

AN ACT

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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To prohibit, on a temporary basis, issuing settlement payments for a disapproved contract that is the subject of an active investigation of the Council, the Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, or the Office of the Inspector General until 90 days following the completion of the investigation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this act may be cited as the "District Settlement Payment Integrity Temporary Act of 2010".

Sec. 2. (a) The Office of the Chief Financial Officer, the District of Columbia Housing Authority, or any other District agency or authority shall not approve, initiate, transfer, or disburse any payment or settlement related to a disapproved contract while the details of the disapproved contract are the subject of an active investigation by the Council, the Office of the District of Columbia Auditor, or the Office of the Inspector General until 90 days following the completion of the investigation, unless the Council authorizes payment of a settlement pursuant to subsection (b) of this section.

(b) The Council, by act, may authorize payment of a settlement within the 90 days following the completion of an investigation.

Sec. 3. Applicability.

This act shall apply as of June 30, 2010.

Sec. 4. Fiscal impact statement.

The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement of the Budget Director as the fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-206.02(c)(3)).

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Sec. 5. Effective date.

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

(b) This act shall expire after 225 days of its having taken effect.

Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia

Mayor
District of Columbia