



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 7/19/2016 **Effective Date:** 11/30/2016
Reference No.: CB-041-2016 **Chapter Number:** 26
Draft No.: 2 **Public Hearing Date:** 7/11/2016 @ 7:00 PM
Proposer(s): Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison and Turner
Sponsor(s): Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Turner, Taveras and Lehman
Item Title: AN ACT CONCERNING AMENDMENT OF SECTION 508, CHARTER OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY for the purpose of proposing an amendment to Section 508 of the Charter of Prince George's County to provide for outside counsel in the event of a conflict between the executive and legislative branches on matters regarding legal services and advice.

Drafter: Colette Gresham, Legislative Officer
Resource Personnel: Nell W. Johnson, Chief of Staff, District 6

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
06/14/2016	County Council	Favorably recommended with amendments	County Council

Action Text:

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

Aye: 7 Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Taveras and Turner

Absent: 2 Patterson and Toles

06/14/2016	County Council	introduced	
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Action Text:

This Council Bill was introduced by Council Members Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Taveras, Turner and Lehman

07/11/2016	County Council	public hearing held	
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Action Text:

The public hearing was held for this Council Bill.

07/19/2016	County Council	enacted	
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Action Text:

A motion was made by Council Member Franklin, seconded by Council Member Turner, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 Davis, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Lehman, Patterson, Taveras,
Toles and Turner

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

CHARTER-0508

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

The proposed Charter Amendment would provide that in the event of a conflict between the executive and legislative branches on matters requiring legal services and advice, both branches shall engage outside counsel.

NOTE: Subject to referendum on November 8, 2016

Document(s): B2016041, CB-41-2016 AIS.pdf, CB-41-2016 Report, CB-41-2016 Fiscal Impact