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The Nominations Committee
Asian American Bar Association of New York

To the AABANY Nominations Committee:

As the current 2018 AABANY Development Director, I wish to submit my letter of intent to run reelection for another term as the 2019 AABANY Development Director.

For 2018, I have been successful in raising Sponsorship Funds and Support for AABANY for the 2018 AABANY Fall Conference and many AABANY Committee Events.

I have been actively involved with AABANY since 2007 and was a Board of Director for 7 years. I am very familiar with the focus and goals of the AABANY Board of Directors; the role of AABANY in the APA Community; and the vital need to continue to solidify and grow AABANY as a Bar Association.

In continuing as Co-Chair of the AABANY Real Estate Committee since 2007, I have successfully organized; coordinated; and presented over 90 significant CLE Networking Events. These CLE Networking Events were all sponsored with Bank; Corporate; Law Firm Sponsorship Partners.

I have solidified a strong relationship with most of these Sponsor Partners over the years and they continue to pledge their financial support as AABANY Sponsors.

I am currently working on confirming existing Sponsors for the 2019 AABANY Gala.

More importantly, I am planning many 2019 AABANY Sponsored Events with Sponsors which include: Flushing Bank; Chase Bank; TD Bank;

Citibank; HSBC; Herrick Feinstein; Citrin Cooperman; Forchelli Deegan Terrana; Meyer Suozzi; McCarter English;

It would be more beneficial to AABANY for me to continue as the 2019 AABANY Development Director as the Sponsors are familiar with working with me.

For 2018, I have been appointed to The Executive Council of The Network of Bar Leaders and represent AABANY at The Network. This position gives AABANY more contact with other Attorneys; Law Firms; and various other Corporate and Legal Connections.

Any contact that I make at the many Events that I attend is a potential AABANY Sponsor. An effective AABANY Development Director must be proactive in connecting with potential AABANY Sponsors and do much outreach. I have done so for many years as an AABANY Officer and continue to do so in my current role as AABANY Development Director.

I recognize that AABANY must grow membership; become self-sustaining; insure continuity of its policies and programs; further expand into the Asian community; and also understand the growing global presence of Asia in America.

Attached is my resume and bio.

Your time and consideration would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you. I look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,

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