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: MAYOR, CLERK AND TREASURER OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO; AND ALDERMAN IN THE CITY OF CHICAGO, FOR THE FEBRUARY 26, 1991 MUNICIPAL PRIMARY AND ALDERMANIC ELECTIONS.

IN RE: Objection of: James Jenkins)
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To the)
Nominating Petition of: Dr. Joseph M. Thompson)
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) NO: 91-EB-ALD-87
Candidate for the Office)
of Alderman of the 2nd Ward.)

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 Mayor, Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Chicago and Alderman in the City of Chicago, having convened on December 28th, 1990 at 10:00 a.m. in the City Council Chambers, City Hall, 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 December 28th, 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 by Counsel;

6. The Board finds that the use of "Dr." in the Candidate's nomination papers violates Section 7-10.2 of the Election Code, and therefore the Candidate's name should not be printed on the ballot. See Jones v. Municipal Officers Electoral Board, 446 N.E.2d 256 (1st Dist. 1983)

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the objections of James Jenkins to the nominating petition of Dr. Joseph M. Thompson, candidate for election to the office of Alderman of the 2nd Ward, are hereby sustained and said petition is hereby declared invalid and the name of Dr. Joseph M. Thompson, candidate for election to the office of Alderman of the 2nd Ward, shall not be printed on the ballot for the Aldermanic Election to be held on February 26th, 1991.

Dated: Chicago, Illinois, this 16th day of January, 1991.

Michael J. Hamblet
MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, CHAIRMAN

Arnette R. Hubbard
ARNETTE R. HUBBARD, COMMISSIONER

Raymond L. Jagielski
RAYMOND L. JAGIELSKI, COMMISSIONER