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Greetings President Bumpers, NOBLE Executive Board, and Staff,

It is with continued pride that I join you again to serve on our NOBLE National Board as the NOBLE National Associate Member Representative! I am thankful to our Associate Members for their vote of confidence demonstrated in my re-election, and I am grateful to you and our Board Members of 2017-2018, for the mentoring and support provided. We were able to ensure that the Assessment Center Training was brought back and going forward, is a mandate for our Annual NOBLE National Training & Exhibition Conferences. The request for Constitutional changes that would provide an effort to maintain fluidity in the development and resolution to National Board concerns, and the concerns of Associate Members, were overwhelmingly approved by the NOBLE Membership at Large, and are now memorialized in our NOBLE Constitution and By-Laws. Most notably, we requested consideration be given to an Associate Member to serve as Chair of a NOBLE National Committee. Thank you, President Bumpers, for continuing in Immediate Past President Cox support of increasing the role for NOBLE Associate Members, and in that support, appointing not one, but two Associate Members: Dr. Sophie Charles and Tonya Cauley-Scott, as Chairs on NOBLE National Committees.

There is still work to be done. Chaplain Bledsoe's energizing prayer during the 2018 Inaugural Gala, continues to resonate, and we are excited to turn the pages into the season of this Administration.

Attached please find brief descriptions of work that has been accomplished during the first two months as Associate Member Representative.

Thank you for your continued support in trainings and opportunities that prepare NOBLE Associate Members to become the next generation of Leaders!

Sincerely,

Michelle Tégé

NOBLE National
Associate Member Representative
"NOBLE Associate Members: The Next Generation of Leaders!"

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NOBLE National Associate Member Representative
NOBLE National Executive Board Report
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The following Associate Members have volunteered to serve on NOBLE National Committees:

Felicia Cross – Washington State Chapter Linda Simmons – NY Chapter Aaron King – NNJ Chapter Robert Littlejohn – NNJ Chapter Wanda Harrison – NY Chapter	Collegiate Committee
Kenya Bolden – NY Chapter	Education and Training Committee
Barry Argus – NY Chapter	Civil Rights Committee
Kim Nelson-Edwards – NNJ Chapter Georges L. Destin, Sr. – NNJ Chapter Karen Smith-Moore – NY Chapter Mary Woods – NY Chapter	Retiree Committee
John Nedd – NY Chapter	Constitution & By-Laws Committee
Primrose Housen – NY Chapter Michelle Tégé – NY Chapter	International Committee

Thank you Committee Chairs: Chief Bryant, Chief Hawkins, and Mr. Fonseca, for purposefully reaching out to Associate Members to participate on your Committees. I thank all Committee Chairs for the work you are doing.

August 2018:

- Time was spent at the Brower Park, Brooklyn site for National Night Out Against Crime, where NOBLE Law and Your Community pamphlets were distributed.
- Participated in a Community event hosted by NYPD Patrol Borough Brooklyn North, where the NOBLE NY Chapter collaborated with other Organizations and Businesses to provide an afternoon of sports and refreshments to Community Youth and Residents. During this event a relationship was developed with Mr. Joseph Armenio, of the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU). Mr. Armenio expressed interest in partnering with NOBLE. A conference call was conducted on September 24, 2018, with Mr. Crawford, Mr. Armenio and AMR, to briefly discuss what the partnership may entail. Mr. Armenio, and AAU Representatives will be meeting with President Bumpers, ED Crawford, and Executive Board Members for further discussion while in Orlando, Florida.
- While in London, England, visited with UK NOBLE Members Patricia Gallan and Robyn Williams.

September 2018:

- Fellowshiped with NOBLE Members during birthday celebration for NOBLE Member Carolyn Williams, in Cleveland, Ohio.
- Supported NOBLE Connecticut Chapter Scholarship Fundraiser, and shared conversation with Chapter President regarding Membership Drive with focus on increasing Associate Members in his Chapter.
- Associate Member Representative Teleconference: Discussed National Committees; Current and Upcoming Events. Guests included Executive Director Dwayne Crawford and Financial Secretary Chief Wayne Harris
- Attended movie screening of “Monsters and Men”. A provocative film which incorporated simulated events that occurred in NYC, and the responses from the perspectives of witness, police and community resident.

October 2018:

Anticipate attending:

- NOBLE Career Enhancement Day, sponsored by the NYPD (a relationship has been developed with FIRSTNET/AT&T NY/NJ Manager Mr. Abicar Gonzales);
- NOBLE National Executive Board Meeting/IACP Annual Conference;
- NOBLE Eastern North Carolina Chapter Inaugural Event;
- Southern Burlington County NAACP 8th Annual Freedom Fund Awards Gala, where NOBLE Northern New Jersey Chapter President, Jiles Ship will be honored.

Old Business:

- Annual NOBLE Conference Awards Luncheon:
 - Order of program events
 - Awards distributed (purchase duplication)
 - Conference Reproduction Room: Resources
- Status of NOBLE National website regarding Associate Members/Federal Sector
- Assimilating Chapter Level Associate Member Representative on Chapter Board

New Business:

- NOBLE National Membership Marketing Video
- NOBLE National Email streamline of volume
- CEO Symposium Associate Member Track