## SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

DOCKET NO: ACJC 2018-255

IN THE MATTER OF

LILIA A. MUNOZ, :
JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT :

AFFIDAVIT OF CONSENT

R. 2:15-15A(b)

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

**COUNTY OF MERCER** 

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- 1. I am the named Respondent in this matter.
- 2. I have read the Stipulation of Discipline by Consent and agree with the facts set forth therein. The facts so alleged are true to the best of my knowledge.
- 3. I agree with Disciplinary Counsel's / Presenter's conclusion regarding my violations of the following Canons of the <u>Code of Judicial Conduct</u>:

Canon 1, <u>Rule</u> 1.1, which requires jurists to observe high standards of conduct so that the integrity and independence of the Judiciary may be preserved;

Canon 2, <u>Rule</u> 2.1, which requires jurists to avoid impropriety and the appearance of impropriety and to act at all times in a manner that promotes public confidence in the integrity and impartiality of the judiciary;

Canon 3, <u>Rule</u> 3.17(B), which requires jurists to disqualify themselves in proceedings in which their impartiality or the appearance of their impartiality might reasonably be questioned; and

Rule 1:12-1(g), which requires judges to disqualify themselves in proceedings in which there exists any reason that might preclude a fair and unbiased hearing and judgment, or which might reasonably lead counsel or the parties to believe so.

- 4. I freely and voluntarily consent to the proposed discipline of a public admonition to a public reprimand.
- 5. I know that I have the right to consult with counsel prior to executing this agreement, and I understand that, if I have not done so, I hereby waive that right by executing this agreement.
- 6. I am currently not under any disability, mental or physical, nor under the influence of any medication, intoxicants or other substances that would impair my ability to knowingly and voluntarily execute the Stipulation of Discipline by consent.
- 7. My consent is freely and voluntarily given and no person in the disciplinary system or otherwise has subjected me to coercion or duress.
- 8. The implications of submitting this consent are fully known to me.
- 9. I understand that this document will become a public record.

LILIA A. MUNOZ

Respondent

Sworn and subscribed to before me this  $15^{\mu}$  day of  $15^{\mu}$  day , 2020.

