

**CITY COUNCIL RESEARCH DIVISION  
LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY**



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**Bill Type and Number:** 2020-109

**Introducer/Sponsor(s):** Council Member Diamond

**Date of Introduction:** February 11, 2020

**Committee(s) of Reference:** R

**Date of Analysis:** February 10, 2020

**Type of Action:** Council Rules amendment

**Bill Summary:** This bill amends Council Rule 3.102(f) to state that resolutions intended to be passed by emergency articulate “introductory emergency” or “one cycle emergency” and the reasons for moving the resolution as an emergency in a separately identified section of the proposed resolution with a heading in bold identifying the section number and title. Currently the rule only applies to ordinances.

**Background Information:** The purpose of this bill is to clarify the procedures for passing emergency or one cycle resolutions so the nature and purpose of the emergency are clearly articulated in the legislation.

**Policy Impact Area:** Council Rules

**Fiscal Impact:** No direct cost to the City

**Analyst:** Hampsey