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LOS ANGELES BOARD OF HARBOR COMMISSIONERS ELECTS OFFICERS

SAN PEDRO, Calif. – S. David Freeman was elected President and Jerilyn López Mendoza, Vice President, of the newly appointed Los Angeles Board of Harbor Commissioners at their first meeting last night.

S. David Freeman has a 30-year record as board member and manager of many of America's largest publicly owned businesses. He has served as general manager of large public power agencies for two decades, including the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, from 1997 to 2001.

Jerilyn López Mendoza is the policy director of the Environmental Justice Project Office of Environmental Defense in Los Angeles. Prior to joining Environmental Defense five years ago, López Mendoza worked in private practice as a litigator.

The other members of the Los Angeles Board of Harbor Commissioners are: Kaylynn L. Kim, an attorney and president of Kaylynn L. Kim & Associates specializing in business litigation and employment relations; Douglas P. Krause, executive vice president and general counsel in the Los Angeles office of East West Bank; and Joseph R. Radisich, is a San Pedro native and a crane operator at the Port of Los Angeles who serves as president of the Southern California District Council of the International Longshore and Warehouse Union (ILWU) and vice president of the Los Angeles County Federation of Labor.

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