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August 16, 2004

President Pro-Tempore Ceasar Mitchell and
Members of Atlanta City Council
City Hall, Suite 2900 South
68 Mitchell St., S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

RE: Zoning Review Board Appointment

Dear President Pro-Tempore Mitchell and Members of the Council:

It is a pleasure for me to appoint Ozell C. Freeman, Jr. to serve as a member of the Zoning Review Board in the Legal Category for the City of Atlanta. This appointment is for a **term of two (2) years**.

I am confident that Ozell C. Freeman will serve the Zoning Review Board with integrity and dedication.

Sincerely,

Shirley Franklin

CONFIRMED BY

SEP 20 2004

COUNCIL

OZELL C. FREEMAN, JR.

Atlanta, Georgia

email: ocfj@comcast.net

CAREER OBJECTIVE

Pursuing employment as a corporate attorney whereby I can build upon my business law experience in an autonomous and flexible work environment.

QUALIFICATION SUMMARY

- Ability to work in a fast paced environment.
- Aptitude for creative problem solving; ability to examine issues objectively
- Substantial business relationships
- Enjoyment of complex theoretical and intellectual challenges
- Strong motivation to be competent and excel
- Comfort with technology

EMPLOYMENT SUMMARY

SIEMENS DEMATIC ELECTRONICS ASSEMBLY SYSTEMS, INC., Norcross, GA, (present)

Addressed a variety of legal issues for a rapidly growing, highly profitable (\$200MM), business in the surface mount technology and semiconductor packaging industry. Drafted, reviewed, and negotiated domestic and international legal documents including nondisclosure agreements, contracts, proposals, real estate leases, joint venture agreements, teaming agreements, strategic partnership agreements and memorandums of understanding. Prepared and provided legal advice regarding company intellectual property matters including invention disclosure, software distribution and resell agreements, patent infringement litigation, company trademark issues, and patent advice regarding surface mount and semiconductor technology. Worked with dedicated affiliate counsel as well as outside counsel regarding various company legal matters.

O.C. FREEMAN, JR., ATTORNEY AT LAW, Atlanta, Georgia, (1995-1998)

Maintained a practice in general civil litigation as a single attorney firm. Prepared legal memorandums and briefs, attended hearings, reviewed contracts, conducted witness interviews and case investigations, as well as conducted and defended depositions concerning civil litigation matters. Gained experience in all stages of litigation including Alternative Dispute Resolution.

LAW OFFICES OF E. NOREEN BANKS-WARE, Atlanta, Georgia, (1993-1995)

Handled matters related to small practice specializing in civil litigation. Conducted client interviews, prepared files regarding business law, personal injury, bankruptcy, family law and trusts and estates. Attended hearings and prepared legal memorandums.

KING AND SPALDING, Atlanta, Georgia, (1991-1992)

Participated in the discovery phase of litigation in a major multi-million dollar litigation. Conducted research and document review as a contract attorney assisting in the performance of due diligence.

EDUCATION SUMMARY

**The College of William & Mary School of Law, Williamsburg, Virginia,
Juris Doctor, 1991**

**The University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, Dual Degree Program
Bachelor of Science, Genetics, 1987, Bachelor of Arts, Spanish, 1987**

**La Universidad de Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain,
Certificado Notable: Studies Abroad Program, 1985**

BAR ADMISSION

Admitted to practice in Georgia, (Superior and State Courts, Northern District and Middle District of Georgia).

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APPOINTING MR. OZELL C. FREEMAN
ZONING REVIEW BRD 2YRS

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YEAS: 15
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Sheperd	NV Borders

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A COMMUNICATION
BY MAYOR SHIRLEY FRANKLIN

A COMMUNICATION APPOINTING
OZELL C. FREEMAN AS A MEMBER
OF THE ZONING REVIEW BOARD
IN THE LEGAL CATEGORY FOR
A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS.
EFFECTIVE UPON
COUNCIL CONFIRMATION.

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

Date Referred 8/16/04

Referred To: Zoning

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First Reading

Committee _____
Date _____
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Other

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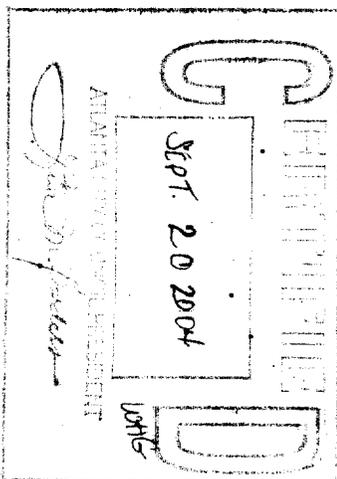
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Members

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

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MAYOR'S ACTION