STATE OF ILLINOIS )
) ss.
COUNTY OF COOK )

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ELECTORAL BOARD
FOR THE HEARING AND PASSING UPON OF OBJECTIONS TO NOMINATING PETITIONS FOR THE OFFICES OF: UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS; STATE SENATOR AND REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, STATE OF ILLINOIS; AND WARD COMMITTEEMAN FOR THE HAROLD WASHINGTON PARTY, IN THE CITY OF CHICAGO, STATE OF ILLINOIS, FOR THE MARCH 20,1990 PRIMARY ELECTION

IN RE: Objection of: Marvin A. Foster )
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To the )
Nominating Petition of: David Whitehead )
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) NO: 90-EB-REP-2
Candidate for the Office of Representative )
in the General Assembly, 31st Representative )
District, Democratic Party )

DECISION

The duly constituted Electoral Board, consisting of MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, ARNETTE R. HUBBARD and RAYMOND L. JAGIELSKI, organized by law in response to a Call issued by MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, Chairman of said Electoral Board, for the purpose of hearing and passing upon Objections to Nominating Petitions for the Offices of United States Representative in Congress, State Senator, Representative to the General Assembly and Ward Committeeman for the Harold Washington Party in the City of Chicago, having convened on January 2nd, 1990 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 1703 of the Richard J. Daley Center, Chicago, Illinois; and having heard and determined the objections to the petition in the above entitled matter find that:

1. The said Electoral Board has been legally constituted according to the laws of the State of Illinois;

2. Objections to the nominating petition of the candidate herein were duly filed;

3. A call to the hearing on said objections was duly issued and was served upon the members of the Electoral Board, the Objector and the Candidate by mail and by personal service as provided by statute;

4. A public hearing was held on these objections commencing on January 2nd, 1990;

5. The following persons, among others, were present at such hearings: the members of the Electoral Board, the Objector, by counsel, and the Candidate pro se;

6. The Board having heard and considered all evidence and arguments tendered by those appearing at the hearing;

7. The Board having ordered an examination of the precinct binders to be conducted by its clerks and agents under the Board's direction and supervision, in accordance with the laws of Illinois and the rules of the Board;

8. During examination of the precinct binders, the Board directed all parties to appear and be present, either personally and/or by their authorized representatives, duly appointed and authorized by said parties;

9. The Candidate and/or his duly authorized representatives having been present during the examination of the binders at all times;

10. The Objector and/or his duly authorized representatives having been present during the examination of the binders at all times;

11. Examination of the records of the Board was terminated at the request of the Board;

12. The Board finds that at the point of such termination, the Candidate had 24 signatures over the required minimum of 309.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the objections of Marvin A. Foster to the nominating petition of David Whitehead, candidate for nomination to the office of Representative in the General Assembly, 31st Representative District, Democratic Party, are hereby overruled and said petition is hereby declared valid and the name of David Whitehead, candidate for nomination to the office of Representative in the General Assembly, 31st Representative District, shall be printed on the Democratic ballot for the Primary Election to be held on March 20th, 1990.

Dated: Chicago, Illinois, this 12th day of January, 1990.

Michael J. Hamblet

MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, CHAIRMAN

Arnette R. Hubbard

ARNETTE R. HUBBARD, COMMISSIONER

Raymond L. Jagielski

RAYMOND L. JAGIELSKI, COMMISSIONER