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To the Honorable Committee on  
Zoning, Neighborhoods & Development

Dear Committee Members:

On April 14, the Zoning Code Technical Committee held a hearing on File Number 031614 (Substitute 1), an ordinance which would establish a 5,000-foot spacing requirement for currency exchanges, payday loan agencies and title loan agencies. The committee reviewed the proposed ordinance for legality, enforceability, administrative efficiency and consistency with the zoning code. The committee recommended that this file be held pending preparation of a City Attorney's opinion relating to the legality of spacing requirements in general as well as spacing requirements for certain specific establishments, including currency exchanges, payday loan agencies and title loan agencies.

Sincerely,

Teodros W. Medhin, Ph.D., Chair  
Zoning Code Technical Committee

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