2 entered, you should have just written a check for

3 \$3,500.

- 4 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Easier said than done,
- 5 Judge.
- 6 THE COURT: All right.
- 7 MR. DiCLAUDIO: So I just wanted to
- 8 address the part where you think I'm being
- 9 disrespectful. There were dozens of calls to Mr.
- 10 Henry, and I wouldn't say the ball was dropped, but I
- just thought they were going to let it go, so to speak,
- when I didn't hear back for about a year when we tried
- 13 to settle the matter for, like, the 1,300 that I may or
- 14 may not have owed.
- So let's fast forward to them filing the
- 16 sanctions order, because you permitted me, even though
- 17 you told me not to, to give you a little bit of
- 18 background, and thank you for allowing me to do that,
- 19 sir.
- THE COURT: You're welcome.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: So now we'll go to where
- 22 they're sending me the notice. One of the -- I was on
- 23 the bench on all of the days you listed. I still have
- 24 seventeen vacation days left from this year. I'm a
- 25 diligent judge. I start at 9:00. I work all day. I

- 2 run what's called "the smart room." We have a hundred
- 3 cases a day. And I could have easily taken a day off.
- 4 Mr. Henry knew my phone numbers, my e-mail addresses,
- 5 and my address. He's sending it -- one of them went --
- 6 I moved chambers -- to my old chambers, I think.
- 7 THE COURT: How long have you been a
- 8 judge?
- 9 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm going on my fifth
- 10 year starting in January.
- 11 THE COURT: Wait, wait. So you
- 12 became a judge what year?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: '15.
- 14 THE COURT: 2015?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir. January 15th,
- 16 I believe.
- 17 THE COURT: Wait. And this judgment was
- 18 entered -- hold on. This judgment was entered
- 19 April 2016.
- 20 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Sent to somewhere else
- 21 other than me.
- THE COURT: Wait. April 2016.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct. If you see
- 24 where it was sent, Judge, it's not sent to me.
- THE COURT: And I think back then you

- 2 were making 175,000 a year.
- 3 MR. DiCLAUDIO: It's not the amount I'm
- 4 making. It's the knowledge that there was something, a
- 5 judgment against me. I have no idea, Judge. I know
- 6 that you think some kind of way we've already kind of
- 7 predisposed it. That's why I tried -- if I don't know
- 8 there's a judgment, how can I respond to it?
- 9 THE COURT: I know they're sending
- 10 letters to you at the justice center. I see it.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: We're talking '18.
- 12 THE COURT: Yeah.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: We're talking '16, '17,
- 14 they're sending every letter to Two Penn Center. No
- 15 suite number, not to my home, not to if everybody on
- 16 the planet knows I'm a judge. They're not sending it
- 17 to me.

- THE COURT: What court do you sit in?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Criminal court, sir. I
- 20 have never done a civil case in my life.
- 21 MR. SUPRENUK: Your Honor, can I just
- 22 point out that it's the Court that sends notices of
- 23 judgments also under Rule 236.
- 24 THE COURT: Yeah.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm saying I received no

- 2 notice until someone tells me --
- 3 THE COURT: Did you practice criminal
- 4 law before you became a judge?
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: That's all I did. I was
- 6 a prosecutor for four, defense attorney for 22 or
- 7 three.
- 8 THE COURT: So they put you in criminal
- 9 court since you've been a judge?
- 10 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir. And I run a
- 11 smart room.
- 12 **THE COURT:** That makes sense.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: For a change.
- 14 THE COURT: Yeah.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: So, one of the ways -- I
- 16 think the first time I found out --
- 17 THE COURT: Usually, they put new judges
- 18 in family court.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: They actually had me
- 20 running three different sections. I had a lot of
- 21 experience.
- 22 THE COURT: All right.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: So, one of the ways I
- 24 found out about this is someone was in the courtroom
- 25 and said you just had a judgment and they're talking

- 2 about your case. I'm on the bench. One of the lawyers
- 3 was in Montgomery County and came and told me, like,
- 4 after the fact. I'm like, what do you mean I have a
- 5 case? For which, I immediately called Mr. Henry
- 6 saying, I thought -- like, there was a period of time
- 7 that past.
- 8 If Your Honor thinks that I disrespected
- 9 Your Honor intentionally, I can assure you it wasn't.
- 10 If you think I should've been more diligent, then I'll
- 11 accept that responsibility. But to think that I didn't
- 12 come up here for any reason other than not having
- 13 knowledge or I think there was one time I went to ask
- 14 for a continuance and I think my secretary, which she
- 15 can come up and testify to, was suppose to continue the
- 16 case. But at all times when I found out about it, I
- 17 talked to Mr. Henry, and we thought we were going to
- 18 resolve this short of today.
- As a matter of fact, even yesterday, we
- 20 thought we were going to resolve when counsel, sitting
- 21 at bar, was suppose to send me a proposal. When I got
- 22 here, I'm like where's the proposal? He said I
- e-mailed it to you. I'm like I'm still waiting for it.
- 24 He said I sent it, and I still haven't received it.
- MR. SUPRENUK: We didn't even hear from

- 2 Mr. DiClaudio until yesterday afternoon.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Not true.
- MR. SUPRENUK: We hadn't heard a peep
- 5 from him before that.
- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Not true.
- 7 MR. SUPRENUK: Absolutely true.
- 8 THE COURT: Go ahead, Are you almost
- 9 done? Go ahead.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: (No response.)
- 11 THE COURT: Go ahead.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm thinking, Judge, how
- 13 I wanted to respond. I'm just taking a breath.
- 14 THE COURT: I didn't know. Go ahead.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I was taking a deep
- 16 breath, sir.
- 17 THE COURT: Go ahead.
- 18 Because you were about to interrupt him.
- 19 I don't want you to interrupt him.
- Go ahead.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: In sum, Your Honor,
- there was no disrespect meant to this Court.
- THE COURT: I understand.
- 24 MR. DiCLAUDIO: In addition to that, I
- 25 had a business when I was pre-judge. I owned a company

- 2 which bought and sold tickets to events nationally. I
- 3 had to divest myself from that when I became a jurist.
- 4 There was a contract dispute that has
- 5 been resolved and my house was involved in a sale,
- 6 stucco issue. There was a brief period, I called
- 7 Mr. Gracie, despited counsel, where I contemplated
- 8 filing for bankruptcy and eventually I did, which would
- 9 have stayed all the proceedings in or about the time
- 10 we're talking about, which counsel knew about. So, in
- and thereabout, I don't know if it's between two or
- 12 three or three and four for a period of a few months,
- 13 they weren't allowed -- from my understanding, I've
- 14 never done bankruptcy law -- not allowed to collect a
- 15 debt. And I thought the proceedings were stayed until
- 16 I resolved that matter. So there was a combination of
- 17 lack of service, a bankruptcy, and no knowledge at all.
- So, if Your Honor thinks it's
- 19 intentionally, why would I -- there was no money, so I
- 20 couldn't have given them a copy of my bank accounts,
- 21 which would've -- I had my daily, monthly pay, but
- there were no other assets. It wasn't like I was
- 23 hiding any. As a matter of fact, there was a
- 24 bankruptcy. There was negative assets. So it wasn't
- 25 like I was intentionally not showing and hiding moneys

- 2 or IRAs or bank accounts or businesses or anything else
- 3 that you can imagine. There were no other assets. And
- 4 that's why a bankruptcy had been initiated.
- 5 THE COURT: When was that?
- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm sorry, sir?
- 7 THE COURT: When was that?
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I remember -- I sold my
- 9 house this April. So it was preceding that. We had
- 10 sold the house three times.
- 11 THE COURT: Roughly, when do you think?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Between November and
- 13 April.
- 14 THE COURT: Of what?
- 15 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Of the time we're
- 16 talking about.
- 17 THE COURT: November what year?
- 18 MR. DiCLAUDIO: '18. We didn't hit
- 19 November. So we're talking about when Your Honor
- 20 issued the order.
- 21 THE COURT: So you may have filed in
- 22 November 2018?
- 23 MR. SUPRENUK: In between November,
- 24 December, January, in that area.
- 25 **THE COURT:** The latter part of 2018?

- 2 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes.
- 3 THE COURT: And you came out and got
- 4 discharged when?

- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: A few months later. Two
- 6 or three months later. So that was ongoing. I know
- 7 they knew about it, because I know my lawyer from the
- 8 bankruptcy called. I told him at some point a list of
- 9 creditors. When you think this intent to be
- 10 disrespectful, there was absolutely none.
- I like to think of myself as one of
- 12 the -- I ask for respect when I'm on the bench.
- 13 THE COURT: I'm sure you do.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: And I give it to
- 15 litigants, both defendant victims and attorneys.
- 16 THE COURT: That's good.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: And I try not to
- 18 prejudge.
- 19 THE COURT: So let me tell you how I all
- 20 feel.
- 21 Go ahead.
- MR. SUPRENUK: Could I briefly respond
- 23 to that, Your Honor? Frankly, I think some of these
- 24 nonsensical arguments are further disrespect of the
- 25 Court. For Judge DiClaudio to say that, you know, a

- debt that was initially a \$3,700 judgment, all of a
- 3 sudden became 12,000, there was nothing all of a sudden
- 4 about it, as Your Honor laid out on the record, as
- 5 order after order of this Court was entered against
- 6 Judge DiClaudio.

- 7 I'm the one who filed this fourth
- 8 motion. I got a voice mail from Judge DiClaudio about
- 9 a month ago. I called him back, left a voice mail,
- 10 heard nothing further from him until yesterday
- 11 afternoon. So, for him to say otherwise, I can
- 12 represent to this Court that's the only contact I had
- 13 with him. Unless he spoke with somebody else at my
- 14 firm, I can't speak to that. But I was the one
- 15 handling, and I only heard from him yesterday
- 16 afternoon.
- 17 With regard to this bankruptcy, Judge
- 18 DiClaudio also represented that we knew about it. I
- 19 certainly never heard anything about Judge DiClaudio or
- 20 any of his businesses filing bankruptcy until I spoke
- 21 with him in the hallway just prior to this hearing.
- 22 I'm not clear -- and Judge DiClaudio told me in the
- 23 hallway that the bankruptcy didn't go through, that he
- 24 did not get a discharge and that the bankruptcy was
- 25 dismissed, and he just told you that there was a

2 discharge.

- 3 THE COURT: No. I said discharged. I
- 4 said when were you discharged.
- 5 MR. SUPRENUK: And he gave a date.
- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, it wasn't
- 7 discharged. We resolved the issue. I was able to
- 8 resolve --
- 9 THE COURT: Maybe he meant it was over.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: That's fine.
- MR. SUPRENUK: I don't even know if
- 12 Judge DiClaudio personally was in bankruptcy or another
- 13 company was in bankruptcy.
- 14 THE COURT: Yeah. The way you do it for
- 15 the future, if there is a bankruptcy, you file what's
- 16 called a "suggestion of bankruptcy," and that's it.
- 17 Then we stay everything.
- 18 MR. SUPRENUK: I have no knowledge of
- 19 it. I don't know whether it's true or not.
- THE COURT: Well, here's my suggestion.
- 21 This is what I'm thinking. I don't know what your
- 22 settlement negotiations are about, but certainly the
- amount of the judgment should be paid, which is the
- 24 default. That sum.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Of course.

- 2 THE COURT: Which is three thousand --
- 3 MR. SUPRENUK: It's like 3,700 or so.
- 4 THE COURT: Whatever the judgment is.
- 5 So the rest comes -- so your client isn't hurt if the
- 6 full amount is paid, plus some interest, six percent
- 7 interest, whatever it is, right, and whatever the costs
- 8 are, and then the rest are fees. So that's a personal
- 9 matter.
- 10 And the fees are, as I understand it ---
- 11 did I add them up?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: You did, Your Honor.
- 13 Five thousand ---
- MR. SUPRENUK: It's fifty-two eighty so
- 15 far, plus fees for this motion and my appearance today.
- 16 THE COURT: So let's say -- I don't
- 17 know. Let's say the fees are \$6,000 or less. What was
- 18 the other?
- 19 MR. SUPRENUK: It was fifty-two eighty
- 20 as ordered, plus the fees incurred for the filing and
- 21 presentation of this motion and my appearance today.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Assuming I had notice of
- 23 all the hearings.
- THE COURT: So, why don't you both go
- 25 outside and compromise, the fees?

- 2 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Tried, Judge. They
- 3 wanted more than what's owed.

- 4 THE COURT: In other words, what I'm
- 5 saying is, many times, many times everybody has to have
- 6 some sense of proportionality here.
- 7 MR. SUPRENUK: Yes, Your Honor.
- 8 THE COURT: So it's just going to get
- 9 worse. Because if he produces, which he should,
- 10 answers to interrogatories, you'll see what he has. I
- 11 don't know. He may have things in joint names.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Nothing, sir. Divorce,
- 13 not great. Getting rid of business made me become a
- 14 judge, not great. Start over.
- THE COURT: So the question is --
- 16 Stepping back from all of this. Your fidelity is to
- 17 your client; right?
- MR. SUPRENUK: Correct.
- 19 THE COURT: So, if the client gets its
- 20 money ---
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: By the way, I offered
- 22 him within ten days to get him the money. I get paid,
- as you know, at the end of the month. I've offered
- 24 their money in full and some of their fees. So I've
- 25 done that, Judge. I tried.

- 2 MR. SUPRENUK: Well, to be clear, if
- 3 we're going to get into settlement negotiations, what
- 4 Your Honor is recommending is basically what we asked
- 5 for. We just wanted the judgment, plus interest, plus,
- 6 you know, our fees that have been ordered, and Judge
- 7 DiClaudio said no to that.
- 8 THE COURT: Here's the thing. Are you
- 9 the lawyer on this case or is your partner?
- MR. SUPRENUK: I mean, I'm handling
- 11 this.
- 12 THE COURT: I mean, who knows the
- 13 client?
- 14 MR. SUPRENUK: Jonathan Goldstein. I
- 15 don't know the client.
- 16 **THE COURT:** Right. And he appeared. Do
- you know where he is today?
- 18 MR. SUPRENUK: No. But I'm sure I could
- 19 get him on his cellphone.
- 20 **THE COURT:** Can we get him on the line?
- 21 Because he appeared in front of me before.
- MR. SUPRENUK: Sure.
- THE COURT: I'll call him.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Do we know who appeared,
- 25 counsel?

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2	THE COURT: I want Goldstein.
3	Can we do it through here?
4	MR. SUPRENUK: I'll write down his
5	cellphone number and hand it to you.
6	THE COURT: That's good. That's smart.
7	Why didn't I think of that?
8	(The Court is calling Jonathan
9	Goldstein.)
10	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Hello, It's Jonathan
11	Goldstein.
12	THE COURT: Hey, Jonathan. It's Judge
13	Manny Bertin, how are you?
14	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Good morning, Judge
15	Bertin.
16	THE COURT: How are you?
17	MR. GOLDSTEIN: How can I help you?
1,8	THE COURT: You're on speaker phone. We
19	are in the middle of the hearing with the Cynwyd Club
20	versus Judge DiClaudio.
21	Hello.
22	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, I'm listening. I'm
23	happy to join you and give you any information that I
2 4	can that will help.
25	THE COURT: Okay. Here is what is

- 2 happening, because you appeared in front of me on this
- 3 case initially; right?
- 4 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, I recall.
- 5 THE COURT: Now, I went through this
- 6 entire pleading. I put it on the record. The amount
- 7 of the default judgment for Cynwyd Club, who you
- 8 represent, I guess you're the lawyer, right, you bring
- 9 in a lot of the business there. Is it your client?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes. Cynwyd is my
- 11 client.
- 12 **THE COURT:** There you go, So Cynwyd
- wants to get -- it's \$3,767 that was entered as a
- 14 judgment, plus six percent interest from April 5th,
- 15 2016, to today; right? We know that.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Correct, yes.
- 17 THE COURT: Okay. Now, on top of that,
- 18 because of all the grief we had to go through with this
- 19 case, because the judge is here, he's right in court,
- 20 all the grief, the total fees between Judge Moore's
- 21 \$1,000 and all mine came to five --
- 22 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Two eight zero.
- MR. SUPRENUK: Fifty-two eighty.
- THE COURT: Fifty-two eight. Are you
- 25 with me?

- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- 3 THE COURT: Now, today, your partner is
- 4 here. And you did put together a very detailed motion
- 5 for sanctions. It was a very good one. Who did that?
- 6 Whoever drafted it, it was good.
- 7 MR. SUPRENUK: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 8 THE COURT: You did?
- 9 MR. SUPRENUK: Yes.
- 10 THE COURT: See, he did a good job.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: I'm pleased to hear
- 12 that. Thank you.
- THE COURT: Okay. So, today, you've
- 14 been here -- and you bill how much an hour?
- MR. SUPRENUK: Three hundred and forty
- 16 dollars.

- 17 THE COURT: Three forty. And you have
- 18 been here -- between being here and drafting, so we're
- 19 talking about -- let's say the fees are 6,000, okay, to
- 20 collect 37. But, remember, I held hearings. I put you
- 21 under oath. Remember?
- 22 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I do. And the fees are
- 23 actually much in excess of that. We had to spend an
- 24 inordinate amount of time pleading over the last
- 25 three-and-a-half or four years trying to get relief in

- 2 this case. I think the fees that we haven't asked for
- 3 exceed another \$17,000. I mean, it's just been -- I
- 4 mean, we're on our fourth motion for sanctions. I
- 5 don't think I have to say much more than that.
- 6 THE COURT: Okay. Let's do this.
- 7 Here's what we're going to do. What I ordered so far
- 8 is 5,280. Let's do this.
- 9 How long have you been here?
- 10 MR. SUPRENUK: Since 9:30. Over
- 11 two-and-a-half hours.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: And travel.
- THE COURT: And travel?
- 14 MR. SUPRENUK: Took me an hour to get
- 15 here. Well, like, 45 minutes to get here.
- 16 THE COURT: So you're talking about four
- 17 hours?
- 18 MR. SUPRENUK: Yes. So far.
- 19 THE COURT: And the pleading took you
- 20 how long?
- 21 MR. SUPRENUK: Including research,
- 22 probably three or four hours.
- 23 THE COURT: Let's say three. So that's
- 24 seven hours -- just everybody be patient with me. So
- 25 seven hours times three forty.

MR. DiCLAUDIO: Twenty-three eighty,

3 Judge.

- 4 THE COURT: Hold it. I have to do this.
- 5 So it's 340 times seven. That's 2,380; right?
- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- 7 THE COURT: Is that what you said?
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: That's exactly right.
- 9 THE COURT: Twenty-three eighty. Plus,
- 10 five two eight zero is seven -- fees are \$7,660, okay,
- on a \$3,700 judgment. All he had to do is pay the
- 12 \$3,700 three-and-a-half years ago; right?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Ideally, yes.
- 14 THE COURT: Okay. So let's say he pays
- 15 the amount that he owes plus six percent. Let's do
- 16 that. So that's how much? It's three seven six seven
- is the judgment times, let's say, three-and-a-half
- 18 years at six percent, what's that? What's
- 19 three-and-a-half years of six percent on three seven
- 20 six seven?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, if you wanted to
- 22 round it up to ten percent, which would be \$376, just
- 23 say \$800, and I'll be happy to say \$4,500.
- THE COURT: No. Wait, wait, wait. I
- 25 just want to do that.

- 2 Take six percent -- do like three -- how
- 3 many months is that?
- 4 MR. SUPRENUK: The interest charged
- 5 three-and-a-half years at six percent on a judgment of
- 6 thirty-seven sixty-seven comes to seven ninety-one zero
- 7 seven.

- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: That's about right,
- 9 Judge.
- THE COURT: What's seven ninety-one?
- 11 MR. SUPRENUK: That's the interest
- 12 amount.
- THE COURT: Seven ninety-one.
- 14 Okay. Three seven six seven seven nine
- one. That's eight fifteen five. So you have a
- 16 judgment of 4,558.
- MR. SUPRENUK: Yes.
- 18 THE COURT: So, one, he pays that. And
- 19 then you have fees basically that you got in front of
- 20 me of seven six six zero. If he pays half that, I'm
- 21 just suggesting this, that's three eight three zero.
- 22 So you add three eight three zero to seven six six zero
- 23 and you come to 11,490. Am I right?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I think you added it to
- 25 the wrong number, Judge. You should have added to the

2 45.

- THE COURT: Okay. So you add three --
- 4 am I right? I'm adding three eight three -- what am I
- 5 adding?
- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Thirty-eight hundred to
- 7 the 4,500 number, give or take.
- 8 THE COURT: The three eight three zero
- 9 to the four five five eight. Am I right?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- 11 **THE COURT:** So that's 8,388.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I will tell
- 13 Mr. Goldstein I will pay that within ten days.
- THE COURT: Hold on, hold on.
- Mr. Goldstein, hello. Are you there?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: I am here.
- 17 THE COURT: So, what I'm recommending to
- 18 get rid of this already, your client will be happy
- 19 because they'll get the money and here is what the
- 20 problem is. If you don't settle -- and you can get
- 21 that 8,388 in ten days.
- If you don't settle, here's what's going
- 23 to happen. I'm going to order him to do the
- 24 interrogatories and the motion to produce. You're
- 25 going to keep incurring fees. And after a while, it's

- 2 going to get -- it's got to be somewhat proportional.
- 3 So I think something like this -- it's true that you
- 4 compromised your fees, but it's over and done. Your
- 5 client isn't going to care, because your client is
- 6 going to get the money that's owed. It's a small
- 7 claims thing, you know, and to have all these -- to add
- 8 the fees, for you to get 3,800 on top of, you know, the
- 9 judgment, I mean, those fees are higher than the
- 10 original judgment. Now, it's not your fault.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Your Honor, if I also
- 12 may?

- 13 **THE COURT:** But there's something in the
- 14 mix here. He did file for bankruptcy in the latter
- 15 part of 2018, and he got out of it somehow, either
- dismissed or whatever, early part of 2019.
- 17 Now, he should have filed a suggestion
- 18 for bankruptcy and all of this would have been stayed
- 19 and you wouldn't be able to get some of that money. Do
- 20 follow what I'm saying?
- 21 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I do, Your Honor.
- THE COURT: And, of course, he's saying
- 23 that he didn't get notice. A part of the time when
- 24 things were sent to him, he wasn't a judge or it went
- 25 to the wrong place. But I don't know.

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- Do you want to -- you're the senior
- 3 partner. Can you work it out for this?

- 4 MR. GOLDSTEIN: We're so grateful for
- 5 the Court's time and attention to this vexing little
- 6 matter that has grown all out of portion to the
- 7 underlying debt. That said, we've got substantial fees
- 8 and time into this matter that we're never going to
- 9 recover. And now that we're before you on our fourth
- 10 motion for sanctions, I wonder if the Court has an
- 11 appetite for enforcing all of the sanctions that were
- 12 awarded. I don't see why we should reduce those fees,
- 13 particularly given the fact that an enormous amount of
- 14 fees are going to be written off.
- THE COURT: Wait. What are those other
- 16 fees? What are they? Weren't they all the fees that
- you put in here, the prep of the pleadings and coming?
- 18 MR. GOLDSTEIN: No, sir. There were
- 19 many other fees. This was at the magisterial district
- judge level, then it was appealed to the common pleas
- 21 court, and then that appeal was abandoned. There was
- 22 substantial pleadings below. It was a real mess. This
- 23 has been going on for three or four years when it
- 24 could've been settled for an infinitesimal amount of
- 25 money years ago.

- 2 THE COURT: Right. But a court could
- 3 never award you those fees. Those fees aren't
- 4 awardable. The only fees that are awardable are the
- 5 fees for his noncompliance post-judgment.
- 6 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I understand. And
- 7 that's why I'm asking for all of those fees. I think
- 8 by the time we're here on a fourth motion for
- 9 sanctions, for someone who is sworn by the Commonwealth
- 10 to uphold the law, both as an attorney and as a judge,
- 11 if I may, I don't see why we would reduce those
- 12 previously-awarded sanctions fees. They're your
- 13 sanctions in large part, but I would wonder if we could
- 14 keep all of those in, take the judgment amount, and get
- 15 paid within ten days. That would be my request. And
- 16 if the Court thinks that's not achievable, I'm happy to
- 17 place myself at the Court's discretion to take some
- 18 lesser amount.

- MR. SUPRENUK: Your Honor, can I clarify
- 20 something with regard to the fees, I think what
- 21 Mr. Goldstein is talking about? Even in connection
- 22 with these various motions for sanctions against Judge
- 23 DiClaudio, the firm incurred additional fees that we
- 24 didn't even request along the way.
- THE COURT: In discussions with him?

- 2 MR. SUPRENUK: Yes. And also, you know,
- 3 in recognition of the fact that, you know, courts are
- 4 typically reluctant to, you know -- basically, when you
- 5 go into court, you're lucky if you get your fees is my
- 6 experience. So I think the attorneys in the case
- 7 basically took that approach, which is why -- that's
- 8 what Mr. Goldstein is referencing, and, you know, the
- 9 fact that the firm actually has other fees that we
- 10 incurred in connection with these various motions that
- 11 we haven't even asked the Court for.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I don't believe that's
- 13 what Mr. Goldstein is saying, but if he is, I would be
- 14 interested to hear.
- THE COURT: All right. How about this?
- 16 The total fees are seven six six zero; right?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- 18 THE COURT: If you divide them in half,
- 19 it comes out to three eight three zero; right?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- 21 THE COURT: So let's compromise and do
- 22 \$5,000, and that's it.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Your Honor, then --
- THE COURT: I don't think I'm going to
- 25 go -- I mean, otherwise, I'm going to tell you what's

- 2 going to happen. So, instead of the 8,388, it would
- 3 be -- what does it come to, about 9,500, something like
- 4 that?
- 5 MR. SUPRENUK: Nine five five eight.
- 6 THE COURT: Nine five five eight. So,
- 7 what's that difference? That difference is not much;
- 8 right? The difference between eight three eight eight
- 9 and compromising it to nine five five eight is --
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Twelve hundred bucks.
- THE COURT: What?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Twelve hundred bucks.
- 13 MR. SUPRENUK: Twelve hundred, Your
- 14 Honor.
- THE COURT: Yeah.
- 16 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Twelve hundred.
- 17 THE COURT: And maybe for that extra
- 18 twelve hundred bucks you give him thirty days for that.
- 19 So, in other words, he pays within ten days --
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, you asked him if
- 21 he was inclined. I'm not inclined.
- 22 THE COURT: Okay. If not, here's what's
- 23 going to happen. What's going to happen is I'm going
- 24 to enter a fee order today on top of the other fees,
- 25 okay, and I'll order it be paid within a certain period

- 2 of time. And I'm going to direct him to produce and
- 3 answer. And then what's going to happen is it's going
- 4 to go on and on.
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, if I may? We
- 6 never -- to the notice requirement, Your Honor, they
- 7 knew where I was. You're already agreeing that I have
- 8 gotten all four of these where I put on the record I
- 9 didn't know or I would have come. So, some of these
- 10 hearings that Your Honor is holding me wholly
- 11 responsible, and part of 3,700 you remember it was
- 12 1,300, was already 2,000 attorneys' fees.
- So they got 2,000 attorneys' fees out
- 14 of -- I don't think Cynwyd gets the 4,500, because it
- was only about a \$1,300 debt originally. I think
- 16 within that debt is more money for them.
- 17 THE COURT: Look, gentlemen, I'm holding
- 18 up my courtroom. I was actually going to take this
- 19 after lunch because I have another hearing.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Thank you, Judge. May I
- 21 speak to counsel?
- THE COURT: No, no, no. I'm not going
- 23 to hold this up. I really want to resolve this.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: The 9,500, Your Honor,
- we think that's fair, and payment within thirty days.

- 2 As long as he doesn't pay it within thirty days, we
- 3 have the opportunity to come back for significantly
- 4 more fees or even, perhaps, a confess judgment for a
- 5 larger amount. I leave it in the Court's capable hands
- 6 to negotiate with Mr. Suprenuk, who stands before you.
- 7 But the amount the Court has indicated is acceptable to
- 8 us, and we think that any of the substantive arguments
- 9 that Judge DiClaudio would raise at this point are
- 10 long, long, long past the point where that can be
- 11 raised.
- 12 THE COURT: So let's say it's 9,500.
- 13 Let's do this. How about if we have a short payout?
- 14 So let's say within ten days with the 9,500.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, I get paid 8,800
- 16 at the end of the month. There is no 9,500. So, if
- 17 you order it, I might as well just have a different
- 18 hearing.
- THE COURT: What are you saying?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I only get paid 8,800 at
- 21 the end of the month.
- 22 THE COURT: Are you indicating you're
- 23 broke?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- 25 THE COURT: And that if you produce the

- 2 stuff, they're not going to see anything in bank
- 3 accounts?
- 4 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct. Not a dime.
- 5 So you can order it, and then we'll go a different
- 6 route.
- 7 THE COURT: Yeah. Here's what you
- 8 didn't hear.
- 9 MR. GOLDSTEIN: But I could take this
- 10 judgment for the \$5,200 --
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Which I'll appeal.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: -- worth of fees that
- 13 already we have ordered for the judgment I have, and if
- 14 you ask him in that courtroom where he banks
- 15 personally, I can attach his bank account, and the next
- 16 time the Commonwealth deposits a paycheck, I can grab
- 17 it. I think that argument doesn't hold much water at
- 18 all, that he's broke. We have to be paid. This has
- 19 been going on --
- THE COURT: No, no, no.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm not saying you
- shouldn't be paid. I offered 8,300 that Your Honor
- 23 said I think is fair. It gives me 500 for the rest of
- 24 the month.
- THE COURT: Here's what we're going to

2 do.

- 3 MR. SUPRENUK: Split it over two
- 4 paychecks.
- 5 THE COURT: We're going to do it 9,500.
- 6 And what we'll do is, I'm going to -- he gets paid. So
- 7 let's not beat this into the ground, okay? So let's
- 8 give him some time with the 9,500, because he's going
- 9 to get two paychecks.
- When is your next pay?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: We get paid next
- 12 Thursday, I think.
- THE COURT: Is it?
- 14 MR. DiCLAUDIO: You're a senior. We get
- 15 paid the last day of the month, whenever that is. I
- 16 think that's next Thursday.
- 17 THE COURT: Next Thursday. So, tell me
- 18 how you can do it. I want you to pay the 9,500,
- 19 otherwise, it's just going to be higher. So we're
- 20 quibbling over small dollars. Let's say you have sixty
- 21 days, okay.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Equal amounts, over two
- 23 paychecks.
- 24 THE COURT: Okay. Two paychecks.
- 25 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Forty-seven hundred and

- 2 fifty dollars by the second of this month, and then the
- 3 second of the following month.
- 4 THE COURT: Four?
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Four thousand seven
- 6 hundred and fifty.
- 7 THE COURT: Four thousand seven hundred
- 8 and fifty. When do you get it?
- 9 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I get it on the 31st.
- 10 So, if you give me till the 2nd, the check comes in.
- 11 THE COURT: I'll give you a little more
- 12 than that. Their law firm isn't going to not be able
- 13 to close -- their law firm isn't going to close their
- 14 doors and not be able to pay their rent if you don't
- 15 pay it in four days.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm not so sure, Judge.
- THE COURT: Okay. So, here you go.
- 18 Forty-seven fifty on what, the 5th?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Okay, Judge.
- THE COURT: The 5th of what? Of
- 21 November?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- THE COURT: And then, forty-seven fifty
- 24 on December 5th?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir. I understand

2 your ruling.

- 3 THE COURT: Are we all agreed?
- 4 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Your Honor, when you say
- 5 all agreed --
- 6 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Your Honor, we are so
- 7 grateful ---
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Are you asking me to
- 9 agree --
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: -- for the time and
- 11 attention to this matter.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: -- to it without filing
- 13 a motion to be considered?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: And we're grateful also
- 15 that you reached out to me by phone to help resolve
- 16 this,
- 17 THE COURT: Yeah. This will be an
- 18 agreed order.
- 19 MR. SUPRENUK: Judge DiClaudio is
- 20 voicing an objection to that.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm asking if Your Honor
- 22 is asking me -- you asked him to agree to a certain
- 23 amount. He said no.
- THE COURT: No. He's going to agree.
- 25 MR. DiCLAUDIO: But at the first amount

- 2 that Your Honor said.
- 3 THE COURT: I know. But I can
- 4 understand his position.
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: You could, Judge?
- 6 THE COURT: I can.
- 7 MR. DiCLAUDIO: You don't want to accept
- 8 that they did not give me any notice.
- 9 THE COURT: No, no. You're going to
- 10 have problems with that.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: So I can call witnesses,
- 12 Judge?

- THE COURT: You can call witnesses.
- 14 But, if in the end, you lose, do you know how high
- 15 these fees are going to be?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, I would prefer if
- 17 you just issue an order and I consider if I wanted to
- 18 ask for a reconsideration. Would Your Honor consider
- 19 doing that?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: I think we need an
- 21 agreement today. I cannot really hear what the
- defendant is saying, but this has gone on far too long.
- 23 It's now to the point where the whole affair is
- 24 somewhat dishonorable. And I would like to say --
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, it is. I agree

- 2 with that.
- 3 MR. GOLDSTEIN: -- out of the
- 4 willingness --
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, fine.
- 6 MR. GOLDSTEIN: -- included in the
- 7 courtroom today --
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Out of respect to Your
- 9 Honor, I'll agree to it.
- 10 THE COURT: Okay. He's going to agree
- 11 to it.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Just so the record is
- 13 clear. Given great deference to this Court.
- 14 THE COURT: All right. Type it up.
- 15 Here we go. Agreed order. Everyone stay on, including
- 16 you, senior partner.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- 18 THE COURT: Agreed order. And now --
- 19 what is it?
- THE CLERK: 24th day,
- 21 THE COURT: I'm so dizzy from this,
- 22 yeah.
- And now, this 24th day of October 2019,
- 24 upon agreement of the parties, entered in open court
- 25 the following is ordered:

1	THE CYNWYD CLUB VS. SCOTT DiCLAUDIO 64
2	One. Defendant will pay the sum of
3	\$4,750 to what's he do, send it to your law firm?
4	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- 5	THE COURT: To plaintiff's counsel.
6	What's the address?
7	MR. GOLDSTEIN: 11 Church Road, Hatfield
8	Pennsylvania 19440. Mr. Suprenuk could hand up a
9	business card or something like that.
10	MR. SUPRENUK: I already handed that up
11	to the Court.
12	MR. DiCLAUDIO: Do you have one for me?
13	THE CLERK: What's the ZIP code?
1 4	MR. GOLDSTEIN: 19440.
15	THE CLERK: Thank you.
16	THE COURT: On or before November 5.
17	What day of the week is that?
18	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Tuesday. I believe
19	that's Election Day.
20	MR. DiCLAUDIO: I will send it out well
21	before.
22	THE COURT: All right. November 5,

No. 2. Repeat that same thing.

THE CLERK: Let me copy it.

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1	THE CYNWYD CLUB VS. SCOTT DICLAUDIO 65
2	THE COURT: He'll pay the second
3	payment.
4	MR. DiCLAUDIO: Make it pretty.
5	THE COURT: Okay?
6	THE CLERK: Wait. On or before?
7	MR. DiCLAUDIO: December 5th, 2019.
8	THE COURT: December 5th. What day of
9	the week is that?
10	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Thursday.
11	THE COURT: Okay.
12	THE CLERK: No. 3.
13	THE COURT: No. 3. Upon payment of said
14	sums, plaintiff will mark the case settled,
15	discontinued, and ended, and the judgment satisfied.
16	Four. Is it Paragraph 4?
17	THE CLERK: Yes. No. 4.
18	THE COURT: In the event the defendant
19	defaults on the aforesaid payments, plaintiff will file
20	another petition for contempt and claim under statutory
21	provision for obdurate, vexatious, and dilatory
22	conduct, and defendant will file an answer thereto.
23	And answer thereto. And the hearing will be scheduled
24	thereon before the undersigned.

Will you accept a check by him or does

- 2 it have to be certified?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: I will accept a check,
- 4 because as we all know, it's a crime to pass bad
- 5 checks, so a check will be acceptable.
- 6 THE COURT: Okay. Next and number it.
- 7 THE CLERK: Five.
- 8 THE COURT: The aforesaid payments shall
- 9 be made by personal check?
- 10 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'll probably send a
- 11 certified check.
- 12 **THE COURT:** By certified check.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Post a money order will
- 14 also be acceptable.
- THE COURT: Or money order.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Certified check is fine,
- 17 Judge. The extra words aren't necessary.
- THE COURT: Or money order.
- 19 Next and number it. The Court
- 20 colloquied defendant and the parties on the record this
- 21 date.
- Mr. Goldstein, as senior partner, you
- 23 have authority on behalf of your client to bind the
- 24 client and bind the firm to this agreement?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: I do have such authority

- 2 to bind my firm and the client and I do so bind them to
- 3 the terms you outlined.
- THE COURT: You agree as well, counsel?
- 5 MR. SUPRENUK: Yes, Your Honor.
- 6 THE COURT: All right. I'm going to
- 7 have to colloquy you.
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, there's one thing
- 9 I would like to inquire about the Court.
- 10 THE COURT: Go ahead.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: So the monetary amount I
- 12 have no issue with whatsoever. I do not wish to
- 13 revisit it in any way, shape, or form.
- But there might be a time where I might
- 15 ask the Court to have a hearing about the contempt
- 16 provisions.
- 17 THE COURT: I can't do that. We're
- 18 settling the case.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Well, I have other
- 20 concerns. While I can agree to settle the financial
- 21 matter that I was intentionally dilatory, and we had
- 22 that discussion not in Mr. Goldstein's presence, I
- 23 would like at some point, perhaps, to revisit that or
- 24 to address that part of the contempt issue. I'm
- 25 willing to pay the money, I'm not worried about that

- 2 part, but there are other considerations that go along
- 3 with that, and notice being one of the issues that I
- 4 raised.
- 5 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Your Honor,
- 6 respectfully, if this matter is closed, we consider it
- 7 closed, and we don't want to spend any more time on it.
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: It has nothing to do
- 9 with them, Judge.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: In the prior contempt
- 11 hearings and our provision of notifications of service
- 12 and our receipt of voice mails from defendant's
- 13 chambers acknowledging various service, we think speak
- 14 for themselves, and we think this matter, if it is
- 15 concluded and closed on these terms, is concluded and
- 16 closed with no further hearings required.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I don't know if
- 18 Mr. Goldstein understands. I'm not trying to undue
- anything or appeal or anything of that nature.
- THE COURT: I understand. I understand.
- All right. Why don't we do this? What
- 22 if I add a provision that says --
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Is the court thinking?
- 24 I just want to make sure I didn't drop the call.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Mr. Goldstein, while the

- 2 Court is thinking, I'm not going to appeal. I will put
- 3 this on the record now. There will be no appeal or ask
- 4 for reconsideration of the amounts due. I fully intend
- 5 to pay those two amounts on time. That's not the
- 6 reason I'm asking. Nothing to do with you, Mr.
- 7 Goldstein, respectfully.
- 8 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I'm so sorry to be
- 9 troubled, but is the call still going on?
- 10 THE COURT: Yeah, it is. I'm just
- 11 trying to --

- MR. DiCLAUDIO: If Your Honor wanted to
- 13 think about it and ---
- 14 THE COURT: No, no, no. I want to
- 15 resolve this.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: With the Court's
- 17 permission, if the economic terms are largely settled,
- 18 can I leave this in the capable hands of young and
- 19 handsome Mr. Suprenuk to conclude the rest of the
- 20 agreement?
- 21 THE COURT: No.
- 22 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Okay. I will be
- 23 delighted to stay on the phone as long as the Court
- 24 needs me.
- THE COURT: Okay. So I think what

- 2 you're saying, you're indicating to the Court that on
- 3 various times you didn't have notice and you were in
- 4 bankruptcy?

- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct.
- 6 THE COURT: And you're concerned that,
- 7 as a judge, the word "contempt" and things of that
- 8 nature --
- 9 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I already know it has
- 10 raised concerns. I'm not sure if it will go past
- 11 concerns.
- 12 THE COURT: Here's the thing, What was
- 13 the last order? What did I say?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: That I was in contempt.
- THE COURT: No, no, no. Presently. I'm
- 16 not saying anything for contempt today.
- 17 Go ahead.
- 18 THE CLERK: What is the last thing you
- 19 said?
- THE COURT: Yes.
- 21 THE CLERK: The Court colloquied the
- 22 parties on the record.
- THE COURT: Yeah, which I'm about to do.
- 24 I colloquied the two lawyers.
- Okay. I don't know what you're saying

2 to the Court.

- 3 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I would like to file a
- 4 petition to -- if we need to have a hearing, the Court
- 5 could hear testimony about the contempt part of it in
- 6 the future, perhaps, or you can accept some or all of
- 7 my testimony, in theory, that I had no knowledge and
- 8 wasn't necessarily --
- 9 THE COURT: I can't do that.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Fair enough, Judge.
- 11 Thank you.
- THE COURT: I can't do that.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I didn't want to undue
- 14 what we did today.
- 15 THE COURT: See, here's what the problem
- 16 is. If you file a petition, then it's not over for
- 17 this law firm, and it's not fair to them. So we either
- 18 settle it or we don't settle it. And if you're --
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Well, I was in
- 20 bankruptcy, Judge, and all petitions were stayed. So,
- 21 to hold me in contempt for a matter, I couldn't
- 22 resolve ---
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: We received no notice of
- 24 a bankruptcy.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm sorry, sir?

- 2 MR. GOLDSTEIN: We received no notice of
- 3 a bankruptcy, and we're a judgment creditor.
- 4 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I don't know what that
- 5 means specifically, but it was an explanation I gave.
- 6 Again, I'm not trying to resolve the debt. It's the
- 7 question of, was I in contempt.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: This must end. We are
- 9 agreeable to the terms that the Court outlined, and we
- 10 believe those terms fully encompass a reasonable, full,
- and complete settlement worthy of no further pleadings
- 12 or hearings if its terms are adhered to.
- THE COURT: Yeah. You have to fish or
- 14 cut bait. You have to decide what you want to do.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Judge, I ask for time to
- 16 consider because it may have greater ramifications,
- more so than the \$1,200 to me.
- 18 MR. GOLDSTEIN: It's time to settle
- 19 this. Either it's settled or we'll execute on the
- 20 judgment. Enough already.
- MR. SUPRENUK: Your Honor already
- 22 indicated you're not going to issue a contempt order
- 23 today, otherwise, there's three prior orders that
- 24 stated he was in contempt. It's not going to change
- 25 anything.

- 2 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I'm just asking to
- 3 file -- have the ability on that limited issue.
- 4 THE COURT: Yeah. But I can't open it.
- 5 I can't open it.

- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Well, there's a notice
- 7 issue, Judge. So, if you want to make that ruling,
- 8 I'll just -- if it comes to pass, I'll just have to
- 9 argue it at that point then. No problem. I understand
- 10 your decision. I respect it.
- THE COURT: No. What I'm saying is --
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I can argue it in a
- 13 different forum if I have to.
- 14 THE COURT: We either settle it or not.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I don't know why
- 16 Mr. Goldstein thinks he has a position in that part of
- 17 this other than -- I won't say the words. He seems to
- 18 be looking for an additional --
- 19 **THE COURT:** Here's what the problem is.
- 20 I appreciate your candor to me. So we may not have an
- agreed order, because what you're saying is that you're
- 22 concerned about Judge Moore's order, he held you in
- 23 contempt?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I can only worry about
- 25 Your Honor's orders to be honest.

- 2 THE COURT: And my orders that held you
- 3 in contempt and the nonappearances. So the only thing
- 4 that I can say is that I can enter an order today for
- 5 the counsel fees, and that's it. And then direct that
- 6 the documents be produced, and just let the litigation
- 7 go on.
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Understood. At least I
- 9 can say I brought it to Your Honor's attention.
- 10 because of a settlement, we could not reach that -- I
- 11 didn't have a choice.
- 12 THE COURT: See, that's part of the
- 13 settlement.
- 14 MR. DiCLAUDIO: It put me in such a
- 15 tough spot, Judge.
- 16 THE COURT: Here's what Mr. Goldstein is
- 17 saying. You're saying, you know, I want to somehow
- litigate my prior findings of contempt. Not so much 18
- 19 the counsel fees.
- 20 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Not the counsel fees at
- 21 all.
- 22 THE COURT: Yeah. And what I think the
- 23 tenor Mr. Goldstein was, but if you file another
- 24 petition, we're going to have to be there and you want
- 25 this over with. If its over, it's over; right?

- 2 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Correct.
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 THE COURT: Is that what I hear?
- 4 Mr. Goldstein? Mr. Goldstein?
- 5 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- 6 THE COURT: Yes, that's what you said?
- 7 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Can I agree to
- 9 everything else except the contempt finding? He
- 10 doesn't need that for his case. Can you colloquy me in
- 11 such a way where I agree to every other term, but I
- 12 don't agree that I was in contempt?
- MR. SUPRENUK: I thought there wasn't
- 14 going to be a contempt finding.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: What?
- MR. SUPRENUK: I thought there was going
- 17 to be no contempt finding.
- THE COURT: No. Today there wouldn't
- 19 be.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: But for the last two. I
- 21 don't know why Mr. Goldstein or counsel, who just made
- 22 a face, would have a stake in that matter to be honest,
- 23 but other than animus, I guess.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: I was wondering if there
- 25 was a question for me or if its just talk among the

- 2 parties, Your Honor. I'm sorry.
- 3 THE COURT: That's okay. I think what
- 4 I'm going to do is enter an order today directing that
- 5 the discovery -- I'm going to continue this case,
- 6 because it doesn't sound like there is a settlement
- 7 because I think candidly what the defendant is saying
- 8 is he's going to file some kind of motion.
- 9 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I was thinking about it,
- 10 Judge, depending --
- 11 THE COURT: No. You can't think about
- 12 it. In other words, if you need time, then I'm going
- 13 to continue it, but you can't make an agreement and
- 14 then say, but I'm going to think about filing a
- 15 petition to get rid of those contempt findings and
- 16 things of that nature.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Unless Your Honor wants
- 18 to find that --
- 19 THE COURT: I can't because I already
- 20 ruled, and I'd have to have another focused hearing on
- 21 that.

- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Your Honor, I want to
- 23 have this matter behind me. I think I can, by way of
- 24 explanation, it would have been in the best --
- 25 obviously, I'm an advocate. I'm advocating as an

- 2 attorney today. Obviously, putting my client, meaning
- 3 me, in the best possible position to refocus on those
- 4 hearings and my explanations. It doesn't mean that I
- 5 can be precluded from making those arguments later.
- 6 THE COURT: Yes. That's the thing.
- 7 I've already ruled.

- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: But I can have an
- 9 explanation on that, whether it's accepted or not.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Your Honor, I'm sorry.
- 11 I'm struggling. It sounds like he's trying to raise
- 12 substantive arguments to the issue of contempt on the
- 13 prior contempt hearings. Am I hearing it correct?
- 14 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct. Not the
- monies, not the payments, but the issue of whether I
- 16 intentionally was contemptuous.
- So, if Your Honor wants to have this
- 18 matter resolved, as it appears counsel does, and Your
- 19 Honor doesn't want to revisit that today, I will have
- 20 to make that argument. But as counsel for myself, it
- 21 could or put me in a better position in future had you
- 22 accepted my arguments that we made earlier not in the
- 23 presence of Mr. Goldstein obviously.
- So I'm comfortable with making this
- 25 agreement and just arguing later on whether my behavior

- 2 was contemptuous, even though Your Honor found me to be
- 3 in contempt.

- 4 THE COURT: Did you understand?
- 5 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Are we settling this
- 6 today or not?
- 7 THE COURT: I don't think so.
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I said, Judge, I could
- 9 settle it today.
- 10 THE COURT: Not on what you said.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: What words are you --
- 12 THE COURT: Wait a second. You're a
- judge, right, and you told me you're a criminal judge.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I am.
- 15 THE COURT: And when you do a guilty
- 16 plea, you do a colloquy; right?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes.
- THE COURT: And you told me you're a
- 19 careful judge, and you're a hardworking judge --
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I promise you.
- 21 THE COURT: -- on the record. You will
- 22 not accept a guilty plea.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: You can ask me the
- 24 questions.
- THE COURT: No. Here's what I'm saying.

- 2 You would not accept it if that defendant was wiggling
- 3 around and moving and so forth and you had the sense
- 4 that it wasn't being resolved.
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I promise you I will
- 6 resolve it and file no other motions, Judge. I was
- 7 merely asking for point of clarification. I was
- 8 trying, as an advocate, to see if we can revisit it.
- 9 Once Your Honor said no, I can accept that. Once Your
- Honor tells me I can't even file a motion to
- 11 reconsider --
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: We have to settle today.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: -- I accept that also.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Enough.
- MR. SUPRENUK: Do we have a new
- 16 colloguy?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: You can have a new
- 18 colloquy, Judge. There's sometimes where somebody --
- 19 if you want to start anew, I'll be more than willing
- 20 to.
- 21 THE COURT: Yeah. I think what I'm
- 22 hearing is that, maybe, the defendant is concerned with
- 23 some ethical situations.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct.
- THE COURT: And as a result of my -- as

- 2 a judge, as a result of my finding, you know, and Judge
- 3 Moore's finding of contempt.
- 4 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct.
- 5 THE COURT: And here's the thing. I
- 6 don't know about that, and maybe you can seek counsel
- 7 on that issue or whatever, but you are representing
- 8 yourself today.
- 9 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- 10 THE COURT: And we either resolve
- 11 everything or not.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: We can resolve it. And
- 13 it was just an inquiry, Judge. I was asking and now
- 14 being directed by the Court, I'm quite clear.
- THE COURT: I'm going to do a new
- 16 colloquy, but I want to make myself clear. Part of
- these orders are there's a compel order, there's a
- 18 sanction order, a lot of sanction orders. Within those
- 19 sanction orders are contempts and monetary sanctions.
- 20 Everybody agrees with that; right?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, Your Honor.
- THE COURT: Right?
- MR. SUPRENUK: Yes, Your Honor.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, sir.
- THE COURT: Okay. Now, the whole on

- 2 that record, we're not entering an agreement subject to
- 3 the record being opened up at some future date.
- 4 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct.
- 5 THE COURT: I think Goldstein would be
- 6 out of his mind to do that, because then he's going to
- 7 have to incur thousands and thousands, wait a second,
- 8 of fees.
- 9 MR. DiCLAUDIO: I agree.
- 10 THE COURT: Because you may feel that,
- 11 gee, the wording of what has gone on heretofore may
- 12 create an issue for you.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Agreed.
- 14 THE COURT: But you'll be dragging him
- in on that, and you may be wrong on your feeling that
- it would be a problem. I don't know.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Understood.
- THE COURT: And maybe there's another
- 19 forum where you could explain yourself.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Agreed.
- THE COURT: And I can't go back and
- 22 undue what I've already done.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Fair enough.
- THE COURT: Okay. So, either we have
- one or two ways of going. We don't have a settlement

- today and then it continues on and you would try to
- 3 come in on some kind of pleading to get me to undue
- 4 what I did. I don't know how successful you will be
- 5 with that.

- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Fair enough. Knowing
- 7 that's one of my options, I decline that option, and
- 8 instead will Option B, which I believe Your Honor will
- tell me, and I'don't mean to talk over Your Honor, but 9
- 10 I agree to settle this matter finally. Understanding
- 11 Your Honor's previously orders, understanding the
- 12 financial obligations I have, and if you want to ask me
- 13 any further questions.
- 14 THE COURT: Let's redo it. It's going
- 15 to be real quick now. Where are we with the agreed
- 16 order?
- 17 THE CLERK: Six. The Court colloquied
- 18 the defendant and the parties on the record as of this
- 19 date.
- 20 THE COURT: And of this date, period.
- 21 Then just have it for my signature. I'm
- 22 going to draw two lines for your signatures.
- 23 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Absolutely.
- 24 THE COURT: And you can't do it, but,
- 25 you know, you're on the phone.

- 2 But here comes the new colloquy. Are
- 3 you ready?
- 4 Okay. Mr. Goldstein, it is your
- 5 understanding, is it not, that the entire case is being
- 6 settled today on the terms that will be reflected in
- 7 the written order that you heard me dictate; right?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Yes, Your Honor. That
- 9 is my understanding.
- 10 THE COURT: And you have the authority
- 11 to bind your law firm and to bind your client with
- 12 respect to the monetary judgment, the contempts, and
- the sanctions, monetary sanctions; correct?
- 14 MR. GOLDSTEIN: Subject to the
- defendant's compliance with your order, we do have the
- authority to release both of the parties you listed, my
- 17 firm and my client, yes, Your Honor.
- THE COURT: And you as well?
- MR. SUPRENUK: Yes, Your Honor.
- THE COURT: Okay. Now, with you. This
- 21 is important, okay? You have indicated that you are
- 22 concerned with the language in Judge Moore's order,
- and, more importantly, on my orders, and you were
- 24 thinking you could enter into the financial settlement
- 25 here and then file --

- 2 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Reconsideration.
- 3 THE COURT: -- for reconsideration or
- 4 whatever it might be on the issue of my finding of
- 5 contempt.

- 6 MR. DiCLAUDIO: That was the thought.
- 7 THE COURT: Okay.
- 8 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Knowing that's not an
- 9 option, I will waive that.
- 10 THE COURT: Let me go on, right. But
- 11 realizing that that's not agreeable to the other side,
- 12 to Mr. Goldstein and counsel here; correct?
- MR. SUPRENUK: Correct, Your Honor.
- 14 THE COURT: Then the choice is to just
- 15 litigate this matter, continue what's in front of me
- 16 now, and issue certain orders, or you agreeing that
- 17 part of the agreement is you're not going to file a
- 18 petition to reconsider or a petition to modify my
- orders or vacate them or things of that nature?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- THE COURT: Is that clear,
- 22 Mr. Goldstein?
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: So I want to make sure
- 24 that I heard what the defendant said; and so, I will
- 25 repeat it back to the Court to ensure that I did.

- 2 You basically colloquied him to make
- 3 sure that he understood that this is a full and final
- 4 settlement, no appeals, no nothing?
- 5 MR. DiCLAUDIO: Correct.
- 6 THE COURT: Right. No petitions for
- 7 reconsideration, no petitions to vacate my prior
- 8 orders.

- 9 MR. SUPRENUK: Or Judge Moore's.
- THE COURT: Or Judge Moore. And he's
- 11 agreeable with that. He's agreeable with that. And
- 12 he'll face whatever music there is in the future.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: If there is.
- 14 THE COURT: You know, on any ethical
- thing. And so you're doing this of your own free will
- 16 and accord?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I am.
- 18 THE COURT: You're not under the
- 19 influence today of any medicine, alcohol, or drugs that
- 20 may adversely affect your thinking?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: No, sir.
- THE COURT: You could probably do this
- 23 better than I, as a criminal judge. You could have had
- 24 counsel here, but since you're not only a lawyer but a
- judge and familiar with the law, you're content in

- 2 representing yourself?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: Yes, sir.
- 4 THE COURT: And nobody has forced you,
- 5 threatened you or coerced you to enter this agreed
- 6 order?

- 7 MR. DiCLAUDIO: They have not.
- 8 THE COURT: So, I'm satisfied. So the
- 9 order I am about to sign reads as follows: And now,
- 10 this 24th day of October of 2019, upon agreement of the
- 11 parties entered in open Court, the following is
- 12 ordered:
- One. Defendant will pay the sum of
- \$4,750 to plaintiff's counsel, 11 Church Road,
- Hatfield, PA 19440, on or before November 5, 2019.
- 16 Two. Defendant will pay the sum of
- 17 \$4,750 to plaintiff's counsel, 11 Church Road,
- 18 Hatfield, PA 19440, on or before December 5th, 2019.
- Three. Upon payment of said sums,
- 20 plaintiff will mark the case settled, discontinued, and
- 21 ended, and the judgment satisfied.
- Four. In the event defendant defaults
- on the aforesaid payments, plaintiff will file another
- 24 petition for contempt and claim under statutory
- 25 provisions for obdurate, vexatious, and dilatory

- 2 conduct, and defendant will file an answer thereto and
- 3 a hearing will be scheduled before the undersigned.
- Five. The aforesaid payments shall be
- 5 made by certified check or money order.
- 6 Six. The Court colloquied defendant and
- 7 the parties on the record this date.
- And now, I'm writing here agreed, and
- 9 then I'm drawing two lines for you, counsel, and for
- 10 the defendant to sign.
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: May I approach your
- 12 clerk?
- 13 THE COURT: Here, you have it. Right
- 14 here.
- Just stay on, Mr. Goldstein, I know you
- 16 have other things to do. That's why you didn't come.
- MR. GOLDSTEIN: Not a problem. Thank
- 18 you for the Court's time today.
- 19 THE COURT: Yeah.
- Okay. It's everything I just read. I'm
- 21 satisfied, and I want to thank -- I drew the line here.
- 22 Are those the two signatures?
- MR. DiCLAUDIO: I think we both signed
- 24 it, Judge.
- MR. SUPRENUK: We wrote our names and

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2	signed at the bottom.
3	THE COURT: Are there two signatures
4	there?
5	MR. DiCLAUDIO: We both signed it,
6	Judge.
7	THE COURT: Where is yours?
8	MR. DiCLAUDIO: It's the scribble on the
9	line.
10	THE CLERK: That's his. (Indicating.)
11	THE COURT: Oh, that's yours. That's
12	your signature?
13	MR. DiCLAUDIO: Tough for somebody to
1 4	duplicate it.
15	MR. GOLDSTEIN: Christian, you have been
16	in the courtroom and heard all of this. You're
17	amenable to these terms? I want to make sure.
18	MR. SUPRENUK: Yes. We're good.
19	THE COURT: Yes. And he signed it.
20	Okay. I'm done with this case. We're
21	going to give you a copy. Thank you all very much.
22	(At 12:54 p.m., proceedings were
23	concluded.)
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I hereby certify that the proceedings and evidence are contained fully and accurately in the notes taken by me in the above cause and that this is a correct transcript of the same.

Tim Kurek
Official Court Reporter

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL DIVISION

THE CYNWYD CLUB

NO. 2015-29887

VS.

SCOTT DICLAUDIO

IN: Plaintiff's Fourth Motion for Sanctions (Seq#41)

AGREED ORDER

AND NOW, this 24th day of October, 2019, upon agreement of parties, entered in open Court the following is ORDERED:

- Defendant will pay the sum of four thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$4,750.00) to plaintiff's counsel, 11 Church Road, Hatfield, PA 19440 on or before November 5, 2019.
- Defendant will pay the sum of four thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$4,750.00) to plaintiff's counsel, 11 Church Road, Hatfield, PA 19440 on or before December 5, 2019.
- Upon payment of said sums, plaintiff will mark the case settled, discontinued and ended and the judgment satisfied.
- In the event the defendant defaults on the aforesaid payments, plaintiff will file another petition for contempt and claim under statutory provisions for obdurate, vexatious and dilatory conduct and defendant will file an answer thereto and a hearing will be scheduled before the undersigned.
- 5 The aforesaid payments shall be made by certified check or money order.

6 The Court colloquied defendant and the parties on the record this date.

AGRED: 1 C

BY THE COURT

EMANUEL A. BERTIN, S

Copy of the above Order

Hand delivered in open Court to the following:

Plantiff Attorney: Christian P. Suprenuk, Esq, Mr. Goldstein, Esq via telephone

Defense Attorney: Pro Se

Court Administration - Civil Division

Reporter: Tim Kurek

Clerk: Dee Hemerka/10/24/19

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NAME AND ADDRESS:

SCOTT DI CLAUDIO 15TH ST ANDJFK BLVD **APT 900** PHILADELPHIA PA 19102

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Name of Taxpayer SCOTT DI CLAUDIO

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

NO. 442

IN RE: FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE
AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION

FOR JUDICIAL OFFICERS

DOCKET

ORDER

PER CURIAM:

AND NOW, this 6th day of February, 2015, pursuant to this Court's Order of April 13, 1984, No. 47 Judicial Administration Docket No. 1, provisions related to the filing of statements of financial interest by judicial officers were established and by subsequent Orders of March 22, 2005, No. 271 Judicial Administration Docket No. 1, and of January 23, 2006, No. 282 Judicial Administration Docket No. 1, provisions relating to the electronic filing of these statements were established;

IT IS ORDERED pursuant to Article V, Section 10 of the Constitution of Pennsylvania that all prior orders are rescinded and all judicial officers, as defined herein, shall file a statement of financial interest in accordance with the following provisions on a form prescribed by the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts ("AOPC") and approved by this Court or such amended form as may be issued in the future.

1. Persons Required to File:

For purposes of this Order, a judicial officer is defined as a justice of the Supreme Court, a judge of the Superior or Commonwealth Court, a judge of the Court of Common Pleas, a judge of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia, a magisterial district judge, and all senior jurists who are active or eligible for recall to judicial service.

2. Filing:

All judicial officers shall file a statement of financial interest with the AOPC for the prior calendar year no later than May 1 of each year.

All judicial officers who are appointed to office shall file a statement of financial interest within 60 days of assuming office.

All judicial officers who leave their position shall file a statement of financial interest within 60 days of their departure for any period of service not covered by a previously filed statement. This requirement does not apply to judicial officers who are certified as senior jurists within that period of time.

Such filing may be accomplished electronically through the use of a secure log-in supplied by the AOPC. The submission of a statement through electronic means signifies the user's intent to sign the document. By submitting the statement electronically, the individual certifies the electronic filing is true and correct. All statements of financial interest submitted electronically through the secure log-in procedure shall be accepted for filing by the AOPC.

3. Failure to File; Falsification of Information:

Upon failure of any judicial officer to file the required statement within the time allowed, the AOPC shall give notice to such judicial officer that failure to comply with this Order within 10 days may result in the suspension of the judicial officer from his or her duties.

Following receipt of this notice, if the judicial officer fails to file the statement within the 10-day period, the AOPC shall immediately notify the Chief Justice of Pennsylvania and the Judicial Conduct Board of Pennsylvania of the delinquency in filing.

The knowing and willful falsification of any information required to be reported

pursuant to this Order, or the knowing and willful failure to report information as required by this Order, may result in the suspension of the judicial officer from his or her duties, and shall constitute a charge of misconduct and result in referral of the case to the Judicial Conduct Board for disposition. See In re Bruno, ______ Pa. ______, 101 A.3d 635 (2014) (explaining the separate constitutional functions of the Judicial Conduct Board, Court of Judicial Discipline and Pennsylvania Supreme Court).

4. Public Access:

All statements of financial interest filed pursuant to this Order shall be made available for public inspection and copying during regular office hours.

5. Retention:

The AOPC shall preserve statements of financial interest for a period of 10 years from the date of receipt.

This **ORDER** shall be processed in accordance with Pa.R.J.A. No. 103(b), and shall be effective immediately.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST

Judicial Officers

All Statements of Financial Interest filed shall be made available for public inspection and copying during regular office hours. See In Re: Financial Disclosure and Reporting Requirements for Judicial Officers, No. 442 Jud. Admin. Docket (February 6, 2015).

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST

Part B

Verification of Legal Residence
Information provided in this section is subject to the same disclosure requirements as Responses 1 through 13 except that this information shall not be available to the public.

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^{*}Please note that your signature is required on Parts A and B of this form.

SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST INSTRUCTIONS

By Order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania of February 6, 2015, No. 442, Judicial Administration Docket, all judicial officers must file a Statement of Financial Interest in accordance therewith.

Who Must File:

This form must be completed and filed by:

- (1) All Supreme Court Justices
- (2) All Superior Court Judges
- (3) All Commonwealth Court Judges
- (4) All Common Pleas Court Judges
- (5) All Judges of the Municipal Court of Philadelphia
- (6) All Magisterial District Judges
- (7) All Senior Judges and Senior Magisterial District Judges who are active or eligible for recall to judicial service.

When to File:

- (1) All judicial officers shall file a Statement of Financial Interest for the prior calendar year no later than May 1 of each year.
- (2) All judicial officers who are appointed to office shall file a Statement of Financial Interest within 60 days of assuming office.
- (3) All judicial officers who leave their position shall file a Statement of Financial Interest within 60 days of their departure for any period of service not covered by a previously filed statement. This requirement does not apply to judicial officers who are certified as senior jurists within that period of time.

Where to File:

Each Statement of Financial Interest is to be filed with the Administrative Office of Pennsylvania Courts.

What to File:

Original to be filed; copy to be retained for judicial officer's records.

Failure to File; Falsification of Information:

- (1) Upon failure to file the required statement within the time allowed, the AOPC shall give notice to such judicial officer that failure to comply within 10 days may result in the judicial officer's suspension from duties.
- (2) If the judicial officer fails to file the required statement within the 10-day period, the AOPC shall immediately notify the Chief Justice of Pennsylvania and the Judicial Conduct Board of the delinquency in filing.
- (3) The knowing and willful falsification of any information required to be reported, or the knowing and willful failure to report the required information, may result in the suspension of the judicial officer from his or her duties and shall constitute a charge of misconduct and result in referral of the case to the Judicial Conduct Board for disposition.

SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS PART A

Items 1 through 5: Self explanatory

Items 6 through 13: GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS: Dollar amounts are required to be reported in Items 7, 9(A) and 10. Do not report any investments or other financial interests that were in a blind trust or similarly protective financial vehicle for the entire reporting period. (Rule 3.11, Comment [2]). Words or phrases marked with an asterisk ("*") are defined in the Terminology section of the Code of Judicial Conduct and the Rules Governing Standards of Conduct of Magisterial District Judges; relevant citations to the rules are also included.

NOTE: Items 6, 7, 8, 9(B), 11 and 12 must include information for a spouse or domestic partner* (who lived in the household during the reporting period) AND dependent children (person under 18 years of age who lived in the household at any time during the reporting period and was claimed as a dependent on the judicial officer's federal income tax return).

Questions regarding ethical rules and reporting requirements should be directed to the Ethics Committee of the Pennsylvania Conference of State Trial Judges or the Ethics and Professionalism Committee of the Special Court Judges Association of Pennsylvania, as appropriate. See Preamble ¶ 8, Code of Judicial Conduct and Rules Governing Standards of Conduct of Magisterial District Judges.

- 6 REAL ESTATE INTERESTS: List the names and addresses of any direct or indirect interests in real estate as follows: Any Real Estate Interests in property which was sold or leased to, purchased or leased from, or which was the subject of condemnation proceedings by the Commonwealth, its agencies, or any political subdivisions. DO NOT list Real Estate Interests such as home mortgages.
- 7 GIFTS, LOANS, BEQUESTS, BENEFITS, OR OTHER THINGS OF VALUE: List the source, date of acceptance, description, and value of any gifts, loans, bequests, benefits or other things of value of more than \$250, alone or in the aggregate, from the same source in the same calendar year. Gifts are defined as anything which is received without consideration of equal or greater value.

Include gifts incident to a public testimonial, Rule 3.13(C)(1), and invitations to the judge, judge's spouse, domestic partner* or guest to attend without charge:

- 1.) an event associated with a bar-related function or other activity relating to the law, the legal system, or the administration of justice, Rule 3.13(C)(2)(a); or
- 2.) an event associated with any of the judge's educational, religious, charitable, fraternal or civic activities if the same invitation is offered to non-judges who are engaged in similar ways in the activity as is the judge, Rule 3.13(C)(2)(b).

Do not report:

- 1.) items with little intrinsic value, such as plaques, certificates, trophies, and greeting cards (Rule 3.13(B)(1));
- 2.) gifts, loans, bequests, benefits, or other things of value from friends, relatives, or other persons, including lawyers, whose appearances or interest in a proceeding pending or impending before the judge would in any event require disqualification of the judge under Rule 2.11 (Rule 3.13(B)(2));
- 3.) ordinary social hospitality (Rule 3.13(B)(3));
- 4.) commercial or financial opportunities and benefits, including special pricing and discounts, and loans from lending institutions in their regular course of business, if the same opportunities and benefits or loans are made available on the same terms to similarly situated persons who are not judges (Rule 3.13(B)(4));
- 5.) rewards and prizes given to competitors or participants in random drawings, contests, or other events that are open to persons who are not judges (Rule 3.13(B)(5));
- 6.) scholarships, fellowships, and similar benefits or awards, if they are available to similarly situated persons who are not judges, based upon the same terms and criteria (Rule 3.13(B)(6));
- 7.) books, magazines, journals, audiovisual materials, and other resource materials supplied by publishers on a complimentary basis for official use (Rule 3.13(B)(7));
- 8.) gifts, awards, or benefits associated with the business, profession, or other separate activity of a spouse, a domestic partner*, or other family member of a judge residing in the judge's household*, but that incidentally benefit the judge unless otherwise required to report in Item 7. (Rule 3.13(B)(8)); and
- 9.) reimbursement of expenses and waivers of fees and charges (Rule 3.14), as specified in Item 10.

Also list gifts, loans, bequests, benefits, or other things of value of more than \$250, alone or in the aggregate, received by the business, profession, or other separate activity of a spouse, domestic partner*, or other family member of a judge residing in the judge's household* from the same source, if the source is a party or other person, including a lawyer, who has come or is likely to come before the judge, or whose interests have come or are likely to come before the judge. (Rules 3.13 (D) and 3.15 (B)(4)).

8 CREDITORS: List the creditor, address and interest rate of those debts which at any time during the prior year were over \$6,500. DO NOT list debts that were disclosed in Item 7. DO NOT list home mortgages or equity loans, including those on a secondary home. DO NOT list debts between the judicial officer required to file and a spouse, domestic partner*, or dependent children.

- 9 (A) EXTRAJUDICIAL COMPENSATION: List the source, date of acceptance, nature of activity, and amount of compensation received by the judge for extrajudicial activities (including but not limited to, honoraria, stipends, fees, wages, salaries, royalties, or other compensation for speaking, teaching, and writing). (Rules 3.12 and 3.15(A)(1)).
 - (B) OTHER DIRECT AND INDIRECT SOURCES OF INCOME: List the name and address of other sources of gross income of \$1,300 or more, such as employers (including the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania) and investment income (including interest income, dividends, and capital gains) of \$1,300 or more. DO NOT list income such as governmental welfare, domiciliary care income, veteran's benefits, social security income, retirement income, and pensions, as well as income received from service as a fiduciary* for a member of the judge's family*. (Rules 3.8 and 3.11)
- 10 REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES AND WAIVER OF FEES OR CHARGES: List the source, date, description of reimbursement or waiver, and amount of fees or charges that were reimbursed or waived in connection with a judge's participation in extrajudicial activities, if the amount exceeds \$650.00, alone or in the aggregate from the same source in the same calendar year (Rules 3.14 and 3.15(A)(3)).
 - Include reimbursement of necessary and reasonable expenses for travel, food, lodging, or other incidental expenses, or a waiver or partial waiver of fees or charges for registration, tuition, and similar items, for the judge, the judge's spouse, domestic partner*, or guest. DO NOT include reimbursement of expenses or waiver of fees for AOPC/Judiciary-sponsored conferences, meetings and activities. DO NOT list information disclosed in Item 7.
- 11 OFFICE OR DIRECTORSHIP OR EMPLOYMENT IN ANY BUSINESS ENTITY: List the name of the business entity and position held (including any office, directorship or employment). (Rule 3.11 (B)).
- 12 FINANCIAL INTEREST IN ANY LEGAL ENTITY IN BUSINESS FOR PROFIT: List the name, address, and interest held in any business for profit if holding more than 5% of the equity or more than 5% of the debt financing.
- 13 BUSINESS INTEREST TRANSFERRED TO IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER: List the name and address of any business in which a financial interest (as defined in Item 12) was transferred to an immediate family member (parents, spouse, domestic partner*, child, brother or sister). Also list the interest held, family member's name and address, the judge's relationship to the family member, and date of transfer.

PART B

Verification of Legal Residence: Self explanatory

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST

Judicial Officers

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First Judicial District of Pennsylvania Disposition Tracking

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