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NOMINEE'S NAME:

10. EMPLOYMENT RECORD: Please list, in chronological order, your complete employment record for the past ten (10) years, beginning with the present or most recent position. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

Employer	Dates of Employment	Position	Address/Phone #	Supervisor
Blue Sky Real Estate	2008-present	Co-Owner & Broker	11 North Street, C'sted, St Croix 340.719.1409	Self
Calabash Real Estate	2004-2008	REALTOR	The Palms @ Pelican Cove	Helen Edwards
St Croix Educational Complex	2000-2004	Theater/Dance Educator	St. Croix, USVI	Kurt Violet
USVI Status Commission	1992-1994	Co-Director of Public Education	VI Legislature/Status Commission	Gerard Emanuel
St Croix Country Day School	1995-1997	Caribbean History & Spanish Language Teacher	St Croix Country Day School	Marge Boulanger
St Croix Landmarks Society	1990-1992	Editor of the Postkassen, monthly newsletter	St Croix Landmarks Society	Barbara

11. GOVERNMENT EXPERIENCE:

A. List all federal, state, territorial or local government services, giving dates and type of service such as employee, boards, commissions, executive, legislative or judicial branches, consultant, voluntary service, part-time or honorary. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

B. List and attach a copy of all service contracts you have held independently or been a party to with the Government of the Virgin Islands.

Status Commission of the Virgin Islands 1992-1994 Co-Director of Public Education for the Status Referendum

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12. BUSINESSES AND FINANCIAL INTEREST: List all businesses (for profit or not for profit), real estate and trusts in which you have at least a 10% interest or control of assets or serve as an officer or member of a board with voting rights. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

Blue Sky Real Estate, Co-Owner and Broker	

13. QUALIFICATIONS: What in your opinion qualifies you to serve the People of the Virgin Islands in the position which the Governor has nominated you?

I have an in-depth knowledge of the history of the Virgin Islands, specifically, and the wider Caribbean, more broadly. This knowledge comes from my own interest, but also the many years of study to provide a college preparatory level of study for my students from primary source materials such as ships' manifests documenting the trans-Atlantic slave trade, and other primary source materials found in the Von Scholten Collection, The University of the Virgin Islands' library and archives & The Landmarks Society Library. Much of my training during my teaching career came through participation in teaching seminars funded and led by scholars, like Dr. Gene Emanuel, Dr. George Tyson & Vincent Cooper through grants from The National Endowment for the Humanities.

Additionally, my years as a dancer and dance educator both in the Virgin Islands and the US mainland focused on contemporary dance expressions, learning traditional Caribbean dances, and understanding the historical context of how Caribbean bodies move. These expressions were influenced by, controlled by and interfaced with the pre-colonial, post-colonial and indigenous forms' interactions & intersections with the spaces – built and imagined.

As a business owner, I understand the importance of striking the balance between historic preservation, modernity and the economy. Our built heritage deserves preservation. Our community deserves to understand the economic importance of our built heritage. I hope to use my role on the commission to not only enforce the laws regarding historic preservation, but also to engage and educate the community about its importance and work with owners of historic properties to save and maintain their family legacy and the community's built heritage.

SECTION II: HONORS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

14. MEMBERSHIPS: List all memberships and offices held in professional, fraternal, scholarly, civic, charitable, and other organizations.

CAFRA- Caribbean Association of Feminist Research and Action, 1995-2000	
Woman's Coalition of St Croix, Board Member, 1990-1992	
Caribbean Dance Company, Dancer/Member, 1986-1989	
COCO Dance Theater Company Member/Dancer 2012-2015	

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15. BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, TRUSTS, ETC.: List all government or private sector boards, trusts, or fiduciary responsible positions on which you have served or are now serving.

President, St Croix Board of Realtors, 2006-2009	

16. HONORS AND AWARDS: List all scholarships, fellowships, honorary degrees, honor society memberships, and any other special recognition for outstanding service or achievement

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- 17. PUBLISHED WRITINGS:** List all titles, publishers and dates of books, articles, reports, or other published materials you have written.

The Caribbean Writer, 2 poems published, 1995
Master's Thesis, New York University, 1999

SECTION III: CHARACTER

- 18.** Have you ever been the subject of a grand jury, police, and department of justice or any legally constituted government authority, investigation anywhere or at anytime?
☐ YES ☒ NO

If your answer is yes, please explain with details including date and location. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

- 19.** Have you ever been arrested in any geographical location for any offense, including traffic violations? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain with details including offense, date of location and disposition. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

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20. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor? ☐ YES ☒ NO
If yes, please explain with details including offense, date, location, and current status. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

21. Is there now or has there ever been a judgment entered against you? ☐ YES ☒ NO
If the answer is yes, please explain with details on date, location and disposition or current status. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

22. Have you ever been a respondent in any labor dispute or discrimination proceeding?
☐ YES ☒ NO

If the answer is yes, please explain with details on date, location and disposition or current status. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

23. Have you ever been named as a party in any hearing, administrative, civil, and criminal, including Equal Employment Opportunity or sexual harassment? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, please explain in detail, giving date, venue, agency, and the names of the other parties and the disposition. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

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24. Have you now or have you ever been a member of an organization or an associate of an individual advocating terrorism, overthrow of a government by force or the advocacy or subordination of any ethnic group or individuals? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If the answer is yes, please give details of dates, names of organizations, names of individuals and all pertinent circumstances. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

25. Do you know of any individual, organization or group, which can be expected to oppose your nomination? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If the answer is yes, please list the individuals, organizations or groups by name and give the details of your belief for their opposition. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

26. Do you have any outstanding and delinquent monetary obligations to the Government of the Virgin Islands or any other public or private entity, including but not limited to, personal income taxes, business taxes, real property taxes (commercial or residential), business license renewals, trade name renewals, annual reporting fees, professional organization dues, child support, judgments, debt

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Government of the Virgin Islands, includes but is not limited to the following departments, agencies and instrumentalities: the Bureau of Internal Revenue, Tax Assessor, Department of Justice Division of Paternity and Child Support, Board of Education, Economic Development Authority, U. S. Small Business Administration, Small Business Development Center, Police Department, Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs, the Water and Power Authority, the Waste Management Authority, Department of Health, Department of Human Services

☐ YES ☒ NO

If the answer is yes, please attach a detailed explanation of what outstanding and delinquent monetary obligations are owed, the reason for the delinquency, and the intended plan to bring the matter current.

SECTION IV: CONFLICT OF INTEREST

27. Please explain your understanding of "Conflict of Interest" as it applies to the position to which you have been nominated to serve the People of the Virgin Islands.

The inability to objectively make a decision due to a fiduciary or familial relationship that supersedes the duty to the public in general.

28. Do you own a business or real estate, or are you a partner or shareholder or affiliated in any way to sell or provide goods or services to the Virgin Islands Government?

☐ YES ☒ NO

If the answer is yes, please explain and give the name and location of these interest(s) and how you promise to remove yourself from any possible conflict. [Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary, and reference this question number]

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29. Does any close relative or spouse have a business or real estate interest(s) as described in question 25? ☐ YES ☒ NO

If the answer is yes, please explain and give the name and location of these Interest(s) and how you propose to remove yourself from any possible conflict. (Attach additional sheet(s), if necessary.)

SECTION V: JOB PERFORMANCE

30. In no more than 150 words, please outline in priority order your four (4) specific short-term and four (4) specific long-term goals and objectives you would employ to achieve the entity's purpose and improve its service delivery system if your nomination is confirmed for this position.

Thoroughly understand the rules governing the HPC
Enforce current decisions/rulings by the HPC and/or review past rulings for needed corrections
Engage with other government agencies, namely the Dept of Justice, to seek redress in instances where the HPC's rules have been ignored
Engage with the public to educate, inform and demonstrate the value of our built heritage
Give HPC more enforcement powers
Find creative ways to assist property owners who lack the financial means to preserve and protect their historic properties
Engage with other community stakeholders to find ways to promote our built heritage as a valuable resource
Promote the invaluable resources that HPC has and its willingness to share those resources

31. Is there any additional information that you believe would assist the Committee on Rules and the Judiciary in processing your nomination expeditiously?

Our built heritage needs dedicated individuals. We see the results of neglect and our community deserves an organization that is mobilized and equipped to provide resources to the community to address the degradation of this important built heritage.

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CERTIFICATION:

This is to certify and affirm that all the statements contained herein and in any supporting documents or schedules or other such supporting documents or schedules executed at a later date as a part or addendum to this document are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and are made in good faith.

Signed this 23rd day of April 2026

CARYN HODGE

Nominee's Name (Print Clearly)



Signature of Nominee

Sworn and subscribed before me this 23rd day of April, 2026



Notary Public of the U.S. Virgin Islands

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My commission expires: June 8, 2029



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**SIGNATURE, CERTIFICATION AND AUTHORIZATION
FOR
RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

Please read the following very carefully before you sign this document.

1. I understand that the information given in this Questionnaire will be investigated under all applicable laws.
2. I understand that any false statement on any part of this Questionnaire can be grounds for rejecting the confirmation of my nomination.
3. I hereby consent and authorize the release of information on my character, background, ability, financial indebtedness and fitness to serve the residents of the United States Virgin Islands by all government departments and agencies, especially the **Bureau of Internal Revenue, Tax Assessor, Department of Justice Division of Paternity and Child Support, Board of Education, Economic Development Authority, U. S. Small Business Administration, Small Business Development Center, Police Department, Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs**, if applicable, employers, schools, all law enforcement agencies, and all other individuals and organizations, which may be deemed necessary, to authorized Committee on Rules and the Judiciary investigators, its staff and any other authorized employees of the Virgin Islands Government as may be required.

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Signed this 23rd day of April, 2026

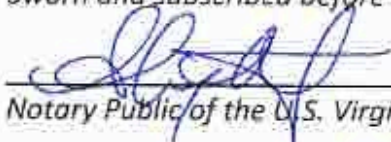
CARYN HODGE

Nominee's Name [Print Clearly]



Signature of Nominee

Sworn and subscribed before me this 23rd day of April, 2026



Notary Public of the U.S. Virgin Islands

My commission expires: June 8, 2029

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ALIYA MESSER
Notary Public
St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands
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My Commission Expires June 8, 2029