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MURIEL BOWSER
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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 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01), and pursuant to section 1002 of the Non-Health Related Occupations and Professions Licensure Act of 1998, effective April 20, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-261; D.C. Official Code § 47-2853.06(c)), I am pleased to nominate the following person to the Board of Barber and Cosmetology ("Board"):

Mr. Erwin Gomez
1415 Rhode Island Ave NW
Washington, DC 20011
(Ward 2)

for appointment as a cosmetologist member of the Board, replacing Norah Critzos, for a term ending December 13, 2021.

Enclosed you will find biographical information detailing the experience of Mr. Gomez, 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Muriel Bowser".

Muriel Bowser



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 Mr. Erwin Gomez to the Board of Barber and Cosmetology.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Board of Barber and Cosmetology Erwin Gomez Confirmation Resolution of 2018".

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

Mr. Erwin Gomez
1415 Rhode Island Ave NW
Washington, DC 20011
(Ward 2)

as a cosmetologist member of the Board of Barber and Cosmetology, in accordance section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D. C. Official Code § 1-523.01 (2014 Suppl.) and pursuant to section 1002 of the Non-Health Related Occupations and Professions Licensure Act of 1998, effective April 20, 1999 (D.C. Law 12-261; D.C. Official Code § 47-2853.06(c), replacing Norah Critzos, to serve for a term to end December 13, 2021.

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.

Erwin Gomez

Summary

- Over 30 years of makeup artistry and eyebrow design experience
- Owner of Beauty Salons within and DC and the surrounding area
- Deep knowledge of cosmetology and beauty industry
- Experienced salon manager with a demonstrated record of successfully leading large scale change across organizations

Education

B.A. from Thomas Del Rosario College, Manilla Philippines

Work Experience

Erwin Gomez Salon/ Karma Salon

Owner, 2012-Present

Red Door Spa

Creative Director, 2000-2012, Washington, DC

Volunteer Experience

The Human Rights Campaign

The Hispanic Heritage Foundation

The Alzheimer's Drug Discovery Foundation



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Erwin Gomez



Erwin Gomez is a licensed cosmetologist and owner of KARMA by Erwin Gomez salon and spas.

Mr. Gomez is a nationally acclaimed celebrity beauty guru and was the first makeup artist to open a hair salon in the DC metro area. Prior to opening KARMA, the native of the Philippines was national creative director of Red Door Spas for 12 years, served as resident makeup artist for *Entertainment Tonight* and CBS News, and provided makeup for both the Grammy and ALMA Awards. Erwin is regularly recognized as one of America's premier makeup and eyebrow design artists and has been featured in publications such as *Brides*, *Capitol File*, *InStyle*, *Refinery29*, *Shape*, *Town & Country*, *USA Today*, *Washingtonian*, *The*

Washington Post and more. In fact, *Allure* named Erwin the top eyebrow specialist in Washington, D.C. for 14 consecutive years.

A Ward 2 resident, Erwin Gomez, received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Tomas del Rosario College and has established his salon, KARMA, as a go-to destination for high profile clients.



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: October 13, 2018
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of Resolutions nominating Erwin Gomez and reappointing Richard DeCarlo and Raymond Kibler as members to the Board of Barber and Cosmetology

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.

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Elizabeth Cavendish