----X NEW YORK CITY MAYOR'S OFFICE OF CONTRACT SERVICES (MOCS) PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD (PPB) MEETING ----X _ _ _ _ _ _ _ 253 Broadway New York, New York August 19, 2019 10:09 a.m. Reported by: Elbia Merino

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4	PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD
5	Alexandros Hatzakis, Member and Chair
6	Dustin Saldarriaga, Member
7	Lisa Flores, Member
8	Arva Rice, Member
9	Sergio Paneque, Member
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11	MAYOR'S OFFICE OF CONTRACT SERVICES
12	Dan Symon, Director
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1 2 THE CHAIR: Good morning. Thank you, everyone. Thank you for being in 3 attendance. This Procurement Policy 4 5 Board Meeting will now come to order. 6 I'll invite each member of the board 7 to state their name for the record. 8 MS. RICE: Arva Rice. 9 MR. SALDARRIAGA: Dustin 10 Saldarriaga. 11 MS. FLORES: Lisa Flores. 12 MR. PANEQUE: Sergio Paneque. 13 THE CHAIR: And Alexandros 14 Hatzakis. Thank you. So we do in fact have 15 16 a quorum. So we'll get started. 17 I'd like to ask each other person in attendance to state his or her name 18 19 for the record. Just before we do 20 that, I do want to remind everyone 21 that this is not a public hearing. 22 This is a meeting of the Procurement 23 Policy Board to review certain rules for introduction into the CAPA 24 25 process. Just do state your name for

1 2 the record so we can ensure that 3 everyone is accurately reflected. SPEAKER: Dan Symon, Director, 4 5 Mayor's Office of Contract Services. 6 SPEAKER: Victor Olds, General 7 Counsel, Mayor's Office of Contract 8 Services. 9 SPEAKER: Rodrigo Mora, Chairman, 10 Hispanics in Real Estate and 11 Construction. 12 SPEAKER: Andis Woodloch, 13 Contractor Compliance. 14 SPEAKER: Sandra Wilkin, Bradford Construction and M/WBE. 15 16 SPEAKER: David Garfinkel, 17 Associate General Counsel at MOCS. SPEAKER: Mercedes Vidal. I'm 18 19 with the Mayor's Office. 20 SPEAKER: Colleen Molter. OED National. I'm also M/WBE for the 21 Mayor's Office. 22 23 SPEAKER: Carter Lard, M/WBE. 24 SPEAKER: Sudaf Syal with the New 25 York City Network Cooperatives.

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1 2 SPEAKER: Gale Bartholomew, 3 Crescent Consulting, M/WBE. SPEAKER: Anthony Peterson, 4 5 consultant and MBE. 6 SPEAKER: Ray Medina, Mayor's 7 Office. SPEAKER: Brian Ansari, Brian 8 9 Ansari & Associates. 10 SPEAKER: Amrita Barth. Chief, 11 Contracts and Real Estate, New York 12 City Law Department. 13 SPEAKER: Marvin Pequese, Deputy 14 General Counsel, Comptroller's Office. SPEAKER: Carly Ansari with Brian 15 Ansari. 16 17 SPEAKER: Andre Robinson, PCDOCHU. SPEAKER: Sanjay Naik. AANKHE. 18 19 SPEAKER: Michael Seal, Mayor's Office. 20 21 SPEAKER: Shannon Wright, Mayor's 22 Office of M/WBE. SPEAKER: Salma Debesou 23 24 (phonetic), Mayor's Office of M/WBE. 25 SPEAKER: Ryan Murray, MOCS.

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SPEAKER: Vincent Pernetti, MOCS. THE CHAIR: Thank you.

So the business in order for this meeting is the vote of amending certain rules into the Citywide Administrative Procedures Act process. I'll refer to that for the remainder of this meeting as "CAPA." The potential form of these amendments to the proposed rules are included on the PPB webpage, with the understanding that these are drafts and they may change as they make their way through the CAPA process, and will require subsequent votes by the PPB for adoption.

The first item for today is to vote into CAPA, a rule that relates to amending Section 3-02 of the PPB Rules relating to competitive sealed bids. At this time, I'd like to recognize Dan Symon to speak further on the item.

MR. SYMON: The Procurement Policy

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1 2 Board proposes to amend Chapter 3 of 3 Title 9 of the City of New York to apply the quantitative preference for 4 best value competitive sealed bids to 5 6 vendors certified with the State of 7 New York or the City of New York as a 8 minority or women-owned business, 9 commonly referred to as M/WBEs, 10 pursuant to Article 15A of the executive law or Section thirteen 11 12 hundred four of the charter. Further, 13 the proposed amendment allows the 14 quantitative preference to be adjusted with permission of the CCPO. 15 This 16 proposed amendment is required by 17 Charter Section 311(i)(2), as it was 18 amended by Senate Bill S7293 on April 19 18, 2018. In support of amending the 20 Rule, the text of a potential 21 amendment is described as item one on 22 today's agenda, which is featured on 23 the calendar portion of the PPB 24 webpage. 25 THE CHAIR: Is there a member at

1 2 this time who wishes to make a 3 statement or ask a question on this 4 matter? 5 (No response.) 6 THE CHAIR: Hearing none, is there 7 a member that will make a motion to 8 move this item? MS. FLORES: Moved. 9 10 THE CHAIR: Will another member second? 11 12 MR. PANEQUE: Second. 13 THE CHAIR: I will now like to ask each member of the PPB to vote on this 14 item. 15 16 All in favor in amending this Rule into CAPA, please state "Aye." 17 18 THE BOARD: "Aye." 19 THE CHAIR: Any opposed? 20 (No response.) 21 THE CHAIR: Any abstentions? (No response.) 22 23 THE CHAIR: Let the record show that item one is voted into the CAPA. 24 25 The second item for vote into CAPA

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relates to amending Section 3-03 of the PPB Rules relating to competitive sealed proposals. Again, I'd like to recognize Dan Symon to speak further on this item. MR. SYMON: The Procurement Policy Board is amending Chapter 3 of the Rules of the City of New York to expand the application of quantitative preferences that can be given to certified M/WBEs. First, similar to Item 1 previously discussed, the Rules need to be amended to comply with the amendments to the Charter by the state legislature that requires the preference to be applied to both state and city certified M/WBEs. Second, the best value provisions of Section 3-03 should be applied to professional services, as authorized by Charter Section 3-11(i)(2). Additional changes are contemplated to allow for adjustments to the applied quantitative preference upon approval

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1 2 of the CCPO. Third, the provision 3 relating to the procurement of construction-related consulting 4 5 services, which are awarded through 6 qualifications-based selection, should 7 be amended to allow for a quantitative 8 preference of five percent to be 9 applied to state and city certified 10 M/WBEs. In support of amending the 11 rule, the text of a proposed amendment 12 is featured as item two on today's 13 agenda. 14 THE CHAIR: Are there any members at this time that wish to make a 15 16 statement or ask a question on this 17 proposed item? 18 (No response.) 19 THE CHAIR: Hearing none, is there 20 a member that would like to make a motion to move this item? 21 22 MS. RICE: I make a motion. 23 THE CHAIR: Is there a second? 24 MS. FLORES: Second. 25 THE CHAIR: We'll now vote.

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1 2 All in favor to move this amending 3 rule into the CAPA, please state "Aye." 4 5 THE BOARD: "Aye." 6 THE CHAIR: Any opposed? 7 (No response.) 8 THE CHAIR: No abstentions? 9 (No response.) 10 THE CHAIR: Let the record show that item number two is voted into the 11 12 CAPA. 13 The third item on our agenda and final item relates to amending the 14 M/WBE Noncompetitive Small Purchase 15 16 mechanism. Again, at this time, I 17 would like to recognize the Director 18 of the Mayor's Office of Contract 19 Services, Dan Symon, to speak further 20 on this item. 21 MR. SYMON: The Procurement Policy 22 Board is proposing amending Chapter 3 23 of Title 9 of the Rules of the City of New York to amend the mechanism so it 24 25 can be used for purchases up to

1 2 \$500,000 and for construction. The 3 Charter was recently amended through legislation signed by the Governor 4 allowing for this increased usage. 5 In support of amending the Rule, the text 6 7 of a proposed amendment is provided as 8 item three on today's agenda. 9 THE CHAIR: At this time, is there 10 a member who would like to make a statement or ask a question on this 11 12 matter? 13 (No response.) 14 THE CHAIR: Hearing none, is there a member that would like to make a 15 motion to move this item? 16 17 MR. PANEQUE: Moved. 18 THE CHAIR: Second? 19 MS. RICE: Second. 20 THE CHAIR: I will now like to ask 21 each member of the PPB to vote on this 22 item. 23 All in favor to vote to amend the rule into the CAPA, please state 24 25 "Aye."

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1 2 THE BOARD: "Aye." 3 THE CHAIR: Any opposed? 4 (No response.) 5 THE CHAIR: No abstentions? 6 (No response.) 7 THE CHAIR: Let the record show 8 that item three is voted into the 9 CAPA. 10 So again, for the benefit of 11 everyone in the room, just want to remind that this in fact is not a 12 13 public hearing. This is a meeting of 14 business for the Procurement Policy Board. So the record will show that 15 16 these three rules have been voted into 17 the CAPA process. At which point, we 18 do invite that everyone be on the 19 lookout for the scheduling of a public 20 hearing. Appreciate everyone in 21 attendance today. But that concludes our agenda for the day. Thank you. 22 23 The meeting is adjourned. 24 (TIME NOTED: 10:18 a.m.) 25

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