UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In Appointment of :

MERIT SELECTION PANEL : WHITE PLAINS :

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AMENDED ORDER M10-456

States District Court for the

On November 30, 2022, the Board of Judges of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York approved the appointment of a Merit Selection Panel to consider the appointment of a full-time United States Magistrate Judge at White Plains, NY consisting of the following members.

WHITE PLAINS MERIT SELECTION PANEL

Mary Smith, Esq. Chair
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Panel members have been advised by email of the one-year restriction on being considered for a magistrate judge position found in the Guide to Judiciary Policy Volume 3 Chapter 4, §420.30.20(d).

This panel is to review all applicants and recommend within 90 days, in confidence, to the Magistrate Judges Committee of the Court the five persons it considers best qualified for the position.

> Laura Taylor Swain Chief Judge

Dated: December 7, 2022 New York, New York