UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

ELISA W., by her next friend, Elizabeth Barricelli, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

15 Civ. 5273 (LTS) (SLC)

-against-

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, et al.,

Defendants.

NOTICE AND [PROPOSED] ORDER FOR WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, upon the annexed declaration of Luke X. Flynn-Fitzsimmons, and subject to the approval of the Court, Luke X. Flynn-Fitzsimmons hereby withdraws as counsel for Intervenors Brooklyn Defender Services, The Bronx Defenders, Center for Family Representation, Inc., and Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem (the "Parent Advocate Intervenors"), and shall be removed from the Case Management/Electronic Case Files (CM/ECF) notification list in the above-captioned matter. Audra J. Soloway of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP will continue to represent the Parent Advocate Intervenors in this proceeding.

Dated: New York, New York March 4, 2020

The Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to terminate Attorney Luke Xavier Flynn-Fitzsimmons' appearance as attorney for Intervenors Brooklyn Defender Services, The Bronx Defenders, Center for Family Representation, Inc., and Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem.

SO ORDERED: 3/5/2020

Sarah L Cave

United States Magistrate Judge

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DECLARATION OF LUKE X. FLYNN-FITZSIMMONS

I am an associate at the law firm of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, counsel for Intervenors Brooklyn Defender Services, The Bronx Defenders, Center for Family Representation, Inc., and Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem (the "Parent Advocate Intervenors"). I submit this declaration in compliance with Local Rule 1.4 to notify the Court that I am withdrawing as counsel because I am leaving the employ of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP.

2. Audra J. Soloway of the law firm of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP will continue to represent the Parent Advocate Intervenors in this proceeding.

- 3. My withdrawal will not delay the matter or prejudice any party.
- 4. I am not retaining a charging lien.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: New York, New York March 4, 2020

Luke X. Flynn-Fitzsimmons

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on March $\frac{1}{4}$, 2020, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing to be served upon all parties to this litigation via the CM/ECF system, and upon the following via Federal Express:

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