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Brookins, Howard (21) Sponsor(s):

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Amendment of Section 2-56-030 of Municipal Code Title:

regarding powers and duties of Inspector General

Committee on Budget and Government Operations Committee(s) Assignment:

ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the Chicago City Council approved an ordinance establishing the Office of the Inspector General on October 4, 1989; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance conferred certain powers and duties upon the Inspector General; and

WHEREAS, one of these powers and duties was to promulgate rules and regulations for the conduct of investigations and public hearings consistent with the requirements of due process of law and equal protection under the law; and

WHEREAS, on October 22, 2010 the Inspector General testified before the Committee on Budget and Government Operations that a formal set of policies and procedures would be coming forward very shortly; and

WHEREAS, to date, the Inspector General still has not made such policies and procedures public;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

SECTION 1. Chapter 2-56-030 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by adding the language underlined and deleting the language struck through as follows:

2-56-030 Inspector general - Powers and duties.

In addition to other powers conferred herein, the inspector general shall have the following powers and duties:

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance)

(i) To promulgate rules and regulations for the conduct of investigations and public hearings consistent with the requirements of due process of law and equal protection under the law. Such rules and regulations shall be submitted no later than November 30, 2011 to the Committee on Budget and Government Operations for review and approval by the City Council.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication.

Alderman Howard Brookins, 21st Ward

