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PURPOSE: Approving the Speakers appointment of Ms. Cora Maxx-Phillips to the Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission.

This written summary does not address recommended amendments as may be provided by the standing committees. The Office of Legislative Counsel requests each Council Delegate review the proposed resolution in detail.

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14 RIGHTS COMMISSION

15 BE IT ENACTED:

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17 **SECTION ONE. AUTHORITY**

18 The Naabik'iyáti' Committee of the Navajo Nation Council has the authority to approve
19 appointments by the Speaker to the Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission. 2 N.N.C.
20 § 852 (A)

21 **SECTION TWO. FINDINGS**

22 A. The Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission (NNHRC) members shall be
23 appointed by the Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council and confirmed by the
24 Naabik'iyáti' Committee. 2 N.N.C. § 922(A)

25 B. The Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission shall consist of five commissioners
26 with reputable and established backgrounds in the fields of education, business,
27 law enforcement and social services. 2 N.N.C. § 922 (A)

28 C. The Navajo Nation Human Rights Commissioners shall serve for a four year term
29 pursuant to the NNIIRC Plan of Operation. See Terms of Office in Exhibit A.
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1 D. The appointee, Ms. Cora M. Maxx-Phillips, fulfills the requirements for
2 appointment based on reputable and established background in social services.
3 See Exhibit B.

4 E. The Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council and the Naabik'iyáti' Committee
5 consider it to be in the best interest of the Navajo Nation that Ms. Cora M. Maxx-
6 Phillips be appointed to the Navajo Nation Human Rights Commission for a four-
7 year term thereby meeting the social services requirement.

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9 **SECTION THREE. APPOINTMENT**

10 The Speaker of the Navajo Nation Council hereby appoints and the Naabik'iyáti' Committee
11 hereby confirms the appointment of Ms. Cora Maxx-Phillips to the Navajo Nation
12 Human Rights Commission for a term of four years.

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