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February 21st, 2023

City Clerk and Clerk of the City Council of New York City 141 Worth Street Municipal Building New York, New York 10013

To Whom it May Concern:

Enclosed please find a Certificate of Recommendation for the appointment of Priscilla Marco, to fill the vacancy as Richmond County Democratic Commissioner of Elections.

Ms. Marco is an extremely qualified candidate for the position of Commissioner of Elections. She has been an attorney for over 40 years, and was on the Community Board for over 9 years, 3 of which she was Chair. The Democratic Committee of Richmond County Committee voted unanimously for her to fill this vacancy.

As you are aware, Patricia Anne Taylor Carsel recently resigned after years of service, which prompted this recommendation to fill the vacancy.

This appointment is very important to me on both a personal and professional level. I want to thank you in advance for your time and consideration in this regard.

Laura Sword

County Chairwoman

## STATE OF NEW YORK BOARD OF ELECTIONS

## **ELECTION COMMISSIONER CERTIFICATE**

(New York City only)

To the Clerk of the City Council of the City of New York

I certify that:

| At a meeting of the Democratic County Committee of the County of Richmond, held on                                                                                                                                        |
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| the 15th day of February, 2023, at 1466 Manor Road, Staten Island, New York 10314, under the                                                                                                                              |
| provisions of the Election Law and rules of the County Committee, a quorum being present,                                                                                                                                 |
| Priscilla Marco, was                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| recommended by majority of said committee as a suitable and qualified person for appointment                                                                                                                              |
| to the office of Commissioner of Elections                                                                                                                                                                                |
| For the term beginning January 1, 2021                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| X To fill an existing vacancy in said office for the remainders of the current term.                                                                                                                                      |
| And that said designee is a registered voter of the County of Richmond and a duly enrolled                                                                                                                                |
| member of the Democratic Party.                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Dated at Staten Island, New York                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| February 21*, 2023                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Laura Sword, Chairwoman                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| STATE OF NEW YORK ) ss:                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| COUNTY OF RICHMOND )                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| On this 21st day of February, 2023, before me, personally appeared LAURA SWORD, personally known to me to be the Chairwoman described in the foregoing Certificate, and she duly acknowledged that she executed the same. |
| Notary Public  ANDREW POZNANSKI  NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF NEW YORK  No 02PO6090427  Qualified in Richmond County  My Commission Expires 10-07-2023                                                                          |