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Ford Goes to D.C. to Serve as a Panelist for Criminal Justice Reform

CHICAGO – To help form policy on criminal justice reform, state Rep. La Shawn K. Ford, D-Chicago, is in Washington, D.C. today to serve as a panelist on the issue at Georgetown University.

“Governor Rauner and many others have made criminal justice reform a priority for the state of Illinois, and I am honored to join colleagues from around the country to discuss the issue and identify best practices that would work well in Illinois,” said Ford. “I look forward to serving as a panelist at Georgetown University this afternoon, and to hearing speeches from other elected officials including Senator Cory Booker from New Jersey and Senator Rand Paul from Kentucky.”

Ford is attending the Joint Center 2015 Legislative Leadership Roundtable, sponsored by the Joint Center for Political and Economic Studies. Topics include policing and criminal justice, conversations with congressional leadership, and issues involving appropriate technology. Ford is the Chairman of the Illinois House Restorative Justice Committee.

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