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ELECTORAL BOARD
FOR THE HEARING AND PASSING UPON OBJECTIONS TO THE NOMINATION PAPERS OF CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICES OF MAYOR, CITY CLERK, CITY TREASURER AND ALDERMAN FOR THE CITY OF CHICAGO FOR THE FEBRUARY 28, 1995 ALDERMANIC AND MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

Objection of: Bernice Mitchell)
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To the)
Nomination Papers of: Donald Wright) **No.: 95-EB-ALD-115**
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Candidate for the Office)
of Alderman of the 18th Ward.)

DECISION

The duly constituted Electoral Board, consisting of MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, ARNETTE R. HUBBARD, and RICHARD A. COWEN, 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 Nomination Papers of Candidates for the Offices of Mayor, City Clerk, City Treasurer and Alderman for the City of Chicago, having convened on January 3, 1995, at 1:00 p.m., in having heard and determined the Objections to the Nomination Papers 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 Nomination Papers of the Candidate herein were duly filed;

3. A Call to the hearing on said Objections was duly issued and 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 3, 1995;

5. The following persons, among others, were present at such

hearing: the members of the Electoral Board, the Objector did not appear, and the Candidate by counsel;

6. The Board finds that the Objector was personally served with a copy of the Electoral Board Call by the Cook County Sheriff's Office on December 29, 1994, at 1:30 p.m.

7. The Board further finds, however, that the Objector did not appear at the initial hearing in this matter nor at any subsequently scheduled hearing. Therefore, the Board overrules and dismisses the Objection for the failure of the Objector to appear.

8. The Board also finds that an additional Objection was filed in Case No. 95-EB-ALD-193 and that the Objector also failed to appear in this case.

9. The Board further finds that there were three other Objections filed against the Candidate's Nomination Papers in Cases 95-EB-ALD-037; 95-EB-ALD-062 and 95-EB-ALD-154 and that the Decision of the Board in those cases will determine whether or not the Candidate's Nomination Papers are valid.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, that the Objections of Bernice Mitchell to the Nomination Papers of Donald Wright, Candidate for election to the office of Alderman of the 18th Ward, are hereby overruled and dismissed and that the Board will be decide in Cases 95-EB-ALD-037, 95-EB-ALD-062 and 95-EB-ALD-154 whether the Candidate's Nomination Papers are valid and whether the Candidate's name shall be printed upon the ballot for the Aldermanic Election to be held on February 28, 1995.

Dated: Chicago, Illinois, this 27th day of January, 1995.

Michael J. Hamblet

MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, Chairman

Arnette R. Hubbard

ARNETTE R. HUBBARD, Commissioner

Richard A. Cowen

RICHARD A. COWEN, Commissioner