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CORRESPONDENCE.

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Kindly let the Mayor have your opinion at the earliest possible moment, as the Association is awaiting this opinion before taking final action.

Very truly yours,
 (Signed) A.S. Goldeborough,
 Mayor's Secretary.

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AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL ORDINANCE NUMBER TWENTY-SIX OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, APPROVED OCTOBER 18, 1907, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF BALTIMORE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE, WITH THE CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION OF BALTIMORE CITY (EIGHTH DIVISION UNITED WOMEN OF MARYLAND) AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$6,000) AS THE COMPENSATION TO BE PAID UNDER SAID CONTRACT FOR THE YEAR 1908", AND TO RE-ENACT THE SAME, WITH AMENDMENTS, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS ANNUALLY DURING THE CONTINUANCE OF SAID CONTRACT.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE That, under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon it by Chapter of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of the year 1908, the Mayor of Baltimore be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to enter into a contract, on behalf of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, with the Children's Playground Association of Baltimore City, a body corporate, in the following form, to wit:

This agreement, made this first day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and nine, by and between the Children's Playground Association of Baltimore City, a body corporate, party of the first part, and the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, party of the second part, Witnesseth:

First - That the party of the first part doth hereby covenant and agree with the party of the second part that it will well and faithfully maintain, in each year, during the continuance of this contract, at and for the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000) per annum, not less than twenty-four (24) children's playgrounds in the public parks, squares and school house yards of Baltimore City, the locations of said playgrounds to be selected by the party of the first part, subject to the approval of the Mayor of Baltimore.

Second - That the party of the second part doth hereby covenant and agree with the party of the first part, in consideration of the maintenance, as aforesaid, in each year, of the above mentioned twenty-four children's playgrounds, to pay to said party of the first part, in advance, quarterly, on the first day of January, the first day of April, the first day of July, and the first day of October, in each year, during the continuance of this contract, the sum of \$9,000.

Third - It is hereby agreed, between the parties hereto, that this contract may be terminated at any time by said party of the second part by ordinance, or by the Mayor of the City of Baltimore by his giving thirty days' notice, in writing, to said party of the first part, without any responsibility upon the part of the said party of the second part in any respect or to any extent therefor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the party of the first part has caused these presents to be signed by its proper officers and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, duly attested by its proper officer, and the party of the second part has caused these presents to be signed by the Mayor of Baltimore city, and the corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, duly attested by the City Register.