RESOLUTION NO. 2009-137-1082

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, RATIFYING COUNCILMAN ANDRE' WILLIAMS' APPOINTMENT OF ANEEL MAHARAJ TO THE CARIBBEAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE FOR A TWO-YEAR TERM; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City established a Caribbean Affairs Board in accordance with Ordinance No. 2009-11-183, and

WHEREAS, Councilman Andre' Williams has appointed Aneel Maharaj to the Caribbean Affairs Advisory Committee, and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Ordinance No. 2009-11-183, it is appropriate for the City Council to ratify the appointment,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS: The foregoing Whereas paragraphs are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2: RATIFICATION OF APPOINTMENT: The City Council hereby ratifies Councilman Andre' Williams's appointment of Aneel Maharaj to the Caribbean Affairs Committee for a two-year term.

Section 3: EFFECTIVE DATE: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS AT ITS REGULAR MEETING HELD ON JUNE 22, 2009.

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SHIRLEY GIBSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

RONETTA TAYLOR, MMC, CITY CLERK

Prepared by SONJA KNIGHTON DICKENS, ESQ.
City Attorney

SPONSORED BY: Councilman Andre' Williams

MOVED BY: Vice Mayor Watson
SECOND BY: Councilman Gilbert

VOTE: 6-0

Mayor Shirley Gibson	X (Yes)	____(No)
Vice Mayor Barbara Watson	X (Yes)	____(No)
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton	X (Yes)	____(No)
Councilman Aaron Campbell	X (Yes)	____(No)
Councilman Andre' Williams	X (Yes)	____(No)
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett	___(Yes)	____(No)(not present)
Councilman Oliver Gilbert	X (Yes)	____(No)

1515 NW 167 Street, Building 5 Suite 200
Miami Gardens, Florida 33169

City of Miami Gardens
Agenda Cover Memo

Council Meeting Date:	July 22, 2009		**Item Type:**	**Resolution**	**Ordinance**		**Other**	
				X				
Fiscal Impact:	**Yes**	**No**	**Ordinance Reading:**		**1st Reading**		**2nd Reading**	
		X	**Public Hearing:**		**Yes**	**No**	**Yes**	**No**
					X			
Funding Source:	N/A		**Advertising Requirement:**		**Yes**		**No**	
							X	
Contract/P.O. Required:	**Yes**	**No**	**RFP/RFQ/Bid #:**					
		X						
Sponsor Name	**Andre Williams, Councilman**		**Department:**		*Mayor/Council*			

Short Title:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, CONFIRMING COUNCILMAN ANDRE WILLIAMS' APPOINTMENT OF ANEEL MAHARAJ TO THE CARIBBEAN ARRAIRS COMMITTEE FOR A TWO YEAR TERM; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Staff Summary:

In accordance with the establishment of the Caribbean Affairs Committee, Councilman Andre Williams hereby submits his appointee for membership in accordance with Ordinance No. 09-11-183, Section (2). Effective upon ratification, the committee will recognize Aneel Maharaj as an appointee of Councilman Williams.

The appointed members of the Committee will advise and make recommendations to the City Council on issues relating to Caribbean and persons of Caribbean descent, including: preserve and enhance the Caribbean culture within the City; promote greater appreciation and awareness of the culture amongst the population of the City; recommend social and cultural activities with a Caribbean focus and assist with the implementation of those activities at the direction of the City Council.

Proposed Action:

That the City Council approves Councilman Williams' appointment of Aneel Maharaj to the Caribbean Affairs Committee.

Attachment:

Attachment A: Board/Committee application.

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CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS
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CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS BOARD/COMMITTEE APPLICATION

1515 NW 167th Street, Bldg. 5, Suite 200
Miami Gardens, FL 33169

Phone No. 305-622-8000
Fax No. 305-622-8001

1. **Position sought:** CARIBBEAN AFFAIRS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

2. **Name:** ANEEL MAHARAJ
(Please print)

3. **Home Address:** 1271 NW 178TH TERRACE

4. **Business Address:** N/A

5. **Employer (if self please state):** BALLY TECHNOLOGIES INC.

   a. **Job Title:** SUPERVISOR MATERIAL CONTROL
   b. **Nature of business:** GAMING INDUSTRY

6. **Home Phone No.** 305 624 4058 **Business Phone No.** 954 864 6185
   Fax No. 954-885-0892

7. **E-mail Address:** NEEL322@HOTMAIL.COM

8. **Education Background:**

   a. **High School**
   Name of School EL SOLORIO HANDY **Dates of Attendance** 1965-1971

   b. **Vocational School**
   Name of School ITT TECHNICAL **Dates of Attendance** 00-02

   c. **College**

   Name of College QUEEN'S ROYAL **Dates of attendance** 1971-76

   Degree obtained if any ASEET.

   Please provide a copy of your Resume or CV along with this Application.

9. **Community Service (attach additional sheets if necessary):**
   CRIME WATCH OF SCOTT LAKE - MIAMI GARDENS

10. **Please state your qualifications for position sought (attach additional sheets if necessary):**

11. **Are you aware of any potential or real conflicts of interest that would prevent you from serving on a City board or committee? If so, please state the nature of the real or potential conflict:**

NONE

12. **Are you employed by the City?** Yes____ No____

13. **Are you employed by the Mayor or any of the Council members in their private capacities?** NO

14. **Are you a resident of the City?** Yes____ No ____

15. **Do you own a business in the City?** Yes ____ No____

If yes, please state the name of the business: N/A
Is this business a vendor with the City Yes____ No____

16. **Do you operate a business in the City?** Yes____ No____

If yes, please state the name of the business: N/A
Is this business a vendor with the City Yes____ No____

17. **Ethnic Origin:**

White Non-Hispanic___ **African American** ___ **Hispanic American**___ **Other** TRINIDIAN AMERICAN

18. **If there are no vacancies for the board or committee position sought, I would also be interested in serving on the following board(s)/committee(s):**

Second choice _____ **Third choice** _____

Fourth choice _____ **Fifth choice** _____

I certify that the information contained in this Application is true and accurate.

Signature _____ **Date** 6/8/09
Applicant

THIS APPLICATION WILL REMAIN ON FILE FOR ONE YEAR

Aneel Maharaj

1271 NW 178 Terrace
Miami Gardens, FL 33169
(305) 624 – 4058
Neel322@hotmail.com

OBJECTIVE

To be the best at any given task that enhances the production of any company.

CERTIFICATION

Associate Electronics Technician, Copy Technician, IGT Associate Technician, Customer Service, Handling Conflicts in the Workplace, Stress Management, Teams that Succeed

EDUCATION

ITT Technical Institute, Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Associate Degree in Electronic Engineering Technology - Graduated – March 2002

Queen's Royal College, Port-of-Spain, Trinidad
Cambridge Certification in Math, English and History – Graduated – June 1976

QUALIFICATIONS

- Twenty-Eight (28) Years of Technical Service Experience
- Ten (10) years of Managerial Experience

WORK HISTORY

Bally Technology, Inc., Miramar, Florida 09/2007 – Present
Supervisor Material Handling
- Office, Warehouse and project Management of Gaming devices.

Norwegian Cruise Line, Miami, Florida 05/2003 – 09/2007
Fleet Technical Manager, Casino Operations
- Training, Evaluation and management of all Technical staff and issues to completion.

Teletrac Inc., Tamarac, Florida 02/2001 – 03/2002
Installation Service Representative
- Programmed, repaired and installed vehicle location units (GPS)

Copyco Inc., Deerfield Beach, Florida 02/1999 – 02/2001
Field Service Technician
- Installed and repaired Toshiba business machines

SmithKline Beecham Clinical Laboratories, Miramar, Florida 08/1990 – 06/1998
Dispatcher/Customer Service Representative
- Dispatched 70 drivers over tri-county area and classroom training of drivers to OSHA regulation.

REFERENCES

Available upon request