## EQUAL EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES COMMISSION CITY OF NEW YORK

**RESOLUTION #09/10-014C:** Determination of implementation by the Staten Island Borough President's Office of the recommended corrective actions made by the Equal Employment Practices Commission pursuant to its audit of the Staten Island Borough President's Office's Charter-mandated Equal Employment Opportunity Program from July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2007.

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter 36, Section 831(d)(2) and (5) of the New York City Charter, the Equal Employment Practices Commission is authorized to audit and evaluate the employment practices, programs, policies, and procedures of city agencies and their efforts to insure fair and effective equal employment opportunity for minority group members and women, and to make recommendations to city agencies to insure equal employment opportunity for minority group members and women; and

Whereas, pursuant to Chapter 35, Section 814(a) (12) of the New York City Charter, the City established the Citywide Equal Employment Opportunity Policy, a set of uniform standards and procedures designed to ensure the equality of opportunity for municipal government employees and job applicants, and, consistent with federal, state and local laws, identified other groups for protection from discrimination in employment; and

Whereas, pursuant to its audit of the Staten Island Borough President's Office (SIBPO), the Equal Employment Practices Commission (EEPC) issued a preliminary determination letter March 20, 2008 setting forth its findings and recommended corrective actions; and

Whereas, the SIBPO submitted its response to EEPC's preliminary determination letter on April 25, 2008; and

Whereas, in accordance with Chapter 36, Section 832(c) of the New York City Charter, the EEPC issued its final determination letter on June 3, 2008 identifying those recommendations accepted and rejected by SIBPO; and

Whereas, in response to EEPC's final determination letter, SIBPO submitted its response on September 8, 2008; and

Whereas, in accordance with Chapter 36, Section 832 (c) of the City Charter, the EEPC was required to monitor the SIBPO for a period not to exceed six months, from December 2008 through May 2009, to determine whether it implemented the aforementioned recommended corrective actions; and

Whereas, the Staten Island Borough President's Office submitted its Final Compliance Report on June 25, 2009; and

Whereas, the Staten Island Borough President's Office submitted additional information on July 6, 2009; and

Whereas, all of the aforementioned recommended corrective actions are required by, or are consistent with, the City's Equal Employment Opportunity Policy; and

Whereas, the members of this Commission have reviewed a Summary Compliance Report prepared by the EEPC staff, affirming that the aforementioned recommendations have been implemented to the Commission's satisfaction. Now Therefore,

## Be It Resolved,

that the Staten Island Borough President's Office has implemented the recommended corrective actions deemed necessary to ensure compliance with equal employment opportunity pursuant to the requirements of Chapters 35 and 36 of the City Charter.

## Be It Finally Resolved,

that the Commission authorizes the Chair, Cesar A. Perez, Esq., to forward a letter to the Honorable James P. Molinaro, formally informing him that the Staten Island Borough President's Office has implemented the recommended corrective actions to the Commission's satisfaction.

Approved unanimously on July 16, 2009.

Angela Cabrera Commissioner Malini Cadambi Daniel Commissioner

Elaine S. Reiss, Esq. Commissioner

Cesar A. Perez, Esq.

Chair