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STATE OF OHIO

Executive Department

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Columbus

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint Farxaan Jeyte, from Westerville, Franklin County, Ohio, as a Member of the New African Immigrants Commission for a term beginning December 22, 2023 and ending at the close of business October 7, 2026, replacing Ngalula S. Mubenga, whose term expired.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 22nd day of December in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty Three.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Mike DeWine", written over a horizontal line.

Mike DeWine
Governor

Farxaan Jeyte

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- Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Strategic vision and skills to drive change management, mission fulfillment, and operational outcomes
- Highly developed interpersonal skills and emotional intelligence
- Broad knowledge of industry acumen, entrepreneurship, and innovation
- Strong understanding of the political landscape and collaboration with civic leadership and partner organizations
- Skills in human resource development, team building, and performance management
- Adept at coalition building, relationship management, and negotiating complex agreements
- Exceptional communication skills in writing and orally with various stakeholders
- Possesses high standards of integrity, work ethic, trustworthiness, and personal responsibility

Experience:

10 years of successful experience in executive management and leadership positions within the private sector, demonstrating progressively greater responsibility

Professional Experience:

JPMorgan Chase (2002-2004)

Loan Officer Assistance - Orchestrated Home Loans

- Processed and pre-underwrote residential mortgage loans
- Maintained contact with external and internal customers to ensure workflow deadlines were met
- Assumed primary responsibility for loan files, communicating status to borrowers and loan originators, and managing to close dates
- Managed pipeline of conventional, government, and portfolio loans
- Evaluated loan documentation and cleared conditions
- Maintained high level of customer service through proactive communication
- Ensured accurate and timely loan data on processing system
- Actively participated in efforts to improve customer services

Dalmar TV (2011-2021)

- Worked in the control room during broadcasts, overseeing presentation and format changes
- Collaborated with Writers, Producers, Reporters, Anchors, and Directors on newscasts
- Supervised show producers and provided direction, coordination, and evaluation
- Performed tasks related to live, pre-recorded, studio, and field production
- Conducted interviews and recruited, trained, and evaluated freelance vendors
- Identified ways to increase productivity
- Demonstrated strong interpersonal, communication, and collaborative skills

Vice President of Somali American Chamber of Commerce

Responsible for the overall performance of the Chamber's membership activities, including acquisition, stewardship, and retention.

- Directs activities of Chamber of Commerce to promote business, industrial and job development, and civic improvements in the community
- Oversees and assesses the line-up, schedule, design, implementation, budget, and structure for the Chamber's programs and events
- Represents the Chamber on public policy issues at various levels
- Develops platforms, messaging, advocacy channels, and strategic relationships

Education:

Ohio Dominican University

GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Appointment Date: 12/22/2023

Name of Appointee: Farxaan Jeyte

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Term Begins: 10/8/2023

Term Ends: 10/7/2026

Party Affiliation Republican

Senate Confirmation: Appointed by the Governor, confirmed by the Senate

Financial Disclosure: Confidential disclosure required

Vice: Ngalula S. Mubenga

