UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF SELECTION OF CHIEF BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

The United States District Court for the District of Maryland acknowledges the completion

of the term of the Honorable Nancy V. Alquist as Chief Bankruptcy Judge in the District of

Maryland. The judges of the U.S. District Court acknowledge Judge Alquist's exemplary service

as Chief Bankruptcy Judge and are grateful for her continuing service as a fully active Bankruptcy

Judge upon completion of her term as the Chief Bankruptcy Judge.

The United States District Court announces the selection of the Honorable Wendelin Lipp

as Chief Bankruptcy Judge in the District of Maryland, effective June 1, 2019, for a term of seven

years. Judge Lipp began service as a United States Bankrupty Judge on April 3, 2006.

United States Bankruptcy Judges are appointed by the Judges of the United States Courts

of Appeals in their respective Circuits, and they serve renewable terms of 14 years. Chief United

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respective Districts.

Date: April 11, 2019

The Honorable James K. Bredar

Chief Judge