

January 30, 2024

Honorable Diane T. Capehart
Chairman of the Rules & Judiciary Committee
35th Legislature of the US Virgin Islands
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Dear Senator Capehart,

It gives me great pleasure to write this letter of support for Commissioner Nominee Averil George whom I have been blessed to work alongside in a professional capacity while employed at Department of Labor.

Ms. George exceptional organizational skills lend greatly to her ability to manage tasks well and affords her the time needed to prepare and equip herself for greater challenges. She is a leader but not your ordinary leader. Ms. George leads by example, empowers and educates her employees, is supportive in all aspects, provides the necessary tools needed to effectively provide quality services to the Territory of the Virgin Islands, trustworthy and straightforward but most of all she holds each and every employee accountable for their actions. Absolutely no favoritism is displayed which is the reason why employees enjoy going the extra mile for her.

Ms. George demonstrates a genuine concern for others and believes in motivating those around her to always better themselves and strive for excellence. Often it is not what you do but the manner in which you do it. She has the ability to work with diverse groups of people; her caring attitude and generosity with her time and energy makes her a pleasure to be around. She is very dependable and goes out of her way to provide assistance to others. Enthusiastic, knowledgeable, hardworking and committed, Averil George is a dedicated individual who sets high standards for herself and those around her.

It is with this knowledge of Ms. George's character, dedication, and personal attributes that I can speak or write on her behalf without reservation. I am confident that she will have the same impact left on those at Division of Personnel, Department of Labor as well as Department of Public Works. Please feel free to contact me directly should you desire any additional information

Sincerely,



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