authority Temporary Amendment Act of 2018, effective September 1, 2018 (D.C. Law 22-160; 65 DCR 7539), which will expire on April 14, 2019.

(c) On December 18, 2018, the Council passed the Omnibus Public Safety and Justice Amendment Act of 2018, enacted on January 30, 2019 (D.C. Act 22-614; 66 DCR 1627), which made permanent the provisions of the emergency and temporary legislation, and is projected to become law on May 23, 2019.

(d) It is now necessary to move this emergency legislation in order to prevent a gap in the law between the expiration of the temporary legislation and the effective date of the permanent legislation.

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 Attorney General Limited Grant-Making Authority Emergency Amendment Act of 2019 be adopted after a single reading.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.