Resolution No.:

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## COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

Lead Sponsor: County Council

**SUBJECT:** Resolution to Extend Time for Council action on Ethics Commission Regulation

22-16, Ethics Regulations

## **Background**

- 1. On December 16, 2016, the County Council received Executive Regulation 22-16, *Ethics Regulations*.
- 2. The Ethics Commission requests that the County Council adopt new ethics regulations that replace existing outdated regulations and add several new provisions.
- 3. The Council must review the regulation under Method (2) of Section 2A-15 of the County Code.
- 4. Under Method (2), if the Council does not approve or disapprove a regulation with 60 calendar days after the Council receives the regulation, the regulation automatically takes effect.
- 5. Code Section 2A-15 allows the Council to extend the deadline for action on a regulation under Method (2).

## Action

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following resolution:

The time for consideration of Executive Regulation 22-16, *Ethics Regulations*, is extended to December 31, 2017.

This is a correct copy of Council action.

Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council