GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice



August 16, 2023

Hon. Brooke Pinto Chairperson Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

Dear Councilmember Pinto:

This letter is to notify you of a serious use of force by Metropolitan Police Department Officer Patrick Vaillancourt on May 16, 2023, in the 3900 block of South Capitol Street, SW.

The subject of the serious use of force declined release of body-worn camera footage of this incident.

Sincerely,

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Lindsey Appiah Deputy Mayor

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