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October 23, 2019

To: City Council

From: Mayor John Tory

Subject: Appointment of a Toronto Integrity Commissioner

I am pleased to transmit the report from the Selection Panel recommending appointment of an Integrity Commissioner as identified in the confidential attachment.

Toronto's Integrity Commissioner, Valerie Jepson, was appointed by City Council at its meeting on June 10, 2014 for a non-renewable five-year term. The Integrity Commissioner's term ends on November 29, 2019 or until the recruitment process for a new Integrity Commissioner is completed, whichever comes first.

I appointed a selection panel that included Deputy Mayor Minnan-Wong (Chair), Councillor Fletcher, Councillor Holyday and Councillor Lai.

The Integrity Commissioner Selection Panel undertook a comprehensive recruitment process to recommend a preferred candidate to City Council. The Selection Panel was assisted by an independent external search firm.

I want to thank the Selection Panel for their participation in the recruitment process and for their efforts to ensure a successful outcome for this very important position.

Sincerely,

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John Tory Mayor of Toronto