



Prince George's County Council

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Report of the Standing Committee - Final Government Operations and Fiscal Policy Committee

Ingrid S. Watson, Chair
Sydney J. Harrison, Vice Chair
Thomas E. Dernoga
Mel Franklin
Krystal Oriadha

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Thursday, February 22, 2024

1:30 PM

Committee Room 2027

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ORDER OF PROCEEDING

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chair Ingrid Watson at 1:30pm with 5 members present at roll call. Council Member Franklin was present, attending virtually.

Present: 4 - Chair Ingrid Watson, Vice Chair Sydney Harrison, Council Member Thomas Dernoga and Council Member Krystal Oriadha

Remote: 1 - Council Member Mel Franklin

LEGISLATION[CB-001-2024](#)

AN ACT CONCERNING BLACK BUSINESS START UP FUNDS for the purpose of adding African American Business Enterprises to the Prince George's County Business Expansion and Start-Up Grant Program; adding African American Business Enterprises to the Prince George's County Business Expansion and Start-Up Loan program; providing for African American Business Enterprises definition and specified definitions section; and other related provisions.

Sponsor(s): Oriadha

A motion was made by Council Member Oriadha, seconded by Vice Chair Harrison, that this Council Bill be Held in Committee. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Watson, Harrison, Dernoga, Franklin and Oriadha

[CB-003-2024](#)

AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATORY LACTATION ROOMS IN COUNTY BUILDINGS AND OR REAL PROPERTY for the purpose of requiring lactation rooms in certain County buildings and or real property.

Sponsor(s): Oriadha

A motion was made by Council Member Oriadha, seconded by Vice Chair Harrison, that this Council Bill be Favorably recommended with amendments to the County Council. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Watson, Harrison, Dernoga, Franklin and Oriadha

[CB-004-2024](#)

AN ACT CONCERNING PARENTAL LEAVE ELIGIBILITY for the purpose of revising the time that County employees are eligible to receive parental leave.

Sponsor(s): Oriadha

A motion was made by Council Member Dernoga, seconded by Vice Chair Harrison, that this Council Bill be Favorably recommended with amendments. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Watson, Harrison, Dernoga, Franklin and Oriadha

ADJOURN

Adjourned

OTHERS PRESENT:

Chair Jolene Ivey

Council Member Calvin Hawkins

A motion was made by Chair Watson, seconded by Vice Chair Harrison, that this be adjourned. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Watson, Harrison, Dernoga, Franklin and Oriadha