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SHIRLEY FRANKLIN
MAYOR

02-C -1402

August 2, 2002

President Cathy Woolard and
Members of Atlanta City Council
City Hall, Suite 2900 South
68 Mitchell Street SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30335

RE: Appointment to Municipal Market Board of Directors

Dear President Woolard and Members of the Council:

It is a pleasure for me to appoint **Sam Matchett** to serve as a member of the **Municipal Market Board of Directors (Lawyer Slot)** of the City of Atlanta. This appointment is for a **term of two (2) years**, scheduled to begin on the date of Council confirmation.

I am confident that Mr. Matchett will serve the Municipal Market Board of Directors with distinction. A bio is attached for your perusal.

Sincerely,



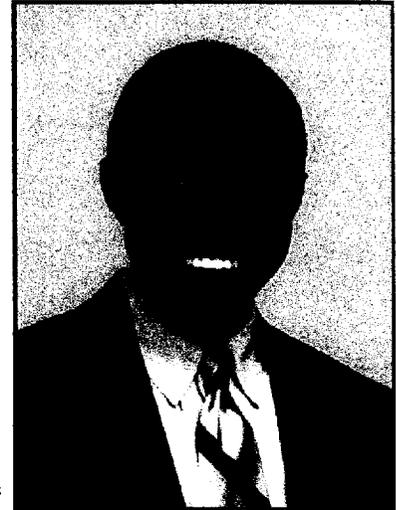
Shirley Franklin

Enclosures

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COUNCIL

Curb
Market

404-572-2414
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Samuel M. Matchett

Sam Matchett is a partner on King & Spalding's Atlanta Labor & Employment Practice Group. He concentrates his practice on employment relationship matters, with an emphasis in labor and employment law litigation in both state and federal courts, governmental agencies, and arbitration tribunals. Mr. Matchett's practice entails extensive experience in employment discrimination. In addition to his litigation practice, Mr. Matchett provides general client advice on the avoidance of employee-related problems and presents seminars concerning all aspects of employment law.

Two recent significant matters in which he has been involved include:

- Defending a major insurance company in defeating a motion for class certification in a race discrimination case brought by former insurance agents;
- Winning summary judgements for a large carpet manufacturer, which were both affirmed by the Eleventh Circuit, in cases involving claims of disability discrimination based on (a) alleged perceived disability; and (b) office environment hypersensitivity.

Additionally, Mr. Matchett routinely defends employers in litigation involving the Civil Rights Acts of 1866 and 1964 (Title VII), the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act and employment-related state law claims.

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Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

MULTIPLE

02-O-1402; 02-C-1865; 02-C-1866
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CONFIRM

YEAS: 14
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	B Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

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A COMMUNICATION

BY MAYOR SHIRLEY FRANKLIN

A COMMUNICATION BY THE MAYOR APPOINTING SAM MATCHETT TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE MUNICIPAL MARKET BOARD OF DIRECTORS (LAWYER SLOT) OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION.

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COUNCIL

- CONSENT REFER
- REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER

Date Referred

8/19/02

Referred To:

CD/HQ & CCCC

Date Referred

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First Reading

Committee _____
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 Chair _____
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Committee

Date

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Members

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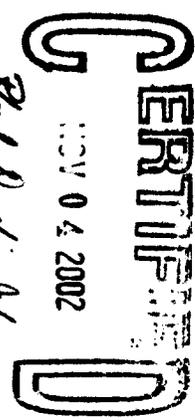
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- FINAL COUNCIL ACTION
- 2nd
 - 1st & 2nd
 - 3rd
 - Consent
 - V Vote
 - RC Vote

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MAYOR'S ACTION

Mr. Matchett recently co-authored [*Juries*], [in] *Employment Litigation Handbook* 184 (Jon W. Greed and John W. Robinson IV eds., 1998).

Mr. Matchett graduated from Morehouse College with a B.A. in 1981, *magna cum laude*. He received his J.D. from the University of Georgia in 1984. Mr. Matchett is a faculty member for the Institute of Applied Management and Law (IAML).