4th Annual
Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month Celebration
Multi-Cultural Program and Presentation of Awards
May 12, 2012 at Charles B. Wang Center Theater

4:30 PM PROGRAM

Color Guards .............................................................. United States Volunteers of America

National Anthem .................................................. Ms. Soh Young Lee-Segredo/AAAB Youth Orchestra

Folk Dance & Bangla Classic Dance (Bangladesh) ...................... Jenny, Tisha, Lisha, Choytali and Tashnia

Opening Remarks .................................................. Ramon Villongco, AAAB & 2012 APAHM Chair

Introduction of Guest Speaker..., Mr. Roderick A. Pearson, Executive Director Youth Bureau/Human Services

Welcome Remarks .................................................. Mr. Samuel Chu, Commissioner, Suffolk County Department of Labor

Presentation of Distinguished Awards .................................. Jim Yih-Jin Young, Ph.D., Emeritus Chair

Traditional Fan Dance (Japan) ........................................ Mrs. Mieko Takahashi, Ichifuji-kai Dance Association

“Polkabal” Folk Dance (Philippines) ..................................... Tanglaw Dance Group

Authentic Kung Fu Martial Arts (Taiwan) ................................ Shaolin Kung Fu Studio

Indian Classical “Kathak” Dance (India) .................................. Ms. Aditi Bhagwat

Zither Drum Dance (Vietnam) ........................................... Dr. Ngo Thanh Nhan and Trong Com Dance Group

Nepalese Mountain Folk Dance (Nepal) .............................. Ms. Kalpana Thapa and Pravin Chhetry

Vocal Soprano (China) .................................................... Ms. Lingyan Zhou, Soprano

Korean Zither Player (Korea) ........................................... Ms. Chaeyoung Lee

Gang Gang Sul Rae (Korea) ........................................... Long Island Korean Dance Company

Traditional Folk Dance (Thailand) ...................................... Thai Buddhist Sunday School

Closing Remarks .......................................................... Ms. Akie Naito-Gearn, AAAB Co-Chair

Erno John Hormillosa & Soh Young Lee-Segredo
Master-of-Ceremonies

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