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## CM CHIN EXPRESSES OUTRAGE OVER TREATMENT OF ASIAN AMERICAN ON OVERBOOKED UNITED FLIGHT 3411

CITY HALL – Council Member Margaret S. Chin issued the following statement after video was released showing Dr. David Dao being forcibly ejected from his seat on United Flight 3411 in Chicago on Sunday:

"Like so many others, I am shocked by the treatment of Dr. Dao, an Asian-American who was violently dragged from his airline seat. The conduct of United Airlines and the police officers involved is unacceptable. An apology to Dr. Dao is not enough. I join Asian-Americans and many others across our nation in calling for a full investigation into what happened, and for those responsible to be held accountable for their actions."