



June 30, 2020

**Certificate Regarding Independent Registered Municipal Advisor**

By publicly posting the following written disclosure, the Port of Houston Authority of Harris County, Texas (“Port Houston”; the “Authority”) intends that market participants receive and use it for purposes of the Independent Registered Municipal Advisor exemption to the SEC Municipal Advisor Rule. Port Houston has retained independent registered municipal advisors and is represented by and will rely on its municipal advisors to provide advice on proposals from financial services firms concerning the issuance of municipal securities and municipal financial products for investment of certain bond proceeds.

Masterson Advisors LLC advises Port Houston on proposals related to the issuance of municipal securities secured by receipts of ad valorem taxes. This includes general obligation unlimited tax bonds and other related financial products. Additionally, Masterson Advisors LLC advises Port Houston on various credit facilities secured by the Authority’s operating revenues. The individuals who have primary responsibility for advising the Authority are Trey Cash and Tina Peterman.

PFM Financial Advisors LLC advises Port Houston on proposals related to the issuance of municipal securities secured by the Authority’s operating revenues; revenue bonds. The individuals who have primary responsibility for advising the Authority are Bruce Rideaux and David Miller.

This certificate supersedes one issued by Port Houston dated January 29, 2020 and may be relied upon until otherwise withdrawn by us.

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Sincerely,

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