

Mayor's Chief of Staff Response

Case # 19-0062-I

CITY OF BALTIMORE

BERNARD C. "JACK" YOUNG
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Ms. Isabel Mercedes Cumming, Inspector General
Office of the Inspector General
100 Holliday Street, Suite 635
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Dear Inspector General Cumming,


Thank you for your detailed Report of Investigation (OIG Case #19-0062-I) involving a violation of the City Code by the Chair of the Auction Advisory Board.

The Administration has reviewed the report and I have requested the following actions:

1. Immediate Removal of the Chair of the Auction Advisory Board
2. Replacement of the members of the three member Auction Advisory Board
3. Review of existing SOPs as they pertain to Board and Commission appointments
4. Draft new SOPs to ensure resolution of this point of failure
5. A review to determine how the contract was awarded to an unlicensed company

Once again, thank you for your hard work on behalf of the citizens of the City of Baltimore.

Sincerely,


Kimberly Morton
Chief of Staff to
Mayor Bernard C. "Jack" Young

Cc: Mayor Bernard C. "Jack" Young
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