UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2025-10 CASE NO. 25-MC-20014

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IN RE: JERROD MACKENZIE PAUL FLORIDA BAR # 92953

ORDER OF DISBARMENT

On January 2, 2025, The Supreme Court of Florida entered an Order granting Jerrod Mackenzie Paul's uncontested Amended Petition for Disciplinary Revocation with Leave to Apply for Readmission. *See In Re: Petition for Disciplinary Revocation of Paul*, No. SC2024-1520, 2025 WL 18651 (Fla. Jan. 2, 2025) [ECF No. 1]. Disciplinary revocation is tantamount to disbarment under Rules 3-7.12 and 3-5.1(g) of the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar.

Under Rule 9(b) 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, attorneys who are disbarred on consent by the bar of any other court, while an investigation into allegations of misconduct is pending, are no longer allowed to practice before this Court and are stricken from the roll of attorneys admitted to practice before this Court until further order. *See id.* Consequently, under Rule 9(b) and the Court's inherent authority to oversee officers admitted to membership in its bar, *see Chambers v. NASCO, Inc.*, 501 U.S. 32, 43 (1991) (noting "a federal court has the power to control admission to its bar and to discipline attorneys who appear before it" (citation omitted)), it is

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED as follows:

1. Mr. Paul is disbarred from practice in this Court, effective immediately. Mr. Paul

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may not resume the practice of law before this Court until reinstated by order of the Court. See S.D. Fla. Att'y R. 12(a).

- 2. Mr. Paul shall advise the Clerk of Court of all pending cases before this Court in which he is counsel or co-counsel of record.
- 3. The Clerk of Court shall **STRIKE** Mr. Paul from the roll of attorneys eligible to practice in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida and shall also immediately revoke the attorney's CM/ECF password.
- 4. The Clerk of Court shall attempt to serve by certified mail a copy of this Order of Disbarment on Mr. Paul at his court record and Florida Bar address.

DONE AND ORDERED at Miami, Florida, this 7th day of February, 2025.

Cecilia M. Oltmaga CECILIA M. ALTONAGA

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

cc: All South Florida Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals Judges

All Southern District of Florida District Judges, Bankruptcy Judges, and Magistrate Judges

United States Attorney

Circuit Executive

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