UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2024-41 CASE NO. 24-MC-21321

IN RE: MAGDA JANICKI FLORIDA BAR # 95609

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## ORDER ON FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

On October 25, 2023, the Court referred attorney Magda Janicki to the Ad Hoc Committee on Attorney Admissions, Peer Review, and Attorney Grievance for investigation of her candor in providing testimony and her later failure to appear to testify in the case of *Alcius*, *et al. v. Grotenhuis*, *et al.*, Case No. 22-60386-Civ (S.D. Fla.). [ECF No. 1]. Following that referral, on April 5, 2024, the Committee issued a Proposed Report and Recommendation [ECF No. 5], giving Ms. Janicki 14 days to respond in accordance with Rule 6(c)(2)(B)(ii) of the Rules Governing the Admission, Practice, Peer Review, and Discipline of Attorneys, Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida. Ms. Janicki filed a Response [ECF No. 6] that same day, notifying the Court that she accepts the Report and Recommendation of the Committee. On April 12, 2024, the Committee submitted a Final Report and Recommendation [ECF No. 7].

An Order to Show Cause [ECF No. 8] was issued on April 16, 2024, giving Ms. Janicki an opportunity to respond to the Final Report and Recommendation. Ms. Janicki filed a Response [ECF No. 9] on April 19, 2024, requesting that the Court adopt the Final Report and Recommendation.

In accordance with Rule 6(c)(2)(B)(v), the undersigned submitted this matter to the Court for its consideration at a regularly scheduled Judges' Meeting held on May 16, 2024. Upon review of the Final Report and Recommendation, by unanimous vote of all District Judges and

Senior Judges eligible to vote in attendance at the meeting, the Court approved and adopted the

Committee's Final Report and Recommendation in full. The Court also imposed additional

requirements set forth in a separate sealed Order.

Given this background, in accordance with Rule 6(c)(2)(B)(v) and the Court's inherent

power to regulate membership in its bar for the protection of the public interest, see Chambers v.

NASCO, Inc., 501 U.S. 32, 43 (1991) ("[A] federal court has the power to control admission to its

bar and to discipline attorneys who appear before it." (alteration added)),

IT IS ORDERED that the Committee's Final Report and Recommendation is

**ADOPTED**, and the matter is **CLOSED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, consistent with the Final Report and Recommendation,

that Ms. Janicki be required to report to the Committee from time to time, as required by the

Committee. The Committee may recommend sanctions, including public reprimand, suspension

from practice in the Southern District or such other sanctions that the Committee may consider

reasonable under the circumstance should Ms. Janicki fail to comply with her obligations as

provided for in the separate sealed Order.

**DONE AND ORDERED** in Miami, Florida, this 4th day of June, 2024.

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CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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