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CIVIL RIGHTS COUNCIL

Minutes from Council Meeting on April 28, 2023, 2:00 p.m.

Remote Meeting

Members of the public joined with the below information:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82576413935>

and/or by phone: (669) 900-6833 and Meeting ID: 825 7641 3935

Councilmembers Present

Gabriel Sandoval, Chairperson

Hellen Hong, Councilmember

Adetunji O. Olude, Councilmember

Julie Wilensky, Councilmember

Civil Rights Department Staff Present

Kevin Kish, CRD Director and Ex Officio Member

Adam Romero, CRD Deputy Director of Executive Programs

Rachael Langston, CRD Senior Legislative and Regulatory Counsel

Mariel Block, CRD Senior Legislative and Regulatory Counsel

Others Present

An estimated 20 members of the public participated virtually.

I. Call to Order and Roll Call

Chair Gabriel Sandoval

Chair Sandoval called the meeting to order. CRD Senior Counsel Mariel Block conducted roll call.

II. Welcome

Chair Gabriel Sandoval

Chair Sandoval welcomed members of the public and informed members of the public how to submit public comment.

III. Review of the Agenda

Chair Gabriel Sandoval

Chair Sandoval reviewed the agenda for the meeting.

IV. Councilmembers' Reports

Chair Gabriel Sandoval and Councilmembers

No reports from Councilmembers.

V. Consideration of Modified Text of Proposed Modifications to Fair Housing Regulations

Councilmember Hellen Hong

A. Discussion by the Council

None.

B. Public Comment

Dara Schur: Stated her support for the changes.

C. Action by the Council

Councilmember Olude moved to approve the proposed text and commence the first 15-day comment period and Councilmember Wilensky seconded. The Council unanimously approved the motion.

VI. **Consideration of Unmodified Text of Proposed Modifications to Employment Regulations Regarding Criminal History**

Councilmember Julie Wilensky and Chair Sandoval

A. Discussion by the Council

None.

B. Public Comment

Jean Phan Buchanan (Los Angeles Office of Education, Office of General Counsel): Regarding the addition of (a)(5) to 2 CCR 11017.1, asked to confirm that this revision does not affect employment of felons in the K-12 school context, per Education Code Section 45122.1.

C. Action by the Council

Councilmember Hong moved to approve the unmodified text, authorize CRD staff to submit the text to the Office of Administrative Law, and authorize CRD staff to make nonsubstantive changes if required by the Office of Administrative Law. Councilmember Olude seconded the motion. The Council unanimously approved the motion.

VII. **Further Public Comment**

None.

VIII. **Adjournment**

Chair Sandoval adjourned the meeting at approximately 2:12 PM.

Date: May 24, 2023

GABRIEL SANDOVAL
Chair

MARIEL BLOCK
CRD Senior FEH Counsel