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Office of the Mayor Honorable Libby Schaaf Mayor (510) 238-3141 Fax (510) 238-4731

Letter of Appointment

April 9, 2019

The Honorable City Council
One Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, Second Floor
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear President Kaplan and members of the City Council:

Pursuant to City Charter Section 601, the Mayor has appointed the following persons as members of the following board or commission, subject to City Council confirmation:

Privacy Advisory Commission

Henry Gage, **III**, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2018 and ending March 15, 2021 filling a previously held by Saied Karamooz.

Brian Hofer, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2019 and ending March 15, 2022 filling the seat previously held by himself.

Lou Katz, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2019 and ending March 15, 2022 filling the seat previously held by himself.

Gina Tomlinson, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2018 and ending March 15, 2021 filling a previously held by Clinton Johnson.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Libby Schaaf

Mayor

Please click the acknowledgement below.

Service on City of Oakland boards, commissions, and committees may require filings of the FPPC's Statements of Economic Interest (Form 700). Upon appointment and determination of filing status, I will comply with all filing obligations.

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EDUCATION:

Santa Clara University School of Law, Santa Clara, CA (Graduated - May 2015, CA Bar #306106)

Juris Doctor, with certified studies in High Tech Law, and Corporate Law

Witkin Award for Academic Excellence in Securities Regulation

President (2014-2015) Secretary (2013-2014) and Class Representative (2012-2013), Student Bar Association

Associate, Santa Clara Law Review: Vol. 54

Alumni Relations Chair (2014-2015), Black Law Students Association

Edwin A. Heafey Scholarship Recipient

Law Faculty Scholarship Recipient

Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, CA (Graduated – June 2011)

Bachelor of Arts, English, with an emphasis in Creative Writing

Related Coursework: Conflict Resolution, Technology & Communications, Argumentation, Public Speaking, and Business Ethics

Continuing Education:

Continuing legal education has included coursework in a wide variety of subjects, including:

- Employment Investigations & Interviewing
- Gender Identity, Sexual Orientation & The Creation of Inclusive Workplaces
- Advanced Litigation Skills
- Ethics for Criminal Law Attorneys
- Admission of Evidence & Evidentiary Foundations
- Prosecutorial Misconduct
- Social Media & Legal Ethics

EXPERIENCE:

Richard, Thorson, Graves & Royer LLP, Oakland, CA (November 2015 - Present)

Associate Attorney & Of Counsel

Manager, Summer Associate Program

Represents public agency clients in litigation set before Workers' Compensation Appeals Boards throughout California, with specific experience in the investigation and defense of claims filed by public safety officers. Duties involve overlapping work in the areas of Civil Subrogation, Disability & Employment Law, and Business & Government Tort Claims. Case file litigation experience includes a variety of litigation-related investigatory duties, such as taking and defending depositions, supervision of investigative staff, review and analysis of investigative reporting, and aggregate file reviews with client supervisors that are conducted to audit and analyze the effectiveness of internal controls and multi-matter litigation strategies. These reviews are often supplemented with statistical analysis regarding the effectiveness of comparative litigation strategies to help ensure that litigation reserves are used efficiently and effectively. Litigation experience includes extensive appearances before administrative law judges for oral arguments, motion practice, and trial. Supervisory and management experience has included involvement with Firm hiring and recruitment for associate attorneys, responsibility for the oversight of non-attorney staff, and the planning, creation, and supervision of the Firm's Summer Associate Program.

Coalition for Police Accountability, Oakland, CA (January 2016 – Present)

Member, Steering Committee

Chair, Policy Committee

The Coalition for Police Accountability is a community-driven, volunteer-based, advocacy group formed to address the persistent policy and political challenges of the Oakland Police Department. The Coalition advocates for progressive public safety policies and works in support of the Oakland City Council, the Council Public Safety Committee, the Community Police Advisory Board (CPAB), the Police Commission, and other related agencies. Members of the Coalition's Steering Committee provide executive direction for the work of the Coalition, and have been intimately involved in the creation of the Police Commission, the CPAB, and legacy oversight authorities. Steering Committee members regularly appear before policymakers to provide subject matter expertise and independent legal analysis of pressing public safety issues. In my role as Chair of the Coalition Policy Committee I am presently engaged in an ongoing review of all reports issued regarding the Negotiated Settlement Agreement. I possess a detailed understanding of related provisions of the Oakland City Charter, related City Ordinances, OPD Strategic Plans, OPD Department General Orders, OPD Training Bulletins, and OPD Organizational Structures.

Santa Clara University Board of Trustees, Santa Clara, CA (June 2016 - Present)

Young Alumnus Trustee

Member, Student Life & Athletics Committee

In accordance with the University Charter, granted by the State of California in 1855, the Board of Trustees holds full legal power and responsibility for the operation of the University, including the supervision of the ~2,000 members of the University's faculty and staff. The Student Life & Athletics Committee (SLAC) holds primary responsibility for the oversight of the Office of Student Life, which includes administrative units such as Campus Safety & Emergency Medical Services, Health & Counseling Services,

and the Office for Multicultural Learning, among others. The investigation and adjudication of discipline, including oversight of the University's Title IX Coordinator, falls under SLAC jurisdiction.

United States Attorney's Office, Civil Division, San Jose, CA (September 2014 - November 2014)

Law Clerk (Limited-Term Appointment)

Provided litigation support for three Assistant United States Attorneys by drafting briefs, motions, and memoranda for cases argued in the Northern District of California, and the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. Worked closely with supervising attorneys to assist in preparation for hearings and conferences.

Juniper Networks Inc., Sunnyvale, CA (May 2014-August 2014)

Legal Intern (Limited-Term Appointment)

Worked alongside attorneys reporting to the IP, Corporate, Compliance, Finance, and Operations business units on assignments that touched nearly every aspect of the business. Assignments included review and audit of vendor and supplier contracts, trade compliance agreements, and conflict minerals reporting, as well as various litigation and transactional projects.

Cypress Semiconductor Corporation, San Jose, CA (Jan 2014 – May 2014)

Legal Intern (Limited-Term Appointment)

Provided litigation support to the Patent Litigation Group by conducting antitrust law research in preparation for pending action, drafting motions and memoranda for the in-house litigation team, and conducting statistical analysis of the active docket as part of a targeted IP litigation strategy.

Altera Corporation, San Jose, CA (May 2013 – August 2013)

Legal Intern (Limited-Term Appointment)

Worked alongside attorneys from the Corporate and Patent litigation groups on a wide range of assignments, including contract review and audit, contract negotiation, internal strategic planning, and patent litigation management. Projects included assisting business units with conflict minerals reporting compliance and audits, training foreign distributors about FCPA liability, and research on international patent exhaustion issues affecting foreign product lines.

Fragomen, Del Rey, Bernsen & Loewy, Santa Clara, CA (February 2012 – August 2012)

Project Assistant

Tasked with ensuring that clients followed Department of Labor guidelines concerning employment eligibility, and worked with supervisors to create protocols for the hiring and vetting of foreign nationals. Responsible for organizing and managing a large-scale document review project designed to digitize, categorize, and proofread client documents.

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE & CREDENTIALS:

National Association for the Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement

Associate Member

NACOLE is a non-profit organization that works to enhance accountability and transparency in policing, and build community trust through civilian oversight of police agencies. NACOLE members are afforded access to a variety of training materials, such as guidebooks for the implementation of new or revitalized police oversight, core competency analyses, recommended trainings, and webinars that address topics such as Predictive Policing, Crisis Intervention Programs, and Community Engagement Through Data, among others.

Oakland Police Department Community Police Academy

Graduate

The Community Police Academy is an intensive 14-week program that provides community members with a detailed overview of OPD functions, organizations, and capacity. The program provides attendees with the opportunity to learn from and engage with members of the department at all levels, from Patrol, to Specialized Units, to Academy staff and Command Officers. Attendees additionally participate in a ride-along, and graduates associated with the Community Police Academy Alumni Association meet regularly to assist with subsequent classes, and volunteer on behalf of the department.

California State Bar - Specialization Examination (Completed Prerequisite)

The State Bar certifies attorneys as specialists who have gone beyond the standard requirements for licensing as an attorney. A key prerequisite before an application for certification can be submitted requires candidates to sit for and pass a written examination in the legal specialty area. I sat for and passed the Legal Specialization Examination for Workers' Compensation Specialists in October 2017.

provided below.

Hofer Resume-

Bio for Commission.docx

Upload a Resume

Please paste the text of your resume or curriculum vitae below.

Please click the acknowledgement below.

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BRIAN M HOFER

Phone: E-Mail:

Committee Experience

Chair, Oakland Privacy Advisory Commission (2016-current)

Chair, Domain Awareness Center Ad Hoc Privacy Committee (2015)

Policy/Legislative Experience

Co-author of surveillance ordinances (Oakland, Berkeley, Davis, and BART)

Author of sanctuary contracting ordinance (Richmond)

2017-2018 June 2018

"Domain Awareness Center Privacy and Data Retention Policy" – Oakland

June 2, 2015

"FLIR Privacy and Data Retention Policy" - Oakland

October 6, 2015

March 29, 2019

"District Attorney's Policy for Cell-Site Simulator Technology" – Alameda County

November 17, 2015

Notable Panel Presentations

"Facial Recognition and Privacy Workshop"

Cleveland State University - Marshall College of Law

Cleveland, OH

"The Benefits and Costs of Policing"

NYU School of Law – Policing Project

New York, NY

September 21, 2018

"The Color of Surveillance: Government Monitoring of Religious Minorities"

Georgetown University Law – Center on Privacy & Technology

Washington, D.C.

"Race & Artificial Intelligence"

April 9, 2018

July 19, 2018

UC Berkeley Goldman School of Public Policy – Race & Policy Symposium

Berkeley, CA

"Privacy Localism: A New Research Agenda"

NYU Information Law Institute

New York, NY

November 3, 2017

"How California is fighting back against Cyber-surveillance"

RightsCon Silicon Valley

San Francisco, CA

March 31, 2016

"Street-level surveillance and how it threatens our communities"

Library Freedom Project/Noisebridge

San Francisco, CA

June 30, 2015

"Body Cameras & Police Accountability"

Berkeley Journal of Criminal Law/Berkeley Law School

Berkeley, CA

March 12, 2015

"Protecting Our Communities, Respecting Our Liberties" California Department of Justice - Attorney General Kamala D. Harris San Francisco, CA	January 21, 2015
"Bay Area Digital Government Summit" Government Technology/e.Republic Foster City, CA	October 28, 2014
Opinion Pieces	
"BART Poised to Lead in Protecting Civil Liberties" East Bay Express Guest Opinion	September 11, 2018
"Berkeley Can Become a City of Refuge" East Bay Express Guest Opinion	March 8, 2018
"Making Oakland a Real Sanctuary City" East Bay Express Guest Opinion	June 28, 2017
"Oakland Poised to Protect Civil Liberties with new Surveillance Technology Ordinance" East Bay Express Guest Opinion	April 26, 2017
"Without Public Discussion, Alameda County Must Nix Stingray System" Contra Costa Times Guest Commentary	October 12, 2015
"Oakland Poised to Lead in Protecting Privacy" Eastbay Express Guest Opinion	February 4, 2015
"Why We Oppose the Oakland Spy Center" Eastbay Express Guest Opinion	February 26, 2014
Recognition	
"Brian Hofer Thwarts Authoritarian Power" – Oakland Magazine	August 6, 2018
Best of the East Bay "Defender of a Free Society" – East Bay Express	August 9, 2016
"Patriot Award" – Bill of Rights Defense Committee	March 1, 2016
Current Employment	

The Law Office of Gould & Hahn – Berkeley, CA Executive Director – Secure Justice

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Lou Katz

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RESUME

Lou Katz Metron Computerware, Ltd.

Home Address:

Resident of Oakland, CA for over 30 years.

PROFESSIONAL

Privacy Advisory Commission, City of Oakland, CA Commissioner 2016-2019

Oakland Privacy: Privacy Advocacy group

Member

VerifiedVoting.org:

Member, Board of Advisors

University of Wisconsin: Ph.D. (Physics)

C.C.N.Y.: B.S. (Physics). Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa, Second Year Honors,

ACM/SIGGRAPH (Special Interest Group in Computer Graphics):

Director (Member of the Executive Committee.) **Chairman**, Local Groups Steering Committee

ACM (Association for Computing Machinery):

Member, Chapters Board

The USENIX Association, Berkeley, CA.:

One of the Founders, first President, Past Director.

ACM/SIGGRAPH Bay Area Local Group:

Founder and first Chairman.

SIGGRAPH '82: Boston, MA.

Chairman, Film and Video Show.

Niccograph '82: Tokyo, JAPAN.

Co-chairman, Film and Video Show.

3rd International Animation Film Festival, New York 1975:

Co-chairman, computer animation conference.

POSITIONS

Pilot Network Services, Alameda, CA

Senior Security Systems Analyst. Responsible for evaluating the security aspects of third-party products prior to deployment on internet-facing servers. Security reviews of customer produced code prior to installation on internet-facing servers. General network security configuration.

Peritek Corporation, Oakland, CA

Consultant and Software Manager. Peritek was a manufacturer of VME, PMC and PCI frame buffers for workstations and industrial applications. Peritek display boards have on-board X servers for improved performance. Responsible for operations of heterogeneous network of Unix and real-time operating systems, local and wide area networking, documentation, customer support, software configuration, revision control and support.

NetBack, Inc. Venice, CA

Chief Technical Officer. NetBack was the originator of On-Line backup services, allowing users to back up their computers over the internet, utilizing data encryption and access controls for privacy. Responsible for technical operations.

RGB Spectrum, Alameda, CA

Software Engineering Manager. RGB Spectrum is a manufacturer of video scan converters, video windowing systems and MediaWall and ComputerWall, computer graphics display controllers for walls of video monitors. Responsible for software product design, project scheduling and management of software and firmware engineers.

Networked Picture Systems, Santa Clara, CA

Director of Research and Development for computer graphics startup company. Software design and product development of PC based electronic graphics paint programs for medical, printing, video and animation applications.

University of California, Berkeley

Director of Computing Resources. Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science. Responsible for planning and management of the department's computing resources, including 38 VAX minicomputers, 75 Sun workstations, etc. Annual budget of over \$2 million. Staff exceeded 30 FTE.

California College of Arts and Crafts, Oakland, CA

Instructor, Department of Architectural Studies. Develoed semester course in **Computer Literacy for Architects and Designers**, which included training in AutoCAD and P-Cad systems.

Fortune Systems Corporation, Redwood City, CA

Long range planning department. Responsible for UNIX, database management and computer graphics product planning.

Golemics, Inc., Berkeley, CA

General Manager and **V.P. of Research & Development**, in conjunction with Mr. Lee Felsenstein (designer of the Osborne Personal Computer and the Processor Technology Sol-20).

University of California, Berkeley, CA

Visiting Associate Professor of Computer Science. Courses: Video Graphics Languages and Techniques; Data Structures; Machine Structure.

Columbia University, New York, NY

Director, Core Computer Facility, Cancer Center/Institute of Cancer Research and Pharmacology Program Project. **Assistant Professor of Pharmacology**, Faculty of Medicine.

Columbia University, New York, NY

Director, Computer Graphics Facility, Department of Biological Sciences. **Adjunct Associate Professor of Graphics**, Dept of Civil Engineering and Engineering Mechanics.

MIT, Cambridge, MA

Senior Research Associate, Department of Biological Sciences. Molecular biology of nucleic acids and biopolymers, using X-ray crystallography and nuclear magnetic resonance.

Visking Corporation, Chicago, IL

Research Scientist. Structure of cellulose films using small-angle X-ray diffraction.

Union Carbide Metals Company, Niagara Falls, NY

Research Scientist. Structure of manganese dioxide ores using electron spin resonance.

METRON COMPUTERWARE, LTD. / Metron Studios, Oakland CA

President of Metron Computerware since its founding in 1978. Metron Computerware is a consulting and training firm specializing in computer systems networking and management, graphics systems, CAD, graphic arts, architecture and design, with emphasis on UNIX, Linux and Windows systems configuration and security, DNS, and Sendmail. Metron Computerware provides Domain Name Service, SMTP service and web hosting for more than three dozen local domains.

PROJECTS AND CONSULTING

University of California, Berkeley - Institute of Transportation Studies/PATH

Create, install and manage software repositories for project software. Configure servers, workstations and RSUs for periodic backup. Prepare and maintain scripts and procedures for updating software repositories and field vehicles with current code.

Pilot Network Services, Inc.

Sendmail configuration, SPAM control policies and procedures.

Britton Silberman and Cervantez, LLP.

Network managment and installation of FreeBSD fileserver and mailserver facilities for the firm's Windows 95 and 98 workstations.

FaceSaver

Metron Studios is the developer of the FaceSaver system, an integrated real-time image capture, database and image printout system for production of selective picture lists on demand. This system was used for over two years at conferences of the USENIX Association to digitally capture the portraits of almost 4000 attendees, and to print attendee lists using these portraits. Most of these portraits are also now electronically accessable through the Internet from UUNET Information Systems.

Omnimath, Inc., New York, NY

Design of custom systems for displaying total trading postions for commodities brokerage houses. Design and implementation of a commodities Trade Matching System for monitoring legal trading limits requirements and for establishing "Haircutting" amounts for reporting of trader's net worth.

Teknekron Software Systems, Palo Alto, CA

Design of an integrated stock trading workstation software for Goldman Sachs, NY. Design, programming and enhancement of a PC-based institutional stock portfolio analyzer to summarize large stock holdings for block trading on major stock exchanges.

CAD

Configuration and customization of AutoCAD systems, custom AutoLisp programming, AutoShade, AutoFlix and Animator. System layout and configuration for UCP-CAD Productions (Oakland), custom AutoLisp wiring layout program for IBM (Oakland), AutoShade and AutoFlix "Fly-bys" for Autodesk and LSA (Richmond).

Array Technologies, Oakland, CA

GPIB system software for transfer of large image files between proprietary scanning hardware and enduser computers.

Networked Picture Systems, Santa Clara, CA

PC based image processing and data compression software.

Fortune Systems Corporation, Redwood City, CA

Project manager for RUBIX relational database management system. Designed and implemented a 401X Tektronix emulator to use Fortune System's proprietary monochrome graphics controller.

Etra Technology Research Associates, Oakland, CA

Consultant on three-dimensional imaging, stereo image processing, real-time generation of color stereo images for TV broadcasting. Software systems design for digital control of analog and digital video processing modules, video colorizers and multi-level keyers.

Purvis Systems, San Diego, CA

Analysis and evaluation of market potential of a PC-based networking and electronic document exchange system developed at Purvis.

Vertigo Computer Imagery, Vancouver, B.C.

Technology assessment and evaluation of plans for a new, state-of-the-art graphics hardware and software system for video post-production and animation.

REFERENCES

References supplied on request.

PUBLICATIONS

List of professional publications supplied on request.

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Approved as to Form and Legality

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OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOL	.UTION	NO.	C.M.S

INTRODUCED BY MAYOR LIBBY SCHAAF

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF BRIAN HOFER AND LOU KATZ, AND THE APPOINTMENT OF HENRY GAGE III AND GINA TOMLINSON, AS MEMBERS OF THE PRIVACY ADVISORY COMMISSION

WHEREAS, Section 601 of the City Charter provides that members, of City boards and commissions shall be appointed by the Mayor subject to confirmation by the affirmative vote of five members of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the Privacy Advisory Commission (Commission) was created by Ordinance No. 13349 C.M.S., adopted January 19, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Brian Hofer, pursuant to Resolution No. 86231, was appointed to serve from March 15, 2016 to March 15, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Lou Katz, pursuant to Resolution No. 86231 was appointed to serve from March 15, 2016 to March 15, 2019; now therefore be it

RESOLVED: That pursuant to City Charter section 601, the City Council hereby confirms the Mayor's reappointment of:

- (1) Brian Hofer, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2019 and ending March 15, 2022 filling the seat previously held by himself; and
- (2) Lou Katz, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2019 and ending March 15, 2022 filling the seat previously held by himself; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That pursuant to City Charter section 601, the City Council hereby confirms the Mayor's appointment of:

- (1) Henry Gage, III, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory

 Commission-beginning-March-16, 2018 and ending-March-15, 2021 filling a previously held by Saied Karamooz; and
- (2) Gina Tomlinson, to serve a three-year term on the Privacy Advisory Commission beginning March 16, 2018 and ending March 15, 2021 filling a seat previously held by Clinton Johnson.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - FORTUNATO BAS, GALLO, GIBSON MCELHANEY, KALB, REID, TAYLOR, THAO AND PRESIDENT KAPLAN

NOES -			
ABSENT -			
ABSTENTION -	ATTEST:		

LATONDA SIMMONS
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the
City of Oakland, California