

CHAIRWOMAN AUDREY M. EDMONSON MEMORANDUM

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Date:

September 29, 2020

To:

Honorable Rebeca Sosa, Vice Chairwoman and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From:

Honorable Audrey M. Edmonson, Chairwoman,

Board of County Commissioners

Re:

Appointment of Interim Inspector General

On August 31, 2020, the Board of County Commissioners ("Board") unanimously approved the Ad Hoc Inspector General Selection Committee's appointment of Mr. Felix Jimenez as the next Inspector General. This action is contingent upon the Board's approval of his contract, which is scheduled to go before the Board on October 6, 2020, and the execution of the contract by the Mayor.

As you are aware, after a seven-year tenure as Miami-Dade County's Inspector General, Mary T. Cagle is retiring effective September 29, 2020. Consequently, there will be a vacancy in the position of Inspector General beginning September 30, 2020 which will continue until Mr. Jimenez's contract is approved and executed. Section 2-1076 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorizes the Chairperson of the Board to select an Interim Inspector General in the case of a vacancy.

To ensure a seamless transition in the Office of the Inspector General, I hereby appoint Mr. Jimenez, who is currently serving as the Deputy Inspector General, as Interim Inspector General effective September 30, 2020. Mr. Jimenez's term as Interim Inspector General will end when his contract is approved by the Board and executed by the Mayor. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

c: Honorable Carlos A. Gimenez, Mayor
Honorable Harvey Ruvin, Clerk of the Board
Melissa Adames, Acting Director, Clerk of the Board
Abigail Price-Williams, County Attorney
Geri Bonzon-Keenan, First Assistant County Attorney
Eugene Love, Agenda Coordinator
Yinka Majekodunmi, Commission Auditor