



# NATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF BLACK LAW ENFORCEMENT EXECUTIVES

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Greetings President Clarence E. Cox, III, and Distinguished NOBLE Executive Board,

*National Second Vice President*  
**CERELYN J. DAVIS**  
Chief of Police  
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Serving on our NOBLE National Executive Board continues to be a labor of love! It has been a blessed privilege to once again travel to Region Training Conferences, sharing time with Region I, Region VI, Region IV, and Region II; and to have participated in local Region One events to include social (Prom Giveaway) and political (Marijuana issues in NYC) concerns.

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This is also the time when a concerted effort was made to distribute the Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Associate Member of the Year Award application, and the Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Memorial Scholarship Award application. Thank you to Ms. Heidi Ashley, the Region Vice-Presidents, Chapter Presidents, and the Chapter Associate Member Representatives, who got the word and applications out. A total of eight (8) applications were received for the Associate Member of the Year Award, and one (1) application was received for the Memorial Scholarship Award.

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**MICHELLE I. TÉGÉ**  
Detective  
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As we work through the fourth quarter of this current term, I remain enthusiastic regarding the future of NOBLE, and encouraged by the work Associate Members are doing in the name of NOBLE, and their respective Agencies/Departments. I am also prayerful that during our time together, we, the NOBLE National Board, are able to successfully complete the work of addressing the financial obligations and/or concerns, that may be outstanding for any NOBLE Employee.

*Region One Vice President*  
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Deputy Assistant Director (Retired)  
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The following pages outline the work and activity accomplished end of March 2018 through early June 2018, as well as projections for the final quarter of this term. Please feel free to share your thoughts regarding same.

*Special Assistant to the National President*  
**U. RENE HALL**  
Chief of Police  
Dallas, TX Police Department

Sincerely,

*Special Assistant to the National President*  
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Managing Associate  
Moore & Associates Security Consultants, LLC

Michelle Tégé  
NOBLE  
Associate Member Representative  
“NOBLE Associate Members: The Next Generation of Leaders!”

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Department of Health & Human Services/OIG

*National Chaplain*  
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Investigations Chief  
Department of Juvenile Justice

NOBLE Region Vice-Presidents continue to remain supportive, assisting with my request in identifying and requesting, through their Chapter Presidents, the assignment of a volunteer to serve as a Chapter Level Associate Member Representative. As NOBLE National continues to update the website this option offers an additional means to distribute information to Associate Members. The goal remains to have a Chapter Associate Member Representative in each Chapter, where applicable. The following Associate Members are currently serving:

Region I

Det. Kim Nelson-Edwards	Northern NJ Chapter
Capt. Shanese Williams*	NY Chapter
Sgt. Geneviève LeGault	Montréal Chapter

Region II

Sgt. Bryant K. Hall	Hampton Roads, Virginia Chapter
Dr. Kylie Parrotta	Delaware Chapter
Sgt. Latriviette Young	Northern Virginia Chapter
Ret. Det. Jill Rustin	Pittsburg Chapter

Region III

Sgt. Viola Judon	South Florida Chapter
Insp. Meschelle Pittman	North Florida Chapter
Officer Stephanie Pridgen	Atkins Warren Chapter
Cpl. Nicolette Vassal	Jamaica Chapter

Region IV

P.O. Nicole Drayton	Greater Cleveland Chapter
Sgt. Nichelle Fraction	Chicago Chapter

Region V

PO Verna Jones	Louisiana Chapter
Cpl. Congalona Kersh	Baton Rouge Middle District Chapter

Region VI

Vernel Ross-Mullin	Central Valley Chapter
Ofr. Kathy Williams	Southern California Chapter
Sharon Kidd	San Francisco Bay Chapter

**MARCH 2018:**

- Attended the Northern New Jersey Chapter Spring Fling Fund Raiser;
- Began distribution of Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Memorial Scholarship Award Application, which was also posted on the NOBLE National website, and the Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Associate Member of the Year Application.

**APRIL 2018:**

- Attended Region I Training Conference, Queens, NY;
- Attended Region VI Training Conference, Oakland, Ca.;
- Attended Region IV Training Conference, Springfield, Il.;
- Attended Region II Training Conference, Harrisburg, Pa.;

**APRIL 2018 continued:**

- Attended NOBLE NY Chapter’s “Black and Blue” discussion panel held in historical Bethany Baptist Church, Bedford Stuyvesant, Brooklyn;
- Submitted my Letter of Intent and Candidacy Package for the position of NOBLE National Associate Member Representative 2018-2019.

**MAY 2018:**

- Teleconference Call with Team of Associate Members to create a Survey for Associate Members;
- Attended the NY Chapter Annual Scholarship Dinner and Dance;
- Participated in NY Chapter Cinderella/Prince Charming Free Prom Giveaway, held in collaboration with The Brooklyn Borough President’s Office, Merrick Financial, That Suits You, Denim Kids, “NYC Soul Patrol”, and “Lights That I Am” to provide prom attire at no cost to those in need;
- Attended Moms of Black Boys United, Inc. (M.O.B.B.) and NOBLE Event on “Law Enforcement and Our Sons”, where a presentation of The Law and Your Community was shared.

**JUNE 2018:**

- Anticipate attending a Town Hall Meeting hosted by NYC Council Members regarding the issue of marijuana in Southeast Queens, NY.

**AMR NOBLE TECHNOLOGY CONCERNS:**

- Current status of the recreation of the Associate Member landing page on the NOBLE website (What is the status?).

**AMR OLD BUSINESS:**

The following Associate Members expressed an interest in participating on the National level in the following Committees. Perhaps consideration for discussion to expand the number of Committee Members (as our organization grows) to include two additional NOBLE Members per Committee:

The following Associate Members have requested to and/or to continue to serve on a NOBLE Committee:

Kenya Bolden	Region I	Education and Training Committee
Clarise Bradley	Region I	Membership Committee
Timothy Caldwell	Region II	Conference Site Selection Committee
April Carter	Region VI	Membership Committee/ Education and Training
John Nedd	Region I	Civil Rights Committee/ Constitution Committee
Kim Nelson-Edwards	Region I	Membership Committee
Meschelle Pittman	Region III	Legislative Affairs Committee

Michelle Randall-Williams	Region I	Civil Rights Committee
Alan Taylor	Region I	Civil Rights Committee
Michelle Tégé	Region I	Education and Training Committee/ Membership Committee
Mary Woods	Region I	Nominations Committee

Associate Members expressed concern regarding Political Awareness and the role of Associate Members. In addition to local involvement, can we push out information as early as possible for encouragement of participation regarding the 2018 NOBLE Day on The Hill, and participation at the 2018 Congressional Black Caucus Foundation Conference.

Revisit of language for creation of a Chapter Associate Member Representative position on local Chapter Boards.

**AMR NEW BUSINESS:**

Associate Member Budget Proposal, with annual review and adjustments.

Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Memorial Scholarship Award, First Recipient:

- Brian Graham, NOBLE Chicago Metropolitan Chapter

Detective Rafaela A. Valdez Associate Member of the Year Award Candidates:

- Kenneth A. Bishop, Sr., Central Virginia Chapter (Associate Member of the Year)
- Denise “Cookie” Bouldin, Washington State Chapter
- Felicia Cross, Washington State Chapter
- Velma J. Hampton, Metro-Detroit Chapter
- Kim Nelson-Edwards, Northern New Jersey Chapter (Special Recognition)
- Kylie Parrotta, Delaware Chapter (Special Recognition)
- Stephanie Pridgen, Atkins Warren Chapter
- Caena Sanders, Chicago Metropolitan Chapter

Request for all Candidates to be seated together at a Reserved Table during Award Luncheon  
Request for funds/reimbursement towards RAV Associate Member of the Year Award, Special Recognition acknowledgements, Certificates for remaining Candidates and RAV Scholarship Recipient.

I look forward to discussion on the above information, as well as those that will move our Organization in a continued forward motion, that is reflective of thoughtful consideration to the membership and communities we endeavor to serve.

Respectfully submitted,

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