HIGHER OFFICE PROOF ("HOP") FORM

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CANDIDATE	Last Name	First Name	M.I.	Candidate ID #
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Use this form to select either Option 1-A or 1-B described in *Term Limits Extension and the CFB: Candidate Guidance Document on Advisory Opinion No. 2008-7.* Submit this HOP form to the New York City Campaign Finance Board (the "CFB") by **January 15, 2009.**

Higher Office Proof

If you wish to choose either Option 1-A or 1-B, you must *first* demonstrate that you were originally seeking a higher office in 2009. Please check all that apply and attach documentation, if necessary.

☒ **I previously declared the "office sought" on the Filer Registration submitted to the CFB (skip to "Choose One Option").**

OR

☐ **I previously was undeclared, but I am attaching:**

__ Documentation of receipt and/or solicitation of contributions at a higher contribution limit.

__ Records of statements in the press demonstrating I was seeking a higher office.

__ Other documentation demonstrating I was seeking a higher office (include a cover letter explaining the documentation).

Choose One Option:

☒ **Option 1-A**

I hereby choose Option 1-A. I understand that I must "freeze" my current committee and open a new committee by **January 15, 2009**. I understand that I am required to obtain a new Employer Identification Number, establish a new committee with the New York City and New York State Boards of Elections, open a new bank account, and complete a new CFB Filer Registration for the new committee by January 15, 2009.

Oddo for Staten Island
Name of Current 2009 Committee ("Frozen" Committee)

Oddo 2009
Name of New 2009 Committee

1/8/09
Date Opened with BOE

☐ **Option 1-B**

I hereby choose Option 1-B. I understand that I must refund portions of contributions over the lower office contribution limit. I also understand that spending incurred prior to November 3, 2008 will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis, but that the Board's rules presume that these expenditures are for the 2009 re-election campaign.

Sign Here:

- I have read and understand *Term Limits Extension and the CFB: Candidate Guidance Document on Advisory Opinion No. 2008-7,* issued on November 13, 2008.
- I understand that knowingly making a false written statement is a Class A misdemeanor pursuant to New York State Penal Law 210.45.
- I understand that knowingly offering false written information with the belief that it will become part of the records of a public office and with the intent to defraud is a Class E felony pursuant to New York State Penal Law Section 175.35.

James S. Oddo
Candidate Signature

1/8/09
Date