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STATE OF VERMONT BEFORE THE JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD

IN RE:
Judge Paul Kane

Docket No. 16.004

ORDER RE DATES CERTAIN FOR TRIAL

By stipulated Pretrial Order dated August 23, 2016 by Special Counsel and August 25, 2016 by Counsel for Respondent, the parties have agreed that this matter will be trial ready by March 15, 2017. By email correspondence dated December 16, 2016, Special Counsel advised this Board with dates for his availability for trial. No response was received from Respondent's Counsel.

On December 20, 2016 a Notice of Trial Dates was issued. Neither party has advised this Board of any concerns with the trial dates. Contained in that Notice was the following:

If any party or counsel have conflicts due to other Court commitments on these dates, please advise the Board in writing identifying specifically the docket number, court and nature of the conflict.

On January 4, 2017 a corrected Notice of Trial Dates was issued. The same language was contained in that Notice.

In accordance with the Pretrial Order and Notice of Trial Dates, the Judicial Conduct Board has arranged for courtroom space and the 3 Judges, 3 attorneys and 3 lay people on the Board have all arranged their calendars, including court calendars, to accommodate trial on March 20, 21 & 22, 2017. **In accordance with the stipulation of counsel and the prior Orders of this Board, no continuances of this trial will be granted except for unanticipated medical emergency.**

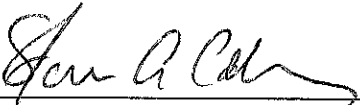
The parties are reminded that exhibits must be pre marked and provided to the Board by both hard copy and electronically no later than Monday, March 13, 2017. Additionally, Pretrial Memoranda and any stipulated facts must be filed on or before March 13, 2017.

February 1, 2017

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated at St. Johnsbury, Vermont this 1st day of February, 2017.

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