WASHINGTON STATE HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES JULY 19, 2022 12:00PM CONFERENCE CALL

ATTENDANCE

Commissioners: Deborah Cook, Guadalupe Gamboa, and Jeff Sbaih.

Staff: Cheryl Strobert, Interim Executive Director; Colleen Melody, Assistant Attorney General; and Deborah Gonzales, Commission Clerk.

Interviewee: Andreta Armstrong

OPENING AND WELCOME

Chair Cook chaired the meeting and called the meeting to order at 12:06PM. The purpose of this meeting is to have an Executive Session to conduct an interview with Candidate Andreta Armstrong for the position of Executive Director. After the candidate has departed, the Commissioners will remain in Executive Session to discuss the status of the position.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Commission moved into Executive Session to evaluate the qualifications applicants for public employment for the Executive Director position pursuant to RCW 42.30.1101(g). It was anticipated that the session would last until 1:20PM, and the meeting would reconvene to describe the outcome of the Executive Session.

Executive Session started at 12:10PM and ended at 1:31PM.

Commissioners interviewed the candidate and plan to invite her back for a second interview with staff. Commissioner Sbaih entered a motion to invite Andreta Armstrong back for a second interview. Commissioner Gamboa seconded the motion, and the motion was carried.

2022 COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULE

July 28, 2022 at 9:30AM: Via Conference Call August 25, 2022 at 9:30AM: Via Conference Call September 22, 2022 at 9:30AM: Via Conference Call October 27, 2022 at 9:30AM: Via Conference Call

November 2022: TBD December 2022: TBD

ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:33PM.

Respectfully submitted by, Deborah Gonzales