IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVAD 1 2 3 4 In the Matter of 5 THE HONORABLE MICHELE FIORE, Justice of the Peace, Pahrump Township Justice Court, County of Nye, State of Nevada, 89037 6 CASE NO. 7 Respondent. 8 CERTIFIED COPY OF ORDER RESCINDING AND REINSTATING SUSPENSION OF 9 RESPONDENT FROM THE EXERCISE OF JUDICIAL OFFICE WITHOUT SALARY 10 Pursuant to Commission Procedural Rule 9(5), I hereby certify that the document attached 11 hereto is a true and correct copy of the ORDER RESCINDING AND REINSTATING SUSPENSION 12 OF RESPONDENT FROM THE EXERCISE OF JUDICIAL OFFICE WITHOUT SALARY filed with 13 14 the Nevada Commission on Judicial Discipline on April 14, 2025. DATED this 14th day of April, 2025. 15 16 STATE OF NEVADA 17 COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE P.O. Box 18123 18 Reno, NV 89511 (775) 687-4017 19 20 21 PAUL C. DEYHLE General Counsel and Executive Director 22 Nevada Bar No. 6954 23 24 25

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I hereby certify that I am an employee of the Nevada Commission on Judicial Discipline and that on the 14th day of April, 2025, I served a copy of the ORDER RESCINDING AND REINSTATING SUSPENSION OF RESPONDENT FROM THE EXERCISE OF JUDICIAL OFFICE WITHOUT SALARY by email addressed to the following:

PAOLA M. ARMENI, ESQ. CLARK HILL PLLC parmeni@clarkhill.com
Counsel for Respondent

By:

Nancy Schreihans, Commission Clerk

BEFORE THE NEVADA COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE STATE OF NEVADA

In the Matter of

THE HONORABLE MICHELE FIORE.

Court, County of Nye, State of Nevada,

Respondent.

Justice of the Peace, Pahrump Township Justice)

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CASE NO. 2024-ADM-02

ORDER RESCINDING AND REINSTATING SUSPENSION OF RESPONDENT FROM THE EXERCISE OF JUDICIAL OFFICE WITHOUT SALARY

On March 21, 2025, the Commission issued Respondent a Notice of Commission's Intent to Rescind and Reinstate Suspension of Respondent Without Salary ("Notice"), a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1. In accordance with the Notice, NRS 1.4675(5) and Commission Procedural Rule ("PRJDC") 9.6(C)(ii), Respondent notified the Commission in writing on March 25, 2025, and requested the opportunity to appear at a public hearing to respond.

On April 7, 2025, a public hearing was held via Simultaneous Audiovisual Transmission ("S.A.T.") utilizing the Zoom virtual platform and was available to the public live via YouTube. Pursuant to the Jury Verdict, which was filed in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada on October 3, 2024 (Case No.: 2:24-cr-00155-JAD-DJA-1), the jury found Respondent guilty of seven (7) felony counts under the laws of the United States as set forth in the Criminal Indictment filed against Respondent on July 16, 2024, as amended. Gia Marina, Esq., counsel for Respondent, presented Respondent's response to the Notice.

Therefore, in consideration of the unanimous Jury Verdict and Respondent's response to the Notice as presented by her counsel, and noting that Respondent has requested three continuances of the sentencing hearing in this matter, by unanimous vote of Commissioners Stefanie Humphrey

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1	(Chairwoman), John Krmpotic (Vice-Chair), Karl Armstrong, Esq. (Presiding Officer), Honorable
2	Kendra Bertschy (Justice of the Peace – Reno), Patricia Halstead, Esq., Joseph Sanford, and Honorable
3	Barbara Schifalacqua (Justice of the Peace – Henderson), and pursuant to NRS 1.4675(2)(b) and (5) and
4	PRJDC 9.6(C)(ii):
5	RESPONDENT'S SUSPENSION FROM THE EXERCISE OF JUDICIAL OFFICE WITHOUT SALARY IS RESCINDED AND IMMEDIATELY REINSTATED AS OF APRIL 15, 2025
6	The Commissioners above have authorized the Chairwoman of the Commission to sign this
7	Order Rescinding and Reinstating Suspension of Respondent from the Exercise of Judicial Office
8	Without Salary on its behalf. The Clerk of the Commission shall promptly file a certified copy of this
9	Order with the Clerk of the Nevada Supreme Court.
10	IT IS SO ORDERED.
11	DATED this 14 th day of April 2025.
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13	STATE OF NEVADA COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE
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BEFORE THE NEVADA COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE STATE OF NEVADA

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In the Matter of

THE HONORABLE MICHELE FIORE,
Justice of the Peace, Pahrump Township Justice)
Court, County of Nye, State of Nevada,

Respondent.

CASE NO. 2024-ADM-02

NOTICE OF COMMISSION'S INTENT TO RESCIND AND REINSTATE SUSPENSION OF RESPONDENT WITHOUT SALARY

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE on the 7th day of April, 2025, at 12:00 p.m., the Commission will hold a public hearing regarding rescinding and reinstating the suspension of Judge Michele Fiore from the exercise of judicial office, without salary, pursuant to NRS 1.4675(2)(b) and Commission Procedural Rule ("PRJDC") 9.6(C)(ii). The public hearing will be conducted via Simultaneous Audiovisual Transmission ("S.A.T.") utilizing the Zoom virtual platform and will be available to the public live via YouTube. The Zoom information will be distributed to parties at a later date, and the YouTube link for public viewing will be posted on the Commission's website (https://judicial.nv.gov/) under "Public Hearing Schedules" not less than 24 hours prior to the hearing.

On February 14, 2025, the Commission issued an Order Rescinding and Reinstating Suspension of Respondent from the Exercise of Judicial Office Without Salary pursuant to NRS 1.4675(2)(b) and PRJDC 9.6(C)(ii). Under NRS 1.4675(7), within 60 days after a decision by the Commission to suspend a judge, the Commission shall (a) have a formal statement of charges filed against the judge; (b) rescind the suspension; or (c) enter into a deferred discipline agreement with the judge pursuant to NRS 1.468.

Since the filing of a formal statement of charges is premature given Respondent's pending sentencing date scheduled for April 14, 2025, based on the Jury Verdict against Respondent filed in the United States District Court for the District of Nevada on October 3, 2024 (Case No. 2:24-cr-00155-JAD_DJA-1), and a deferred discipline agreement is not justified under NRS 1.468, the Commission must rescind the suspension of Respondent.

Pursuant to PRJDC 9.6(C)(ii), since "the circumstances justifying the Commission's previous decision to suspend the judge still exist after sixty days, the Commission may rescind and immediately reinstate the suspension but must hold a public hearing pursuant to NRS 1.4675(5) unless the judge waives the right to the hearing."

Accordingly, the Commission provides seven (7) days' notice of its intent to rescind and reinstate Respondent's suspension without salary and an opportunity to respond pursuant to NRS 1.4675(5) and PRJDC 9.6(C)(ii). You may respond in writing no later than 4:30 p.m., PST, on March 28, 2025, or by attending the hearing in person with or without counsel. You may also waive the hearing pursuant to NRS 1.4675(5) and PRJDC 9.6(C)(ii).

Please submit written responses to:

Paul C. Deyhle, General Counsel & Executive Director Nevada Commission on Judicial Discipline P.O. Box 18123 Reno, NV 89511 ncjdinfo@judicial.nv.gov

The clerk of the Commission shall immediately serve a copy of this Notice to Respondent's counsel via email.

DATED this 21st day of March, 2025.

STATE OF NEVADA COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE P.O. Box 18123 Reno, NV 89511

STEFANIE HUMPHREY COMMISSION CHAIR

	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
1	I hereby certify that I am an employee of the Nevada Commission on Judicial Discipline and
2	that on the 21st day of March, 2025, I served a copy of the NOTICE OF COMMISSION'S INTENT
3	TO RESCIND AND REINSTATE SUSPENSION OF RESPONDENT WITHOUT SALARY by
4	email and U.S. mail, addressed to the following:
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