February 27, 2022

Representative K. Joseph Shekarchi Speaker of the House State House Room 323 Providence, RI 02903

Dear Speaker Shekarchi:

The Board of Elections held a meeting on February 15, 2024 to discuss and vote upon legislation recently submitted during the 2024 Legislative session. The legislation H-7447 was submitted by the Office of the Secretary of State. H-7447 Relating to Criminal Offenses – Threats and Extortion sponsored by Representatives Dawson, McGaw, Shanley, O'Brien, McEntee, Noret, Craven and Caldwell was discussed and the Board voted unanimously to support the bill.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

Miguel J. Nunez Executive Director

**Rhode Island Board of Elections**