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## **NOTICE TO POTENTIAL CANDIDATES**

Section Two, Paragraph 1 of the Election Rules sets forth the eligibility requirements for candidates. **PLEASE TAKE NOTICE**, that the eligibility requirements include a requirement for all potential candidates to submit the following declarations:

- A declaration stating that they have not been convicted of a crime that would disqualify them from holding a union office pursuant to Section 504 of the Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act; and
- A declaration stating that they are not a member or associate of any La Cosa Nostra crime family or any other criminal group or with any other person prohibited from participating in union affairs pursuant to Section 504 of the Labor Management Reporting and Disclosure Act.

Information concerning the types of offenses that would disqualify an individual from holding union office can be found on the United States Department of Labor website at the following address: <https://www.dol.gov/sites/dolgov/files/olms/regs/compliance/504unionoffholdempl.pdf>.

Any prospective candidate who has questions or who is uncertain concerning their qualifications to run for office is strongly encouraged to contact the Independent Monitor's Office for guidance. Prospective candidates are encouraged to contact the Independent Monitor's Office with these concerns as soon as possible to avoid the expenditure of the time and resources required to run for office only to be declared ineligible for failing to meet eligibility requirements.

All inquiries in this regard should be sent by email to the following address:

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