

**Council of the District of Columbia
Subcommittee on Public Interest
Notice of Public Hearing**

1350 Pennsylvania Ave., NW 20004

**COUNCILMEMBER PHIL MENDELSON, CHAIRPERSON
SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INTEREST
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON**

“LABOR RELATIONS AND RETAIL BUSINESS”

**Thursday, October 7, 2004, 10:00a.m., Room 412
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Phil Mendelson, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Public Interest announces a public hearing on labor relations and retail business. The public hearing will be held at 10:00a.m. on Thursday, October 7, 2004 in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building. The public hearing will provide an opportunity to discuss labor issues in the retail market, relationships between unions and retail businesses, and workforce criteria for new businesses seeking to enter the District market.

Those who wish to testify should contact Nicola Y. Whiteman, Subcommittee Clerk, at (202) 724-8064, by fax at (202) 724-8099, or via e-mail at Nwhiteman@dccouncil.us, and provide their name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title by the close of business on Tuesday, October 5, 2004. Witnesses should also provide 15 copies of their testimony. If submitted by the close of business on Tuesday, October 5, 2004, the testimony will be distributed to councilmembers before the hearing. Witnesses will be permitted a maximum of five (5) minutes for oral presentation unless arrangement for lengthening testimony is made beforehand.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Subcommittee Clerk, or to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close on October 21, 2004.