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COMMUNICATIONS

From the Director of Legal Services and City Solicitor,

Submitting communication dated October 30, 2015, advising that By-law No. 111/2015, which further amends the City Organization By-law No. 7100/97, is being submitted for all three readings.

Further advising that By-law No. 111/2015, clarifies that the new Standing Policy Committee on Water and Waste, Riverbank Management and the Environment and the Standing Policy Committee on Innovation, which were created by By-law No. 106/2015, will serve as the appeal committee on a schedule determined in accordance with section 13.1 of the By-law.

Also advising that this was implied by virtue of the reference in section 13.1 to "the Standing Policy Committees of Council". The amending by-law, By-Law No. 111/2015 clarifies this responsibility by explicitly adding this responsibility to the list of functions of the two new Standing Policy Committees.

In addition, By-law No. 111/2015 strikes out references to sections 13.2 and 13.4 in the City Organization By-law which have been rendered redundant by the changes made through By-law No. 106/2015, and corrects the title of section 14.1.

The amendments to the City Organization By-law flow from Council Minute No. 656, Item 9 of the Report of the Executive Policy Committee dated October 21, 2015, as adopted by Council on October 28, 2015, and are considered to be technical in nature. (By-law No. 111/2015)