

A RESOLUTION

**Proposed
Resolution
20-678**

To authorize the General Counsel to represent the Council's interest in upholding the legality of the Local Budget Autonomy Amendment Act of 2012.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Budget Autonomy Litigation Authorization Resolution of 2014”.

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Sec. 2. The General Counsel may:

(1) Initiate, defend, intervene, participate, or take any other action in a matter in any court or tribunal on behalf of and in the name of the Council of the District of Columbia to assert any interest of the Council and to support the legality of the Local Budget Autonomy Amendment Act of 2012, effective July 25, 2013 (D.C. Law 19-321; 20 DCSTAT 1743);

(2) Subject to the availability of funds, appoint, employ, or retain counsel, consultants, or any other person to assist in any activity authorized in paragraph (1) of this section; or

(3) Take any other action necessary to carry out this section.

Sec. 3. Effective date.

This resolution shall take effect immediately.