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AN AMENDMENT

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IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Date: June 26, 2013

Amendment offered by: Councilmember David A. Catania

to: B20-199 "Fiscal Year 2014 Budget Support Act of 2013"

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INSERT:

Amend Title V to insert a new subtitle S to read as follows:

SUBTITLE S ASTHMA RESOURCE CENTER

Sec. 5200. Short title.

This subtitle may be cited as the "Pediatric Asthma Management Act of 2013".

Sec. 5201. Pediatric asthma management center.

Of the capital funds allocated in fiscal year 2014 for project HT0-UMC01 within the Department of Health Care Finance, up to \$2 million may be used to fund the renovation of existing space on the campus of United Medical Center in support of a pediatric asthma management center.

RATIONALE:

According to the 2010 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 18% of DC residents 0-17 years of age had asthma. Rates are higher in less advantaged parts of the District and asthma-related morbidity is highly concentrated in Wards 7 and 8. The current pediatric asthma program at United Medical Center saw a 25% increase in new patients from FY11 to FY12, providing care to over 1,000 new patients. The result has been a 40% decrease in pediatric hospitalizations for asthma and a reduction in the number of missed school days. Authorizing capital funds to be used to renovate existing space at UMC will allow the asthma program to expand and serve an additional 800 families a year.

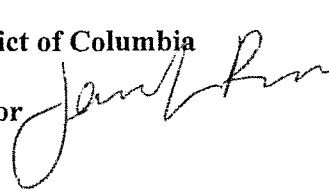
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Jennifer Budoff
Budget Director

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

TO: The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Jennifer Budoff, Budget Director 

DATE: June 25, 2013

SHORT TITLE: B20-199, "Fiscal Year 2014 Budget Support Act of 2013"

TYPE: Amendment

REQUESTED BY: Councilmember David A. Catania

Conclusion

This amendment will not have an adverse impact on the District's budget and financial plan because it does not require additional spending but further defines how project funds can be used.

Background

This amendment would authorize up to \$2 million of the capital budget allocated for project WMC01C-United Medical Center Facility to be used for the renovation of existing space on the campus of United Medical Center in support of a pediatric asthma management center. As currently written, the project description authorizes project funds to be used to evaluate the needs of the United Medical Center facility and proceed with the necessary construction to ensure that the facility is sufficient to meet the needs of the District and the patients served in this hospital.

Analysis of Impact on Spending

This amendment will not adversely impact spending.

Analysis of Impact on Revenue

This amendment will not adversely impact revenue.