OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: JUDGE MARISSA J. BRUMBACH :

MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE 1ST JUDICIAL DISTRICT PHILADELPHIA COUNTY

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REPONDENT JUDGE MARISSA J. BRUMBACH'S ANSWER TO THE PETITION FOR RELIEF FOR INTERIM SUSPENSION WITHOUT PAY

Respondent Judge Marissa J. Brumbach, by and through the undersigned counsel, does hereby answer the Judicial Conduct Board's Petition For Relief For Interim Suspension Without Pay as follows:

- 1. The allegations in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required, accordingly, they are denied.
 - 2. Admitted.
 - 3. Admitted.
- 4. Admitted in part; denied in part. It is admitted that President Judge
 Dugan assigned Judge Brumbach to administrative duty. The remaining allegations
 in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is
 required, accordingly, they are denied.
- 5. Denied. The allegations in this paragraph constitute conclusions of law to which no responsive pleading is required, accordingly, they are denied. By way of further response, it is specifically denied that Petitioner has averred legally sufficient claims that entitles it to any relief.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that this Honorable Court deny the Petition for Relief for Interim Suspension With or Without Pay.

Dated: December 27, 2022

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Matthew H. Haverstick, hereby certify that on December 27, 2022, I caused a true and correct copy of the attached Answer to Petition for Relief for Interim Suspension Without Pay to be served on the following via overnight Federal Express and email:

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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the *Public Access*Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania: Case Records of the Appellate
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