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**New York City Board of Elections  
Certificate of Appointment**

December 11, 2024

Hon. Audrey I. Pheffer  
Queens County Clerk  
88-11 Sutphin Blvd.  
Queens County Courthouse  
Jamaica, NY 11435

Dear Ms. Pheffer:

I certify that:

Pursuant to Sections 3-204 and 3-210 of the New York State Election Law, and upon the recommendation of the Queens County Democratic Party filed with the Clerk of the Council on October 1, 2024, the members of the New York City Council who are members of the Democratic Party met on December 10, 2024, and with a quorum being present, unanimously voted to appoint Jose M. Araujo, a resident of Queens, to be the County of Queens Democratic Commissioner of the New York City Board of Elections to serve a four-year term beginning on January 1, 2025 and expiring on December 31, 2028.

This Certificate of Appointment is being transmitted to you for filing pursuant to Section 3-210 of the New York State Election Law. Such section requires that you immediately notify the New York State Board of Elections of Mr. Araujo's appointment.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Amanda Farías".

Hon. Amanda Farías  
Majority Leader  
New York City Council

cc: Hon. Adrienne Adams, Speaker, New York City Council  
Hon. Michael McSweeney, Clerk, New York City Council  
Jeffrey Campagna, Counsel, Committee on Rules, Privileges, and Elections  
Vincent Ignizio, Deputy Executive Director, NYC Board of Elections