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Village of Hempstead Appoints New Village Justice and Associate Village Justice

Village of Hempstead Mayor Wayne J. Hall and the Board of Trustees appointed Tanya Hobson-Williams as Village Justice and Miguel A. Alverado as Associate Village Justice earlier this week.

“We are happy to announce that Tanya and Miguel have joined our Village team,” stated Mayor Wayne Hall. “With the help of all employees, we will continue to improve the Village.”

A graduate of Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, Judge Hobson-Williams expects to obtain her masters’ degree in labor and policy studies from Empire State College in June 2009. Judge Hobson-Williams was admitted to the New York State Bar in 1996. Judge Hobson-Williams joins the Village with over 15 years of prior legal experience. Among her most recent positions, she has served as a Deputy Director at the New York City Department of Education, as well as a hearing officer for the same agency. Judge Hobson-Williams for several years was an Administrative Law Judge for New York City’s Department of Finance where she adjudicated parking violation cases. Judge Hobson-Williams is a member of the Brooklyn Bar Association, Queens County Bar Association and Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts.

Judge Alverado obtained a bachelor degree in business administration from Loyola College of Maryland and his juris doctorate from Hofstra University School of Law in May of 1998. Judge Alverado was admitted to the New York State Bar in 1999. Judge Alverado joins the Village with about four years of experience as a partner at Mejias, Milgrim and Alvarado, P.C., and about six years prior experience as an associate attorney at the Law Offices of David L. Mejias & Associates, P.C. Judge Alvarado is president of the Nassau County Chapter of the Long Island Hispanic Bar Association and a member of the Nassau County Bar Association, New York State Trial Lawyers Association and New York State Bar Association.