STATE OF VERMONT PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY BOARD

In re: Melvin Fink, Esq.

PRB File No. 2021-018

SCHEDULING ORDER

The Hearing Panel in the above-captioned hereby issues the following Scheduling Order:

1. Requests for production of document shall be served by May 23, 2021 and

responses shall be served by June 24, 2021.

2. The parties shall exchange the names and addresses of all persons having

knowledge of relevant facts and/or of witnesses by May 14, 2021.

3. The parties shall disclose any expert witnesses by May 14, 2021.

4. All depositions shall be completed by June 27, 2021.

5. All discovery, including all discovery relating to the issue of sanctions, shall be

completed by July 10, 2021.

6. Any motion to amend the petition of misconduct shall be filed by July 10, 2021,

together with a memorandum setting forth the grounds for the motion.

7. Any and all other pre-hearing motions and supporting memoranda, including any

motions in limine, shall be filed by July 10, 2021.

8. Any objection by a party to the hearing panel conducting the merits hearing in this

matter remotely by video conferencing, together with a legal memorandum setting forth the

grounds for the objection, shall be filed by July 10, 2021.

9. On or before August 1, 2021, each party shall file: (a) a witness list identifying

each witness the party anticipates calling to testify during the merits hearing, along with an brief

summary of the witness's anticipated testimony, and an estimate of the amount of time that will

be needed for direct examination; (b) a list identifying each exhibit the party anticipates

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party stipulates to either authenticity or admissibility of the exhibit or both; and (c) for purposes of scheduling the merits hearing in this matter, a list of three dates in September 2021 when the parties, their respective counsel, and their witnesses are available to participate in the hearing.

10. The parties' estimate of the length of time needed for the merits hearing: one (1) day.

Dated: April 2, 2021

Hearing Panel No. 3

Gary F. Karnedy, Esq., Chair

Ashley Weld Taylor, Esq.,

Peter Zuk, Public Member