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In the Matter of

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Theresa E. Mullen,

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A Judge of the Superior Court

This matter having been opened to the Court on the filing of a presentment by the Advisory Committee on Judicial Conduct concerning

Theresa E. Mullen, a Judge of the Superior Court, recommending that removal proceedings be instituted against respondent pursuant to Rule 2:14 and N.J.S.A. 2B:2A-1 to -11;

And the Court having instituted removal proceedings on September 29, 2021, by the filing of an order to show cause and a complaint for removal, and three judges of the Superior Court having been designated to sit as a panel and conduct a hearing and report to the Court the panel's findings, and the hearing having been held and the panel having submitted its report to the Court on August 23, 2022, and the panel having found beyond a reasonable doubt that respondent violated the Code of Judicial Conduct and that those violations warrant respondent's removal from judicial office;

And good cause appearing;

It is hereby ORDERED that respondent and the Attorney General shall

file with the Clerk simultaneously an original and eight copies of their briefs addressing the findings of the panel, and serving two copies on each other, on or before October 7, 2022, followed by simultaneous response briefs of the same number filed and served on or before October 21, 2022; and it is further

ORDERED that the Clerk shall schedule oral argument in this matter for the November 28-29, 2022 argument session.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 23rd day of August, 2022.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT