

# One Hundredth Congress of the United States of America

## AT THE THRID SESSION

Begun and held at the City of Washington on Sunday,  
the twenty-seventh day of October, two thousand and twenty-four

### An Act

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States  
of America in Congress assembled,*

#### SEC. 1—SHORT TITLE.

- a. This piece of legislation shall be referred to as the “DC Prosecution Authority Act of 2024”

#### SEC. 2—GENERAL PROVISIONS.

- a. Any part of any act, joint resolution, memorandum or codified law that conflicts with this act shall be deemed null and void.
- b. This act shall be servable, in which, if any provision of this act is found unconstitutional the rest of the act shall be in full effect unless also found unconstitutional.
- c. This act shall go into effect immediately.

#### SEC. 3—PROSECUTION AUTHORITY.

- a. **IN GENERAL.**—All criminal prosecutions for violations of the District of Columbia Criminal Code or any other code, ordinance, directive, or legislation shall be conducted in the name of the United States by the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia and his or her assistants.
- b. **EXCLUSIVE AUTHORITY.**—The United States Attorney for the District of Columbia shall have exclusive authority to prosecute criminal violations of the District of Columbia Law.
- c. **PROHIBITION.**—No other entity, including the Attorney General for the District of Columbia, shall have the authority to prosecute criminal violations of District of Columbia Law



Hon. Arthur Chen

Speaker of the House of Representatives.