RES 18-085

Wilmington, Delaware December 6, 2018

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Sponsors:

Council President Shabazz

Council Members Freel Oliver Adams Walsh WHEREAS, on November 15, 2018, the City Council, as required by Section 2-101 of the City Charter, formally declared that: the First Councilmanic District position is vacant as of November 6, 2018 at 8:00 p.m. due to former Council Member Nnamdi O. Chukwuocha's resignation; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Wilmington City Charter, Chapter 2, Wilm. C. (Charter) § 2-101, when such vacancy occurs between General Elections, it is the duty of City Council to fill said vacancy with a member of the same political party residing in the same council district in which such vacancy occurs for the un-expired term of the of the resigning Council Member; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to <u>Wilm</u>. <u>C</u>. (Charter) § 2-103, the City Council is empowered to be the "sole judge of the qualifications . . . of its members" and pursuant to <u>Wilm</u>. <u>C</u>. (Code) § 2-34, a special committee has recommended Albert Mills to fill the vacancy in the 1st Council District seat.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON, that the City Council appoints Albert Mills, a duly registered member of the Democratic Party residing in the First Councilmanic District of the City of Wilmington, to fill the vacancy created by former Council Member Nnamdi O. Chukwuocha, for the remainder of former Council Member Chukwuocha's term.

	Passed by City Council,
Attest:	Attest:
	City Clerk

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution appoints Albert Mills, pursuant to <u>Wilm</u>. <u>C</u>. (Charter) § 2-101, to fill the vacancy created by former Council Member Nnamdi O. Chukwuocha, for the remainder of former Council Member Chukwuocha's term in accordance with the recommendation of the Special Committee.