

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF NEW YORK

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TRANSCRIPT OF THE MINUTES

of the

COMMITTEE ON RULES, PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

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November 30, 2009
Start: 10:59 am
Recess: 11:05 am

HELD AT: Council Chambers
City Hall

B E F O R E:
DIANA REYNA
Chairperson

COUNCIL MEMBERS:
Leroy G. Comrie, Jr.
Inez E. Dickens
Erik Martin Dilan
Lewis A. Fidler
Robert Jackson
James S. Oddo
Christine C. Quinn
Joel Rivera
David I. Weprin

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2 CHAIRPERSON REYNA: Good morning,
3 this is the Committee on Rules, Privileges and
4 Elections. Welcome. My name is Diana Reyna and I
5 chair this Committee. Before we begin I'd like to
6 introduce other members of this Committee present
7 here today. I have Council Member Inez Dickens,
8 Council Member Leroy Comrie, Council Member Lewis
9 Fidler, Council Member Joel Rivera, Council Member
10 Eric Martin Dilan, Council Member Mathieu Eugene.

11 And today the Rules Committee will
12 be considering a Resolution approving membership
13 changes to certain Committees. The changes result
14 from the Ydanis Rodriguez being sworn into office
15 as Council Member for the 10th District of the City
16 of New York. Council Member Rodriguez's
17 committees are as follows: Committee on Civil
18 Service and Labor, Committee on Fire and Criminal
19 Justice Services, Committee on Higher Education,
20 Committee on Transportation, and last, Committee
21 on Youth Services.

22 [Pause]

23 CHAIRPERSON REYNA: We've been
24 joined by Council Member Peter Vallone. I want to
25 call for a vote. Whenever you are, Billy.

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WILLIAM MARTIN: William Martin,
Committee Clerk, roll call on the Committee on
Rules, Privileges and Elections. Council Member
Reyna.

CHAIRPERSON REYNA: I vote Aye.

WILLIAM MARTIN: Rivera.

COUNCIL MEMBER RIVERA: I vote Aye
on all.

WILLIAM MARTIN: Comrie.

COUNCIL MEMBER COMRIE: Aye on all.

WILLIAM MARTIN: Dilan.

COUNCIL MEMBER DILAN: Aye on all.

WILLIAM MARTIN: Fidler.

COUNCIL MEMBER FIDLER: Aye.

[Pause]

WILLIAM MARTIN: Dickens.

COUNCIL MEMBER DICKENS: Aye.

WILLIAM MARTIN: Oddo.

COUNCIL MEMBER ODDO: Yes.

[Pause]

CHAIRPERSON REYNA: Good morning,
Council Member Jackson.

[Pause]

WILLIAM MARTIN: Council Member

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Jackson.

COUNCIL MEMBER JACKSON: I vote

Aye.

WILLIAM MARTIN: Speaker Quinn.

SPEAKER QUINN: I vote Aye.

WILLIAM MARTIN: By a vote of nine
in the affirmative—

[Pause]

WILLIAM MARTIN: By a vote of nine
in the affirmative, zero in the negative, no
abstentions, item is adopted. Council Members,
please sign the Committee Report.

CHAIRPERSON REYNA: This vote will
remain open for an additional 30 minutes. And
we've been joined by Public School PS 1 in
Manhattan-Brooklyn, the good old borough of
Brooklyn. Welcome, everyone. What grade are you
in? Fifth grade? My goodness. Fifth or five?
Fifth. They're trying to make you younger. Are
you smarter than these Council Members? Enjoy
your day at City Hall.

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[START OF 1003]

WILLIAM MARTIN: Council Member

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COUNCIL MEMBER WEPRIN: I vote Aye.

WILLIAM MARTIN: The vote on Rules
now stands at ten in the affirmative; zero in the
negative and no abstentions.

COUNCIL MEMBER DICKENS: Committee
on Rules, November 30th, 2009, is hereby closed.

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, Erika Swyler certify that the foregoing transcript is a true and accurate record of the proceedings. I further certify that I am not related to any of the parties to this action by blood or marriage, and that I am in no way interested in the outcome of this matter.

Signature  _____

Date December 3, 2009