

February 28, 2018

**APPROVE APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER  
EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 26, 2018 AND RATIFY ALL LAWFUL ACTIONS TAKEN  
AS CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER SINCE FEBRUARY 26, 2018  
(ARNALDO RIVERA)**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THAT:**

1) The Board approve the appointment of Arnaldo Rivera to the position of Chief Operations Officer effective

February 26, 2018 as set forth in the description below: a modification to 105 II CS 5(24) 21.3 having been

approved by ISBE to permit hiring of a former Board member within 30 calendar days of termination of his Board membership; and,