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The Honorable Phil Mendelson

Chairman

Council of the District of Columbia

John A. Wilson Building

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 504

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

Washington, D.C. 20004

Enclosed for consideration and approval by the Council of the District of Columbia is proposed emergency legislation entitled, "Contract No. CW28651 Emergency Approval Resolution of 2014" and the corresponding declaration resolution to approve multiyear Contract No. CW28651. This proposed legislation would provide comprehensive medical, mental health, pharmacy and dental services to inmates housed in the Central Detention Facility and Correctional Treatment Facility. Approval is necessary to allow the District to continue to receive the benefit of these vital services without interruption, and the critical requirements of the District can only be met through an award of the approved multiyear contract Corizon Health, Inc.

Council approval is required by section 451(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 803, Pub. L. 93-198; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.51(c)(3).

The base term of contract will be three years measured from date of award at an estimated price of \$66,131,504. There are two one-year option periods. The Chief Financial Officer for the Department of Corrections has certified that funding is available for FY 2015. Funds for FY16, FY17, and FY18 are contingent and made available upon approval of the budgets and appropriations for FY16, FY17, and FY18, respectively.

As always, I am available to discuss any questions you may have regarding this contract. In order to facilitate a response to any questions, please have your staff contact Lauren Stephens, Public Information Officer, at 724-4982.

I urge you to take prompt and favorable action regarding the enclosed legislation.

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Enclosures

Chairman Phil Mendelson at the request of the Mayor A PROPOSED RESOLUTION IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to approve multiyear Contract No. CW28651 with Corizon Health, Inc., to provide comprehensive medical, mental health, pharmacy and dental services to inmates housed in the Central Detention Facility and Correctional Treatment Facility. RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Contract No. CW28651 Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2014". Sec. 2. (a) The Office of Contracting and Procurement, on behalf of the Department of Corrections, proposes to enter into a multiyear agreement with Corizon Health, Inc., to provide comprehensive medical, mental health, pharmacy and dental services to inmates housed in the Central Detention Facility and Correctional Treatment Facility. (b) The estimated price under this multiyear contract with Corizon Health, Inc., is in the amount of \$66,131,504. (c) Approval is necessary to allow the District to continue to receive the benefit of these vital services without interruption from Corizon Health, Inc.

- 1 (d) These critical services can only be obtained through an award of the
- 2 multiyear contract with Corizon Health, Inc.
- 3 Sec 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances
- 4 enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the
- 5 Contract No. CW28651 Emergency Approval Resolution of 2014 be adopted after a
- 6 single reading.
- 7 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.