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STATEMENT FROM MAYOR DE BLASIO

Mayor de Blasio issued the following statement on the confirmation of Dr. Una Clarke to the CUNY Board:

“I commend the State Senate for confirming Dr. Una Clarke as a member of the CUNY Board. During her tenure on the City Council, she was a prolific legislator and tireless advocate for students across the five boroughs. I’m confident that Dr. Clarke will bring her vast knowledge as a former educator and longtime public servant to further improve the quality of education CUNY delivers to its students every day. I also want to thank Joe Lhota for his outstanding service to the CUNY community as a member of this Board.”

Statement from Outgoing CUNY Board Member Joe Lhota:

“Una Clarke was a superb member of City Council. She has a keen intellect and will be an excellent trustee of the City University of New York. I congratulate Mayor de Blasio for appointing someone of Una’s caliber to the board of the finest urban university in America.”

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