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Honorable Analisa Torres
United States District Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *Floyd, et al. v. City of New York*, 08-CV-1034 (AT),
Ligon, et al. v. City of New York, et al., 12-CV-2274 (AT),
Davis, et al. v. City of New York, et al., 10-CV-0699 (AT),
Ninth Report of the Independent Monitor

Dear Judge Torres,

I am pleased to submit the Ninth Report of the Independent Monitor. This report looks back at what has been done so far and forward to what still needs to be done.

In the last four years, much has been accomplished, although there are still challenges ahead and areas of reform that need work. In sum, a substantial amount of training material has been developed and approved; body-worn cameras (BWC) will soon be deployed throughout the city and the evaluation of the monitor's pilot will soon begin; the Department has instituted a new performance evaluation system for patrol officers; and the Department has tested and instituted some improved auditing methods that better address the court-ordered reforms.

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These and other positive developments are described in more detail in the report. At the same time, the report describes the persistent problem of underreporting of stops and the failure of supervisors to deal with that underreporting and the quality of the stop reports that are filed. The monitor has been in discussion with the Department about these problems and about steps that can be taken to address and hopefully solve them. These steps are described in the report.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Peter L. Zimroth _____

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Attachment: Ninth Report of the Independent Monitor