## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

CASE NO. 25-MC-22132-ALTONAGA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2025-30

IN RE: TAYLOR WAYNE CASEY FLORIDA BAR # 87561

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

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On May 7, 2025, the Supreme Court of Florida entered an Order of Suspension [ECF No. 1], suspending Taylor Wayne Casey from the practice of law. *See The Florida Bar v. Casey*, No. SC2025-0635, 2025 WL 1330104 (Fla. May 7, 2025). The suspension was predicated on a Notice of Judgment of Guilt [ECF No. 2], that disclosed Mr. Casey was adjudicated guilty on May 31, 2024, of the following offenses: (1) resisting an officer with violence, a third-degree felony; (2) trespass, a first-degree misdemeanor; and (3) disorderly intoxication, a second-degree misdemeanor. *See State v. Casey*, No. 16-2023-CF-012500, Verdict, filed May 31, 2024 (Fla. 4th DCA 2025).

Under Rule 7(a) of the Southern District of Florida Local Rules Governing the Admission, Practice, Peer Review, and Discipline of Attorneys ("Attorney Rule(s)") "[u]pon the filing with this Court of a certified copy of a judgment of conviction demonstrating that any attorney admitted to practice before the Court has been convicted in any court of the United States . . . of any serious crime . . . the Court shall enter an order immediately suspending that attorney[.]" *Id.* (alterations added). Under Attorney Rule 7(b), a "serious crime" "include[s] any felony[.]" *Id.* (alterations added).

Given this background, under Attorney Rules 7(a) and (b) 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; citation omitted)), it is

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## **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** as follows:

1. Mr. Casey is suspended from practice in this Court, effective immediately. Mr. Casey may not resume the practice of law before this Court until reinstated by court order. *See* Att'y Rule 12(a).

2. The Clerk of Court shall **STRIKE** Mr. Casey 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.

3. The Clerk of Court shall attempt to serve a copy of this Order of Suspension on Mr. Casey by certified mail at his court record and Florida Bar address.

**DONE AND ORDERED** at Miami, Florida, this 9th day of May, 2025.

CECILIA M. ALTONAGA

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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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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