



Prince George's County, Maryland

Inter-Office Memorandum

Office of Law

LEGISLATIVE COMMENT

DATE: February 27, 2026

TO: David Murray, Council Administrator

THRU: Anthony D. Jones, County Attorney

THRU: Jason A. Alston, Deputy County Attorney

FROM: Dinora A. Hernandez, Associate County Attorney

RE: CB-006-2026

The Office of Law has reviewed CB-06-2026 as presented on February 17, 2026. We find the bill to be in proper legislative form. The Office of Law also notes that Section 3, which declares a public emergency caused by unlawful federal immigration enforcement activity, makes the bill susceptible to a legal challenge. The official declaration that federal immigration enforcement activity constitutes a public health emergency could be viewed by a court as the County's attempt to regulate an area where only the federal government has the ability to regulate in violation of the Constitution's Supremacy Clause.