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## RESOLUTION

## AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE MUNICIPAL SELF ASSESSMENT GUIDELINES

WHEREAS, pursuant to the State Planning Act, N.J.S.A. 52:18A-199 et seq. (the Act), duties of the State Planning Commission (the Commission) include the development and promotion of procedures to facilitate cooperation and coordination among State agencies, regional entities and local governments with regard to development of plans, programs and policies which affect land use, environmental, capital and economic development issues; and,

**WHEREAS,** pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:85-7.9(a) a Petitioner shall prepare a Self-Assessment Report and may use the document entitled "Municipal Template Report" as posted; and

**WHEREAS,** the current Self-Assessment Template was developed and approved in 2010 and requires an update to better reflect current conditions and land use planning requirements; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Office of Planning Advocacy, with input from State agency partners, presented a proposed revision to Municipal Self-Assessment Template to the Plan Implementation Committee at a public meeting duly advertised on February 26, 2020; and,

**WHEREAS,** after consideration and discussion and after input from the public, staff further updated the proposed revision; and,

**WHEREAS,** the Plan Implementation Committee approved the revisions and proposal to present to the Commission for approval, the attached Municipal Self-Assessment Template.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Commission approves the proposed Municipal Self-Assessment Template, to be posted on the Office of Planning Advocacy's website to be utilized effective immediately; and

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the members of the Commission and the Executive Director and staff of the Office for Planning Advocacy are hereby authorized and directed to take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate the implementation of this resolution.

I hereby certify that this resolution was duly adopted by the State Planning Commission At its meeting on March 4, 2020

Donne G Rendero

Donna Rendeiro, Secretary State Planning Commission

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