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Ethan Carrier, General Counsel
New York City Conflicts of Interest Board
2 Lafayette Street, Suite 1010
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Via email: carrier@coib.nyc.gov

RE: COIB Rule 1-07(d)(1) Approval of Consulting Agreement With Former OMB Employee –
Christine Larson

Dear Mr. Carrier:

This letter serves to notify the Conflicts of Interest Board (“COIB”) that, in accordance with COIB Rule 1-07(d)(1), the New York City Mayor’s Office of Management and Budget (“OMB”) is entering into an agreement with Christine Larson as a consultant, for a period from January 17, 2023 through February 17, 2023. Ms. Larson recently retired as an Assistant Director in Counsel’s Office at OMB after nearly 40 years of City service. Her last earned City salary was \$191,418.

Ms. Larson has worked at OMB since 1985, and in that time she amassed an immeasurable amount of experience and knowledge related to the City’s capital scope review program. It is essential that the OMB staff taking on Ms. Larson’s considerable duties have the benefit of her guidance during this transition period. Under the consulting agreement, Ms. Larson will be compensated at a rate of \$45 per hour, which is lower than the total compensation she earned as an employee of OMB.

Please feel free to contact OMB’s General Counsel, Prescott Ulrey, if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

Jacques Jiha, Ph.D.
Budget Director
New York City Mayor’s Office of
Management and Budget