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To: Adrienne Adams, Speaker

New York City Council

From: Daniel Steinberg, Director

Mayor's Office of Operations

Date: February 23, 2023

Re: Local Law 163 (2016) Services Provided to New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA) Residents

Dear Speaker Adams,

Please find enclosed a report containing data on services provided to New York City Housing Authority (NYCHA) residents, as required by Local Law 163 of 2016. The Mayor's Office of Operations compiled this report from data submitted by City agencies and offices. All data is from Calendar Year 2021.

Previous submissions are available, by agency, on the Open Data Portal as a data collection at this link: https://data.cityofnewyork.us/browse?Data-Collection_Data-Collection_Data-Collection=Services+available+to+NYCHA+Residents+-+Local+Law+163

We would like to direct your attention to a notable dataset change. The Department of Education previously reported the number of NYCHA residents which passed the Test Assessing Secondary Completion (TASC) exam as required by Local Law 163 (2016). Until December 2021, in New York State, High School Equivalency (HSE) diplomas were awarded to students who passed the Test Assessing Secondary Completion (TASC) exam. In December 2021 New York State transitioned from using the TASC to the General Educational Development (GED) Test as the state's HSE exam. This dataset was renamed on the Open Data Portal to "High School Equivalency (HSE) Diplomas Awarded to NYCHA Residents" to represent diplomas awarded by either exam.

Best,

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