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## **STATEMENT FROM NEW YORK CITY COMPTROLLER SCOTT M. STRINGER ON THE PASSING OF NICHOLAS SCOPPETTA**

Nicholas Scoppetta served this City with integrity and distinction for nearly 55 years, and I am greatly saddened by the news of his passing. Mr. Scoppetta was a principled leader, both here and nationally, on issues ranging from the Knapp Commission investigating police corruption and the Watergate prosecutions in the 1960s and 70s to his more recent leadership of the New York City Fire Department and his stewardship of the Administration for Children's Services. Mr. Scoppetta exemplified the very best of this City. My heart goes out to his family and friends at this sad time.