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NTEU Chapter 282 Election Committee
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NTEU CHAPTER 282
NOMINATIONS AND ELECTION COMMITTEE

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CHAPTER ELECTIONS - Autumn 2010

NOTICE OF NOMINATION AND
ELECTION OF CHAPTER OFFICES

On October 15, 2010, NTEU Chapter 282 will conduct an election of officers for the term of office running from October 15, 2010 – October 1, 2013. In accordance with Part IV of the NTEU Bylaws, this is the Official Notice for Nominations and Election of Offices for Chapter 282. Chapter 282 will hold a secret ballot election on **October 15, 2010** for the following offices:

- President
- Executive Vice President
- Secretary/Vice President for Correspondence and Records
- Treasurer/Vice President for Finance
- Vice Presidents at Large (3)
- CBER Vice President (1)
- CDER Vice Presidents (4)
- CDRH Vice Presidents (3)
- CFSAN Vice Presidents (3)
- CVM Vice President (1)
- OC Vice President (1)
- ORAIBTL District Vice President (1)
- CTP Vice President (1)

The Chapter President and Vice Presidents who are elected in accordance with Part IV of the NTEU National Constitution and Bylaws shall by virtue of such election be delegates to any National Convention.

Only members who joined NTEU Chapter 282 on or before July 17, 2010, and who remain members in good standing through **October 15, 2010** are eligible to nominate a **candidate** and vote in this election. All candidates must be members in good standing of NTEU Chapter 282 as of October 15, 2009, in accordance with NTEU Chapter 282 Bylaws, Part VIII. However, an employee who, under the provisions of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978, is considered a supervisor is ineligible to represent this chapter as an officer. An eligible member wishing to nominate a candidate or candidates including him/herself **must submit** their nomination[s] in writing by U.S. Mail on the enclosed nomination form (or photocopy thereof) to NTEU Chapter 282 Election Committee Chair, at P.O. Box 28014, Washington, DC 20038-8014.

Nominations must be sent by U.S. Mail in time for the Election Committee to receive them in the Election Committee P.O. Box no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 9, 2010. The nominations will be retrieved from the Post Office at that date and time. Nominations received in the Election Committee Post Office Box after 5:00 p.m. on September 9, 2010 will not be considered. Nominations submitted by phone, fax, or personal delivery will not be considered. Self-nomination is permitted and considered an agreement to run for chapter office. Any member nominating a candidate (including him/herself) must identify him/herself, include his/her signature, print their name, and enter the date on the nomination form.

Each nominee, except those who self-nominate, must submit an agreement to run for office in writing using the attached "Agreement to Run for Chapter Office" form to the Chair of the NTEU Chapter 282 Election Committee no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 20, 2010. Nominees must mail this form to the NTEU Chapter 282 Election Committee, at P.O. Box 28014, Washington, DC 20038-8014. Acceptances received in the election committee P.O. box after 5pm on September 20, 2010, will not be considered.

An individual may run for only one office, and if nominated for multiple offices, a nominee may accept only one of the nominations. As mandated by Part VII of the Chapter 282 bylaws, the Chapter President cannot run for more than two consecutive terms. In accordance with Part IV, Section 2 (E) of the NTEU National Bylaws, if a candidate is running unopposed, there shall be no necessity for the election of such a nominee and he/she shall be declared duly elected.

ELECTION

The Election will be conducted by mail referendum ballot on October 15, 2010. Write-in candidates are not allowed. Candidates or one appointed observer may be present at all phases of the election involving the chain of custody, such as inserting ballots into envelopes, mailing ballots, picking up the ballots from the P.O. Box, and counting the ballots.

Candidates wishing to send campaign literature to Chapter members must notify the Election Chair, Roslyn Powers at 301-919-2525 by September 21, 2010, at 5:00 p.m. Candidates must have their literature in sealed, stamped envelopes ready to mail by September 22, 2010, and bring them to the Election Committee in @ by @ that day, along with their payment for one set of labels. The Election Committee will meet at @ at @, on September 22, 2010, to allow candidates to affix address labels to their mailings. Candidates and/or their volunteers must apply the labels to their mailings in the presence of the Election Committee. Candidate literature will be mailed on September 22, 2010. All candidate literature must be stuffed and sealed in a stamped envelope with the Election Committee's post office box address, P.O. Box 28014, Washington, DC 20038-8014, as the return address. Literature with a return address other than the Election Committee's will not be mailed.

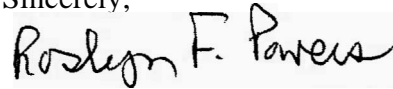
Ballots will be mailed to eligible members on September 23, 2010.

Members who do not receive a ballot by September 27, 2010 may request a duplicate ballot from September 27, 2010 to October 8, 2010 from Election Chair Roslyn Powers, 301-919-2525. Requests received after October 8, 2010 will not be accepted. Members who will not be at their current address during the election may request absentee ballots between September 27, 2010 to October 8, 2010 from

Election Chair Roslyn Powers, 301-919-2525. Requests received after **5:00 p.m., October 8, 2010** will not be accepted.

Ballots **must be received** by 5pm on **October 15, 2010** at P.O. Box 28014, Washington, DC 20038-8014. Ballots will be picked up at that time from the post office. The ballots will then be tallied at 1750 H Street NW beginning at 5:15pm. The candidate receiving a plurality of votes for each particular office shall be declared the winner.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Roslyn F. Powers". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the typed name.

Roslyn Powers, Chair NTEU Chapter 282 Nominations & Elections Committee

NOMINATION FORM

I nominate _____ for the office of _____

in NTEU Chapter 282 for the term beginning on October 15, 2010 and ending on October 1, 2013.

(IF YOU WISH TO SUBMIT MORE THAN ONE NOMINATION, PHOTOCOPY THIS FORM AND USE THE COPY IN LIEU OF AN ORIGINAL)

Signature _____ Date _____

Name (print) _____

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AGREEMENT TO RUN FOR CHAPTER OFFICE

I, _____, accept the nomination and agree to be a candidate for the office of _____ in NTEU Chapter 282.

I understand the term of office is beginning on October 15, 2010 and ending on October 1, 2013.

Signature: _____ Dated: _____

PRINT NAME AS IT IS TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT:

