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LORETTA E. LYNCH was sworn in as the 83rd Attorney General of the United States by Vice President Joe Biden on April 27, 2015. President Barack Obama announced his intention to nominate Ms. Lynch on November 8, 2014.

Ms. Lynch received her A.B., *cum laude*, from Harvard College in 1981, and her J.D. from Harvard Law School in 1984. In 1990, after a period in private practice, Ms. Lynch joined the United States Attorney's Office for the Eastern District of New York, located in Brooklyn, New York—the city she considers her adopted home. There, she forged an impressive career prosecuting cases involving narcotics, violent crimes, public corruption, and civil rights. In one notable instance, she served on the prosecution team in the high-profile civil rights case of Abner Louima, the Haitian immigrant who was sexually assaulted by uniformed police officers in a Brooklyn police precinct in 1997.

In 1999, President Clinton appointed her to lead the office as United States Attorney—a post she held until 2001. In 2002, she joined Hogan & Hartson LLP (now Hogan Lovells) as a partner in the firm's New York office. While in private practice, Ms. Lynch performed extensive *pro bono* work for the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, established to prosecute those responsible for human rights violations in the 1994 genocide in that country. As Special Counsel to the Tribunal, she was responsible for investigating allegations of witness tampering and false testimony.

In 2010, President Obama asked Ms. Lynch to resume her leadership of the United States Attorney's Office in Brooklyn. Under her direction, the office successfully prosecuted numerous corrupt public officials, terrorists, cybercriminals and human traffickers, among other important cases.

Ms. Lynch is the daughter of Lorenzo and Lorine Lynch of Durham, N.C., a retired minister and a librarian whose commitment to justice and public service has been the inspiration for her life's work.

Ms. Lynch enjoys spending her free time with her husband, Stephen Hargrove, and their two children.

JOAN M. AZRACK was appointed as a United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York on December 19, 2014. She previously served as a United States Magistrate Judge from 1990 until her appointment as a district judge. Between October 1, 2000 and March 31, 2004, she was Chief Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of New York. Since 2012, Judge Azrack has served as a supervising judge in the Special Options Services (“S.O.S.”) Program, an alternative sentencing program for young offenders.

Judge Azrack received a B.S. degree from Rutgers University in 1974 and a J.D. from New York Law School in 1979. Following graduation from law school, Judge Azrack was accepted into the U.S. Department of Justice Honors Program and served two years in the Criminal Division. In 1981, she was appointed an Assistant U.S. Attorney in the Eastern District of New York. During her tenure in the U.S. Attorney’s Office from 1981 through 1990, she served as Deputy Chief of the Narcotics Section, Chief of the Business & Securities Fraud Section, and Deputy Chief of the Criminal Division.

ELIZABETH CAUFFMAN is a Professor and Chancellor’s Fellow in the Department of Psychology and Social Behavior at the University of California, Irvine and holds courtesy appointments in the School of Education and the School of Law. Dr. Cauffman received her Ph.D. in Developmental Psychology from Temple University and completed a post-doctoral fellowship at the Center on Adolescence at Stanford University. She has published over 100 articles, chapters, and books on a range of topics in the study of contemporary adolescence, including adolescent brain development, risk-taking and decision-making, parent-adolescent relationships, and juvenile justice.

Most recently, findings from Dr. Cauffman’s research were incorporated into the American Psychological Association’s amicus briefs submitted to the U.S. Supreme Court in *Roper v. Simmons*, which abolished the juvenile death penalty, and in both *Graham v. Florida* and *Miller v. Alabama*, which placed limits on the use of life without parole as a sentence for juveniles. As part of her larger efforts to help research inform practice and policy, she served as a member of the MacArthur Foundation’s Research Network on Adolescent Development and Juvenile Justice and currently directs the Center for Psychology & Law at UCI (<http://psychlaw.soceco.uci.edu/>).

STUART F. DELERY was appointed the Acting Associate Attorney General of the United States on September 17, 2014.

As the Acting Associate Attorney General, Mr. Delery’s primary responsibility is to advise and assist the Attorney General and the Deputy Attorney General in formulating and implementing Departmental policies and programs related to a broad range of issues, including civil litigation, federal and local law enforcement, and public safety. Mr. Delery, the third-ranking official at the agency, oversees the Department’s civil litigating components, grant-making components, the

Office of Tribal Justice, the Executive Office for U.S. Trustees, the Office of Information Policy, the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, the Access to Justice Initiative, and the Servicemembers and Veterans Initiative. Mr. Delery also serves as the Vice Chair of the Steering Committee of the President's Financial Fraud Enforcement Task Force and the federal government's Chief FOIA Officer.

From March 2012 to September 2014, Mr. Delery led the Civil Division, which is the largest litigating division in the Department of Justice. He was confirmed by the United States Senate as the Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Division on August 1, 2013. As the head of the Civil Division, Mr. Delery focused on cases involving national security, health and safety, and financial fraud. He co-chaired several working groups of the Financial Fraud Enforcement Task Force. In addition, at the Attorney General's direction, Mr. Delery led the team of Department lawyers coordinating the government-wide implementation of the Supreme Court's decision in *United States v. Windsor*, which struck down Section 3 of the Defense of Marriage Act (DOMA).

Mr. Delery joined the United States Department of Justice in January 2009 as Chief of Staff and Counselor to the Deputy Attorney General, and later served as Associate Deputy Attorney General. From August 2010 until March 2012, Mr. Delery served as Senior Counselor to the Attorney General. Before joining the Department of Justice, Mr. Delery was a partner in the Washington D.C. office of the law firm WilmerHale, where he was a member of the Litigation Department and the Appellate and Supreme Court Litigation Practice Group, and a Vice Chair of the firm's Securities Department. His practice focused on matters involving securities and other financial frauds, internal corporate investigations, and complex litigation in trial courts and on appeal presenting novel questions of constitutional and federal law.

Mr. Delery graduated from Yale Law School and the University of Virginia. He clerked for Justices Sandra Day O'Connor and Byron R. White of the U.S. Supreme Court, and for Chief Judge Gerald B. Tjoflat of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit.

BRODERICK JOHNSON is Assistant to the President and Cabinet Secretary. He is also Chair of the My Brother's Keeper Task Force.

Johnson has held positions in both the public and private sectors. During the Clinton administration, he served as Deputy Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs. He also worked in the Congress, including as Chief Democratic Counsel for two House Committees.

Johnson was a vice president at AT&T and Bell South corporations. He also was a partner with a large international law firm and co-founded a strategic consulting business.

Johnson received his B.A. from the College of the Holy Cross and his J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School. A native of Baltimore, Maryland, Johnson currently lives in Washington, D.C., with his wife and three children.

JOHN B. KING, Jr. is the Senior Advisor Delegated Duties of Deputy Secretary of Education at the U.S. Department of Education, a position he assumed in January 2015. In this role, he oversees a broad range of management, policy, and program functions.

Prior to his arrival at the Department, King served as the commissioner of education for the state of New York, having been appointed to that position by the New York State Board of Regents in May 2011. In this role, he served as chief executive officer of the State Education Department and as president of the University of the State of New York (USNY). During his tenure, USNY comprised the following: more than 7,000 public and independent elementary and secondary schools serving 3.1 million students; 270 public, independent and proprietary colleges and universities; 7,000 libraries; 900 museums; 25 public broadcasting facilities; 3,000 historical repositories; 436 proprietary schools; 48 professions encompassing more than 761,000 licensees and 240,000 certified educators; and services for children and adults with disabilities. King was one of the nation's youngest state education leaders at the time of his appointment and the first African-American and Puerto Rican to serve as New York State education commissioner.

As commissioner of education, King worked with the Board of Regents to pursue an ambitious education reform agenda. During his tenure, New York state was a national leader in many facets of education: implementing college- and career-ready standards; redesigning teacher and school leader evaluations to incorporate student learning growth; supporting teachers and school leaders through strong professional development, access to rich instructional resources, and innovative educator career ladder models; investing in high-quality early learning; expanding career and technical education in high-demand fields; and increasing educational opportunity for students in the highest-need communities. Under King's leadership, New York deepened collaboration between the state's P-12 schools and its institutions of higher education, including strengthening teacher and principal preparation, raising the bar for teacher and principal certification, and creating partnerships to expand the state's P-20 data system.

Before becoming commissioner, King served as senior deputy commissioner for P-12 education at the New York State Education Department. In that role, King coordinated the development of the state's successful Race to the Top application, which earned the second-highest point total of the winning states in Round 2 and secured \$696.6 million to support the P-12 education reform agenda of the Board of Regents.

King brings to his role extensive experience leading urban public schools that are closing the achievement gap and preparing students to enter, succeed in, and graduate from college. Prior to his appointment as senior deputy commissioner, King served as a managing director with Uncommon Schools, a non-profit charter management organization that operates some of the highest-performing urban public schools in New York, New Jersey, and Massachusetts. Prior to joining Uncommon Schools, King was a co-founder and co-director for curriculum and instruction of Roxbury Preparatory Charter School. Under his leadership, Roxbury Prep's students attained the highest state exam scores of any urban middle school in Massachusetts, closed the racial achievement gap, and outperformed students from not only the Boston district schools but also the city's affluent suburbs. Prior to founding Roxbury Prep, King taught high school social studies in San Juan, Puerto Rico and Boston, Massachusetts.

King earned a Bachelor of Arts in Government from Harvard University, a Master of Arts in the teaching of social studies from Teachers College, Columbia University, a J.D. from Yale Law School, and a Doctor of Education in educational administrative practice from Teachers College. King was a 1995 Truman Scholar and received the James Madison Memorial Fellowship for secondary-level teaching of American history, American government, and social studies. In February 2011, King was appointed by U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan to serve on the U.S. Department of Education's Equity and Excellence Commission. In addition, King served on the board of New Leaders for New Schools from 2005 to 2009, and is a 2008 Aspen Institute-New Schools Entrepreneurial Leaders for Public Education Fellow.

GLENN E. MARTIN is the Founder and President of JustLeadershipUSA (JLUSA). Glenn is a national leader and criminal justice reform advocate who spent six years in New York State prisons. Prior to founding JLUSA, Glenn served for seven years as Vice President of Development and Public Affairs at The Fortune Society and six years as Co-Director of the National HIRE Network at the Legal Action Center.

Glenn is Co-Founder of the Education from the Inside Out Coalition, a 2014 Echoing Green Black Male Achievement Fellow, a 2012 America's Leaders of Change National Urban Fellow, and a member of the governing boards of the College and Community Fellowship, the Reset Foundation, and California Partnership for Safe Communities.

Glenn also serves on the advisory board of the Vera Institute's Public Health and Mass Incarceration Initiative, the National Network for Safe Communities and the Executive Session on Community Corrections at Harvard Kennedy School. Glenn regularly contributes his expertise to national news outlets such as MSNBC, Fox News, CNN, Al Jazeera and CSPAN on topics such as policing, decarceration, alternatives to incarceration, and reentry issues.

KAROL V. MASON was nominated to be Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Justice Programs by President Barack Obama on February 13, 2013. Her appointment was confirmed by the U.S. Senate on April 25, 2013. As head of the Office of Justice Programs, she oversees an annual budget of more than \$2 billion dedicated to supporting state, local, and tribal criminal justice agencies; an array of juvenile justice programs; a wide range of research, evaluation, and statistical efforts; and comprehensive services for crime victims.

Ms. Mason previously served the Department of Justice as Deputy Associate Attorney General. At DOJ her primary responsibilities were to oversee the grant making components: the Office of Justice Programs, the Office on Violence Against Women, and the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services. In a cross-department initiative to address criminal justice issues in New Orleans, she led a team of representatives from each of the Department's grant components, as well as the Civil Rights Division, the Office of U.S. Attorneys, the FBI, the DEA and the Community Relations Service. She led former Attorney General Holder's Defending Childhood Initiative, and helped create its Task Force on Children Exposed to Violence, bringing in the Departments of Education and Health and Human Services as partners. Ms. Mason was responsible for the implementation of the Combined Tribal Assistance Solicitation (CTAS), which consolidates all of the Justice Department's tribal grants under a single solicitation.

Prior to her federal government service, Ms. Mason practiced law at the Atlanta law firm of Alston & Bird, where she concentrated on public and project finance, once chaired its management committee.

Ms. Mason received her J.D. from the University of Michigan Law School, where she was note editor for the University of Michigan Journal of Law Reform. She received her A.B. from The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She served as a member of the university's board of trustees from 2001 to 2009, and received the university's Distinguished Alumna Award in 2013. Among her many other honors is a Distinguished Service Award for outstanding service to the Department of Justice, awarded by former Attorney General Eric Holder in 2011.

KATHERINE WEINSTEIN MILLER is the Chief of Alternative Programs and Initiatives in the Office of San Francisco District Attorney George Gascón, where she oversees the office's Collaborative Courts, Neighborhood Courts, Mental Health and Juvenile Units, as well as initiatives focused on parallel justice, restorative justice, and young adult offenders. She has been at the office for eight years, previously serving as Assistant District Attorney for reentry and truancy, Managing Attorney and Director of Policy.

Prior to joining the DA's Office in 2007, Katy was the Director of Strategic Planning at Goodwill Industries of San Francisco, San Mateo and Marin Counties where she focused on workforce development and offender reentry programs. Katy spent five years at the San Francisco Mayor's Office, where she oversaw juvenile justice policy and program development. Prior to joining the

Mayor's Office, Katy worked for the Delancey Street Foundation in partnership with City leaders to reform San Francisco's juvenile justice system. Before entering the field of policy and programs, Katy spent two years in the San Diego Public Defender's Office, and one year at the law firm of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher. Katy holds a J.D. from Yale Law School and a B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania.

VINCENT N. SCHIRALDI brings more than 30 years of experience reforming juvenile and criminal justice systems to his position of Senior Advisor to the New York City Mayor's Office of Criminal Justice, where he focuses on issues affecting young adults in the criminal justice system and school climate and safety. As a leading voice in the conversations about young adult and juvenile justice, Mr. Schiraldi has provided research findings and commentaries that have been featured on the Today Show; The New York Times; The Washington Post; evening newscasts for ABC, CBS and NBC; National Public Radio; CNN and the BBC, to name a few. He has also published numerous papers and articles, and has spoken before a variety of academic and governmental audiences.

Previously, Mr. Schiraldi served as Commissioner of the New York City Department of Probation, where he played a key role in the passage of the "Close to Home" initiative which will return nearly all of New York City's youth to City care; making the Department's work more community- and evidence-based through the Department's Neighborhood Opportunity Network (NeON) initiative; and overall, substantial reductions in failures-to-report and violations of probation. Mr. Schiraldi also served as Director of the District of Columbia Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services under Mayors Williams and Fenty, and as the Founder and Executive Director of the Justice Policy Institute. Mr. Schiraldi currently serves as a member of the Executive Session on Community Corrections at Harvard Kennedy School, and of the Committee on Implementing a Juvenile Justice Reform Plan Using a Developmental Approach, an ad hoc committee convened by the National Academy of Sciences Committee on Law and Justice. Mr. Schiraldi received his Masters in Social Work from New York University and holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Social Psychology from Binghamton University.

HOWARD SPIVAK, MD is currently the Deputy Director and Chief of Staff at the National Institute of Justice at the US Department of Justice. Before joining NIJ, he was Director of the Division of Violence Prevention at the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control.

Dr. Spivak began his career as Director of Adolescent Services for the City of Boston, during which he cofounded the first community-based public health youth violence prevention program in the nation. He moved on to become the Deputy Commissioner of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, where he was in charge of all prevention and community oriented

programs in the department, and among other activities developed the first office for violence prevention at the state level and advanced the funding of the first school-based health centers in MA.

Dr. Spivak has held a number of senior academic appointments including Professor of Pediatrics and Community Health at Tufts University, directed pediatric and adolescent primary care programs at several academic medical centers, published numerous academic and general public articles on youth violence, spoken around the country and internationally on violence related issues, and worked with many community programs both in Boston and nationally addressing youth violence prevention as well as other violence-related concerns. He has co-authored 2 books on youth violence: *Murder Is No Accident* and *Sugar and Spice and No Longer Nice*.

BRUCE WESTERN is Professor of Sociology and the Daniel and Florence Guggenheim Professor of Criminal Justice Policy. He is the Director of the Malcolm Wiener Center for Social Policy and the Faculty Chair of the Program in Criminal Justice Policy and Management at the John F. Kennedy School of Government. Western's research broadly studies the relationship between political institutions and social and economic inequality. He has longstanding interests in criminal justice policy, incarceration, and the effects of incarceration on poor communities. His research on economic inequality has analyzed labor unions and their effects on income inequality, and trends in income inequality and mobility in the United States. In his work on quantitative methods, Western has also developed applications of Bayesian statistics to sociology.

In recent projects, Western served as the Vice Chair of the National Academy of Sciences Committee on the Causes and Consequences of High Incarceration Rates in the United States, and he is the principal investigator on the Harvard Executive Session on Community Corrections, sponsored by the National Institute of Justice. He is also the principal investigator of the Boston Reentry Study, a longitudinal study of formerly-incarcerated men and women returning to the Boston area.

Western received his B.A. with first class honors in government from the University of Queensland, Australia in 1986, and his M.A. and Ph.D. in sociology from the University of California, Los Angeles in 1993. Before moving to Harvard, he taught at Princeton University from 1993 to 2007. Western has been a Jean Monnet Fellow at the European University Institute, a Guggenheim Fellow, a fellow of the Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study, and has been elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and the National Academy of Sciences. His book *Punishment and Inequality in America* won the 2007 Albert J. Reiss Award from the Crime Law and Deviance Section of the American Sociological Association and the 2008 Michael J. Hindelang Award for the most outstanding contribution to research on criminology from the American Society of Criminology.