COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY AND PUBLIC SAFETY

BROOKE PINTO, CHAIR

REVISED

NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

On the Matter of the Nomination of Pamela A. Smith to the Position of Chief of the Metropolitan Police Department

Wednesday, September 27, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. Room 500, John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

To watch live:

Councilmember Pinto's YouTube Page (www.youtube.com/@cmbrookepinto)

DC Council Website (dccouncil.gov)

Council Channel 13 (Cable Television Providers)

Office of Cable Television Website (entertainment.dc.gov)

On Wednesday, September 27, 2023, Councilmember Brooke Pinto, Chairwoman of the Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety, will hold a public roundtable on the matter of the nomination of Pamela A. Smith to be the Chief of the Metropolitan Police Department. The roundtable will begin at 11:00 a.m. in Room 500 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004. The roundtable will be broadcast live on DC Council Channel 13 and streamed live at www.dccouncil.us, entertainment.dc.gov, and youtube.com/@cmbrookepinto.

The Committee invites the public to testify. Those who wish to do so must register using the Council's Hearing Management System at https://lims.dccouncil.gov/hearings by 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 26, 2023. Those who represent organizations will have 5 minutes to speak. All other witnesses will have 3 minutes to speak. Witnesses will have the option to testify in person or virtually; witnesses should specify which option they are electing at the time they sign up to testify.

Witnesses who anticipate needing spoken language interpretation, or who require sign language interpretation, are requested to inform the Committee office of the need as soon as possible, but no later than 5 business days before the proceeding. We will make every effort to fulfill timely requests, although alternatives may be offered. Requests may be submitted via the Hearing Management System during registration or by contacting Ms. Aukima Benjamin, Committee Manager to the Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety, at (202) 724-8058 or via e-mail at judiciary@dccouncil.gov. Requests received less than 5 business days before the proceeding may not be fulfilled. Witnesses will receive instructions on how to participate by Zoom prior to the roundtable. If you have additional questions, please contact the Committee Manager at the phone number or e-mail listed above.

If you are unable to testify at the public roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record; written testimony should be submitted through the Council's Hearing Management System at https://lims.dccouncil.gov/hearings. Testimony will be publicly accessible following Committee review. The public may also leave voicemail testimony for the Committee by calling (202) 630-7585, which will be transcribed and made part of the roundtable record. Members of the public leaving voicemail testimony should speak slowly and clearly, state their full name and the organization they represent, if any, and note the bill, hearing, or agency that they are submitting testimony on. For privacy purposes, members of the public are asked to not provide an e-mail, phone number, or other personal contact information in voicemail testimony.

The record will close at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 11, 2023.

This roundtable notice was revised to reflect a new roundtable date of September 27, 2023, as well as changes to the deadline for public witnesses to sign up to testify at the roundtable and the date that the roundtable record will close.