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MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

SEP 18 2017

The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 504
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

In accordance with section 201 of the Rental Housing Act of 1985, effective July 17, 1985 (D.C. Law 6-10; D.C. Official Code § 42-3502.01), I am pleased to nominate the following individual for appointment:

Ms. Lisa M. Gregory
910 O Street NW
Washington, DC 20001
(Ward 2)

as a member of the Rental Housing Commission, replacing Peter Szegedy-Maszak, for a term to end July 18, 2020.

Enclosed, you will find biographical information detailing Ms. Gregory's experience, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

I would appreciate the Council's earliest consideration of this nomination for confirmation. Please do not hesitate to contact me, or Steven Walker, Director, Mayor's Office of Talent and Appointments, should the Council require additional information.

Sincerely,

Muriel Bowser
Mayor

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Muriel Bowser", written over a vertical line that extends from the word "Mayor" below.



Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Mayor

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Chairman Phil Mendelson, at the request of the Mayor, introduced the following resolution,
which was referred to the Committee on _____

To confirm the appointment of Ms. Lisa M. Gregory to the Rental Housing Commission.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Rental Housing Commission Lisa M. Gregory Confirmation Resolution of 2017".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia confirms the appointment of:

Ms. Lisa M. Gregory
910 O Street NW
Washington, DC 20001
(Ward 2)

as a member of the Rental Housing Commission, established by section 201 of the Rental Housing Act of 1985, effective July 17, 1985 (D.C. Law 6-10; D.C. Official Code § 42-3502.01), replacing Peter Szegedy-Maszak, for a term to end July 18, 2020.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution, upon its adoption, to the nominee and to the Office of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Lisa Michelle Gregory

EDUCATION

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, D.C., LL.M., 2016.

SPECIALIZATION: GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT
INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS

OXFORD UNIVERSITY, OXFORD, ENGLAND

SUMMER 2012 INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS, OXFORD UNIVERSITY, ENGLAND

TUCK SCHOOL OF BUSINESS (EXECUTIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM)

FALL 2010 BUILDING A HIGH PERFORMING SMALL BUSINESS, DARTMOUTH
COLLEGE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, D.C., J.D., 1997.

SPELMAN COLLEGE, B.A., ENGLISH, MINOR PHILOSOPHY, ATLANTA, CUM LAUDE 1989

COMPLETED PAPERS

PUBLIC PROCUREMENT CAN HAVE A SOUL, THE UNITED STATES AND THE EU MUST HARMONIZE
PUBLIC PROCUREMENT LAWS TO ATTACK HUMAN TRAFFICKING - THESIS (2016)

GPA AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES (WTO'S GPA -AGREEMENT ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT)
(2012)

EXPERIENCE

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFICE OF HUMAN RIGHTS; JULY 2017 -PRESENT, INTAKE MANAGER
(MANAGE INTAKE UNIT AND 5 STAFF MEMBERS)**

THE MISSION OF OHR IS TO INVESTIGATE AND SETTLE ILLEGAL DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINTS IN
EMPLOYMENT, HOUSING, PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS AND EDUCATION, BY ENFORCING THE FEDERAL
AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIVIL RIGHTS LAWS, REGULATIONS AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS;
JANUARY 2008-JULY 2017, CHIEF (MANAGE 8 PROGRAMS AND 11 STAFF MEMBERS AND
CONSULTANTS)**

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY RESPONSIBILITIES OF MANAGEMENT
PROVIDING EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL APPOINTMENT TO ALL APPLICANTS
TREATING ALL EMPLOYEES FAIRLY AND EQUITABLY IN WORK ASSIGNMENTS, PERFORMANCE
EVALUATIONS, TRANSFERS AND DISCIPLINE

PROVIDING ALL EMPLOYEES EQUAL ACCESS TO TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES DESIGNED TO DEVELOP
SKILL NEEDED TO IMPROVE CURRENT JOB PERFORMANCE

ADDITIONAL CIVIL RIGHTS RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Management oversight over numerous civil rights and diversity programs.
- Mediating employee, small and third party disputes
- Ensuring compliance with civil rights state and federal program requirements.
- Monitoring prime contractor's performance on street, bridge and highway construction and maintenance contracts.
- Training and Monitoring performance
- Drafting, and implementing transportation and related government contracts
- Implementing measures to improve process, increase transparency, efficiency, competition;
- Representing the District of Columbia with the federal government and other entities to ensure fiscally responsible spending on public infrastructure projects;

U.S. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION, WRITING ATTORNEY (2000- 2001)

- Reviewed written appeals of federal government agencies for merit.
- Weighed opposing positions of federal employees and government contractors (under Executive Order 11246) and wrote deciding opinions affirming or reversing agency decisions.

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, ST. CROIX, USVI; (AUGUST 1998- AUGUST 1999).

Law Clerk to the Honorable Judge Alphonso Andrews

- Legal Research in the areas of Contracts, Employment, Real Property, and Debt
- Wrote memoranda, scheduled hearings,

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SUPERIOR COURT, WASHINGTON, DC, (1997- 1998)

Law Clerk to the Honorable Judge Robert S. Tignor

- Managed court's hearings and conferences

AMEX INT'L, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA; (JUNE 1990-AUGUST 1994).

Shipping and Procurement Specialist, (Africa and Former Soviet Union region)

- Purchase and transport of agricultural and nonagricultural commodities
- Preparation and distribution of tenders
- Evaluation of freight and commodity offers and contract award
- Inland transportation logistics
- Freight forwarding services

MINISTRY OF JUSTICE, SIERRA LEONE; (SEPTEMBER 1989- JUNE 1990).

Law Clerk to Attorney General and Minister of Justice Abdulai Conteh

- Analysis of constitutional reform, balance of power between legislative, executive and judicial branches
- Analysis of the democratic multi-party system in Sierra Leone

Bar Admissions

District of Columbia

United States Virgin Islands

References

Judge Robert S. Tignor
Judge Deborah Robinson

PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

PARTICIPANT IN FALL (UNCITRAL) UN WORKING GROUP MEETING ON THE MODEL
PROCUREMENT CODE, 2012

CONTRIBUTED TO WORLD BANK – PUBLIC PROCUREMENT SURVEY

TESTIFIED BEFORE DC CITY COUNCIL ON DC CIVIL RIGHTS /CONTRACT ISSUES
(LABOR/EMPLOYMENT, BONDING THRESHOLD), 2011

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA MAYOR NOMINATED TO SERVE ON DC CONTRACT APPEALS
BOARD, (DISTRICT'S BID PROTEST AND CONTRACTUAL DISPUTE ADJUDICATIVE
BODY) 2010

MEDIATOR



Executive Office of the Mayor - Office of Talent and Appointments
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Lisa M. Gregory



Lisa M. Gregory is an Intake Manager for the DC Office of Human Rights.

Ms. Gregory was the Chief of the Office of Civil Rights for the DC Department of Transportation for 10 years before joining the Office of Human Rights. She managed a staff of 11 civil rights professionals and provided oversight for eight (8) federal civil rights programs: including the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE small business) Program, Americans with Disabilities Act Title II, Title VII, and Title VI, and other regulations governing DDOT. In her role as Chief, she provided analysis and solutions to complex compliance issues affecting DDOT and managed an 800 thousand dollar federally mandated budget. Ms. Gregory is a member of the District of Columbia and U.S. Virgin Islands bars. She has worked abroad in Sierra Leone, West Africa where she was a legal intern for the Minister of Justice (Attorney General) working on Sierra Leone's constitutional issues.

A Ward 2 resident, Ms. Gregory received a Bachelor of Arts from Spelman College, a Juris Doctor from the George Washington University Law School and a Master of Laws in Government Procurement from the George Washington University Law School.



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

To: Alana Intrieri, Steve Walker
From: Betsy Cavendish
Date: September 7, 2017
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of resolution nominating Lisa M. Gregory to the Rental Housing Commission

This is to Certify that this office has reviewed the above-referenced legislation and found it to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call me at 202-724-7681.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Elizabeth A. Cavendish'. The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Elizabeth Cavendish