## STATE OF NEW YORK COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

In the Matter of the Proceeding Pursuant to Section 44, subdivision 4, of the Judiciary Law in Relation to

ROBERT M. BERLINER,

a Justice of the Supreme Court, 9<sup>th</sup> Judicial District, Rockland County.

DECISION AND ORDER

## THE COMMISSION:

Joseph W. Belluck, Esq., Chair Taa Grays, Esq., Vice Chair Honorable Fernando M. Camacho Jodie Corngold Honorable John A. Falk Honorable Angela M. Mazzarelli Honorable Robert J. Miller Marvin Ray Raskin, Esq. Ronald J. Rosenberg, Esq. Graham B. Seiter, Esq. Akosua Garcia Yeboah

**APPEARANCES:** 

Robert H. Tembeckjian (Mark Levine and Vickie Ma, Of Counsel) for the Commission

Scalise and Hamilton, P.C. (by Deborah A. Scalise) for Judge Berliner

The matter having come before the Commission on June 16, 2022; and the

Commission having before it the Stipulation dated June 8, 2022; and Judge

Berliner having tendered his resignation dated June 7, 2022 effective September 30, 2022; and having affirmed that after vacating his judicial office, he will neither seek nor accept judicial office at any time in the future, and having waived confidentiality as provided by Judiciary Law Section 45 to the extent that the Stipulation will become public upon being signed by the signatories and that the Commission's Decision and Order with respect thereto will become public; now, therefore, it is

DETERMINED, on the Commission's own motion, that the Stipulation is accepted and that the pending matter is concluded, by the terms of the Stipulation, subject to being revived according to the terms of the Stipulation; and it is

SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 16, 2022

Ćelia A. Zahner, Esq. Clerk of the Commission New York State Commission on Judicial Conduct