

## **Department of State**

## CERTIFICATE OF POLITICAL PARTIES

Trenton, New Jersey

I, Tahesha Way, Lt. Governor/Secretary of State, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:12-1, to qualify for political party recognition, a designated group must receive ten per centum (10%) of the total votes cast in the State for Members of the General Assembly; and that at the General Election of November 7, 2023, a total of 3,304,578 votes were cast for such office, of which 330,457 votes represent 10% of that total; and

IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED that those candidates with the designation "Democratic" received <u>1,804,047</u> votes, thereby the **Democratic Party** is recognized as a political party pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:12-1; and

IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED that those candidates with the designation "Republican" received <u>1,485,075</u> votes, thereby the Republican Party is recognized as a political party pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:12-1; and

**IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED** that no other political group met the 10% requirement to be recognized as a political party pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:12-1.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Official State Seal in Trenton, this Eleventh day of December 2023.

Tahesha Way

Lt. Governor/Secretary of State