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COUNTY OF COOK )

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**ELECTORAL BOARD**
**FOR THE HEARING AND PASSING UPON OBJECTIONS**
**TO THE NOMINATION PAPERS OF CANDIDATES FOR**
**THE OFFICES OF ALDERMAN FOR THE 17TH AND 25TH WARDS**
**FOR THE CITY OF CHICAGO FOR THE FEBRUARY 25, 1997**
**INTERIM ALDERMANIC ELECTIONS.**

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| **Objection of: Zuletter Ivory** | ) | |
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| **To the** | ) | |
| **Nomination Papers of: Richard D. Taylor** | ) | **No.: 97-EB-ALD-010** |
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| **Candidate for the Office** | ) | |
| **of Alderman of the 17th 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 office of Alderman for the City of Chicago, having convened on December 27, 1996, at 11:00 a.m., and having heard and determined the Objections to the Nomination Papers in the above entitled matter finds 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 December 27, 1996;

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

6. The Board finds that on January 8, 1997, the Objector withdrew her Objections against the Candidate's Nomination Papers.

7. The Board further finds that there are no additional Objections filed against the Candidate's Nomination Papers.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the name of Richard D. Taylor, Candidate for election to the office of Alderman of the 17th Ward in the City of Chicago, SHALL be printed on the ballot for the Interim Aldermanic Election to be held on February 25, 1997.

Dated: Chicago, Illinois, this 14th day of January, 1997.

MICHAEL J. HAMBLET, Chairman

ARNETTE R. HUBBARD, Commissioner

RICHARD A. COWEN, Commissioner

**NOTICE: Pursuant to Section 10-10.1 of the Election Code (10 ILCS 5/10-10.1) parties seeking judicial review of this electoral board decision must file a petition seeking judicial review with the circuit court of Cook County within 10 days of the date of this decision.**