

BALTIMORE CITY COUNCIL

ACTION ON EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENT

The (Appointment or Reappointment) of MICHAEL KING (EA20-0272)

As a Member

Of the Commission on Disabilities

For A TERM EXPIRING December 8, 2020

received by the City Council from the Mayor on May 18, 2020

and referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments on May 18, 2020

Said Committee held hearing on said Appointment on June 17, 2020

The Committee on Executive Appointments on June 17, 2020

having carefully considered said nomination, recommends that the City Council (confirm) or refuse to confirm) said nomination.

Robert Stokes / m.m.c.
Chairman

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As a timely confirmation hearing by the Committee on Executive Appointments was rendered impossible by the occurrence of circumstances unrelated to the merit of the nomination in question, said Committee recommends that the City Council rejects without prejudice the nomination of

Chairman

To Her Honor the Mayor

The City Council of Baltimore has (confirmed or refused to confirm) the above on passed. and the vote being: aye, nay,

President

The City Council of Baltimore having received the above mentioned on this will advise your Honor that three regular succeeding meetings have been held by said City Council thereafter without either confirming or refusing to confirm said nomination in accordance with Section 6, Article IV, Charter of Baltimore City (1964 Revision).

**BALTIMORE CITY COUNCIL
EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE
VOTING RECORD**

DATE: 6-17-20

BILL NUMBER: EA 20-0272

BILL TITLE: Michael King – Member – Mayor’s Commission on Disabilities

MOTION BY: Clarke ~~Stokes~~ SECONDED BY: Burnett

- FAVORABLE FAVORABLE WITH AMENDMENTS
 UNFAVORABLE WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION

| NAME | YEAS | NAYS | ABSENT | ABSTAIN |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Stokes, Robert S., Chairman | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Burnett, Kristerfer -Vice Chair | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Clarke, Mary Pat | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cohen, Zeke | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Schleifer, Isaac "Yitzy" | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| TOTALS | <u>5</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> | <u>—</u> |

CHAIRPERSON: Robert Stokes, Robert Stokes / m.m.c.

COMMITTEE STAFF: Marguerite M. Currin Initials: m.m.c.

CITY OF BALTIMORE

BERNARD C. "JACK" YOUNG, Mayor



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HEARING NOTES

Bill: EA20-0272

Michael King – Member – Mayor’s Commission on Disabilities

Committee: Executive Appointments
Chaired By: Councilmember Robert Stokes
Hearing Date: Wednesday, June 17, 2020
Time (Beginning): 10:00 AM
Time (Ending): 10:45 AM
Location: Virtual “WebEx” Meeting
Total Attendance: Approximately 20

Committee Members in Attendance:

Robert Stokes Zeke Cohen
Mary Pat Clarke Isaac “Yitzy” Schleifer
Kristerfer Burnett

Table with 3 columns: Question, yes, no, n/a. Rows include Bill Synopsis in the file?, Attendance sheet in the file?, Agency reports read?, Video or audio-digitally recorded?, Certification of advertising/posting notices in the file?, Evidence of notification to property owners?, Final vote taken at this hearing?, Motioned by: Councilmember Clarke, Seconded by: Councilmember Burnett, Final Vote: Favorable.

Major Speakers

(This is not an attendance record.)

- Michael King – Nominee
• Nina Themelis, Mayor’s Office

Major Issues Discussed

1. Mr. King is one of three (3) nominees who came before the committee today. He is being nominated to serve as a member of the Mayor's Commission on Disabilities.
2. The chairman asked all nominees to talk about their background, interest in the position and about his/her vision for the Commission.
3. Mr. King talked briefly about his background and gave some comments about "Race Equity Lens;" some of the challenges people have due to their race.
4. Committee members stated some concerns, asked Mr. King questions and etc. Some highlights from same were:
 - o Question: Will this be your first term serving on the Commission? Answer: Yes
 - o Question: How did you hear about this position?
 - o Question: How long will the nominees served on the Commission before his/her term expires?
 - o Question: How do you apply "race equity lens" to disabilities?
5. Several committee members thanked Mr. King for his willingness to serve on the Commission. Vote taken.

Further Study

Was further study requested? Yes No
If yes, describe.

Committee Vote:

R. Stokes:..... Yea
K. Burnett:..... Yea
M. Clarke:..... Yea
I. Schleifer:..... Yea
Z. Cohen:..... Yea

Marguerite M. Currin
Marguerite M. Currin, Committee Staff Date: June 17, 2020

cc: Bill File
OCS Chrono File

City of Baltimore

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100 North Holliday Street
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Meeting Minutes - Final

Executive Appointments Committee

Wednesday, June 17, 2020

10:00 AM Virtual Hearing: Phone: +1-408-418-9388, Access code: 129
466 9741, Password: Public,
[https://bmore.webex.com/bmore/onstage/g.php?](https://bmore.webex.com/bmore/onstage/g.php?MTID=ebbcf3ee15e87c60a5188e8a2c364b2db)
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EA20-0271, EA20-0272, EA20-0274
CHARM TV 25

CALL TO ORDER

INTRODUCTIONS

ATTENDANCE

Present 5 - Member Robert Stokes Sr., Member Kristerfer Burnett, Member Zeke Cohen,
Member Isaac "Yitzy" Schleifer, and Member Mary Pat Clarke

EA20-0271 **David A. Greenberg**
Member - Commission on Disabilities - District 5

A motion was made by Member "Yitzy" Schleifer, seconded by Member Clarke,
that Executive Nomination EA20-0271 be recommended favorably. The motion
carried by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - Member Stokes Sr., Member Burnett, Member Cohen, Member "Yitzy" Schleifer,
and Member Clarke

EA20-0272 **Michael King**
Member - Commission on Disabilities - District 2

A motion was made by Member Clarke, seconded by Member Burnett, that
Executive Nomination EA20-0272 be recommended favorably. The motion carried
by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - Member Stokes Sr., Member Burnett, Member Cohen, Member "Yitzy" Schleifer,
and Member Clarke

EA20-0274 **Yojinde E. Paxton**
Member - Commission on Disabilities - District 12

A motion was made by Member "Yitzy" Schleifer, seconded by Member Clarke,
that Executive Nomination EA20-0274 be recommended favorably. The motion
carried by the following vote:

Yes: 5 - Member Stokes Sr., Member Burnett, Member Cohen, Member "Yitzy" Schleifer,
and Member Clarke

ADJOURNMENT