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**CERTIFICATE OF VOTE
ARTICLE 27**

**Amend Town Charter, Part IV Section 4-1, Town Manager Screening Committee
2017 Fall Annual Town Meeting
Third and Final Session – Monday, October 23, 2017**

I, Patricia E. Dzuris, Town Clerk of Chelmsford, Massachusetts, do hereby certify the following vote taken under Article 27 at the third and final session of the 2017 Fall Annual Town Meeting held at the Chelmsford Senior Center 75 Groton Road, Chelmsford, MA 01863. The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by Moderator Jon H. Kurland. There were 116 members present which satisfied a quorum requirement of 82.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L. c. 43B, §10 and Section 7-1 of the Town Charter, to amend the Town Charter, Part IV, relative to the Town Manager, specifically Section 4-1 relative to the Appointment, Qualifications, Term of Office, by inserting the underlined text to the last sentence thereof as follows: “The board of selectmen shall appoint a screening committee that shall include selectmen and town residents to assist in the recruitment and selection of the town manager.”
; or act in relation thereto.

MOTION UNDER ARTICLE 27. I move that the Town, pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L. c. 43B, §10 and Section 7-1 of the Town Charter, amend the Town Charter, Part IV, relative to the Town Manager, Section 4-1 relative to the Appointment, Qualifications, Term of Office, by inserting therein the following underlined text in the last sentence thereof: “The board of selectmen shall appoint a screening committee that shall include selectmen and town residents to assist in the recruitment and selection of the town manager.”.

SUBMITTED BY: Board of Selectmen, 2/3 vote required

Recommendations:

Board of Selectmen: 4 - 0 unanimous approval

Finance Committee: No Action

The electronic voting devices recorded the following votes:

YES: 121 NO: 0 ABSTENTIONS: 1

MOTION UNDER ARTICLE 27: Carries by unanimous consent

Patricia E. Dzuris