## STATE OF NEW YORK COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

In the Matter of the Proceeding Pursuant to Section 44, subdivision 4, of the Judiciary Law in Relation to

DAVID J. EVANS,

DECISION AND ORDER

a Justice of the Norwich Town Court, Chenango County.

## THE COMMISSION:

Honorable Thomas A. Klonick, Chair Stephen R. Coffey, Esq., Vice Chair Honorable Rolando T. Acosta Joseph W. Belluck, Esq. Joel Cohen, Esq. Richard D. Emery, Esq. Paul B. Harding, Esq. Elizabeth B. Hubbard Nina M. Moore Honorable Karen K. Peters Honorable Terry Jane Ruderman

## **APPEARANCES:**

Robert H. Tembeckjian (Charles F. Farcher, Of Counsel) for the Commission

David E. Sonn for the Respondent

The matter having come before the Commission on January 26, 2011; and the Commission having before it the Formal Written Complaint dated February 11, 2010,

the Answer dated April 7, 2010, and the Stipulation dated January 19, 2011, with

appended exhibits; and the Commission, by order dated April 29, 2010, having

designated Honorable Frank J. Barbaro as referee to hear and report proposed findings of

fact and conclusions of law, a hearing having been held in Albany on July 19, 2010, and

the referee having filed a report dated December 13, 2010; and respondent having

resigned from judicial office by letter dated January 19, 2011, effective April 1, 2011, and

having affirmed that he will neither seek nor accept judicial office at any time in the

future; and respondent having waived confidentiality as provided by Judiciary Law §45 to

the limited extent that the Stipulation will be made public if accepted by the Commission;

now, therefore, it is

DETERMINED, on the Commission's own motion, that the Stipulation is

accepted and that the pending proceeding be discontinued and the matter closed pursuant

to the terms of the Stipulation; and it is

SO ORDERED.

Ms. Moore was not present.

Dated: March 8, 2011

Clerk of the Commission

New York State

Commission on Judicial Conduct

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