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> Extension of 90-day review period of Articles 8, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 Re:

Wareham Annual Town Meeting of October 23, 2023

Case # 11191

Dear Attorney Bowen:

Pursuant to the requirements of G.L. c. 40, § 32, the Attorney General and Town Counsel are authorized to extend the 90-day period provided for the Attorney General's review of town by-laws for not more than an additional 90 days. This letter serves to satisfy the requirements of G.L. c. 40, § 32. In light of our need for time to further discuss the proposed by-laws' consistency with state law, we hereby jointly agree to extend the Attorney General's review period of Articles 8, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24 for an additional 45 days. Our decision on these will now be due on April 22, 2024.

Please sign this letter to reflect your agreement and return the signed letter to us. We will then file the letter with the Town Clerk, with a copy to you. Thank you for your accommodation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

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March 5, 2024

Date