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Election Challenge Determination

Challenger Name: Ruby De Vera

Neighborhood Council: Glassell Park Neighborhood Council

Challenge Number: 54, 55, 56

Challenge Basis: Incorrect Ballots, Eligibility of Voter

Date of Review: May 27, 2016

All challenges are first reviewed by Independent Election Administrators to determine if it meets the election challenge criteria in the 2016 Election Manual. The criteria includes the following: 1) stakeholder voter verification for standing to file the challenge 2) timely submittal, and 3) challenge fits under challengeable categories, meeting documentation and impact requirements, i.e. the supporting documentation must prove that the alleged challenge is not only valid, but would also have made a difference in the election outcome.

Your challenge was reviewed by the following Independent Election Administrators:

- 1) Andy Chung
- 2) Terrence Gomes
- 3) Brett Shears

After reviewing your election challenge, the Independent Election Administrators have determined that you have not raised a challenge authorized by the Election Manual because challenges regarding candidate eligibility is resolved by the City Clerk. Per the 2016 Election Manual, "Requests for the review of a Candidate's certification status may be filed for the time a candidate is certified on the EmpowerLA website through ten (10) days after the close of the Candidate Filing Period for that Candidate's region". Your challenge was submitted after the deadline.

Challenge 54 is therefore dismissed.

Challenge 55 and 56 are duplicates of Challenge 54.