STATE OF NEW YORK COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL CONDUCT

In the Matter of the Investigation of Complaints Pursuant to Section 44, subdivisions 1 and 2, of the Judiciary Law in Relation to

LISA J. POWERS,

a Justice of the Clare Town Court, St. Lawrence County. DECISION AND ORDER

THE COMMISSION:

Honorable Thomas A. Klonick, Chair
Honorable Terry Jane Ruderman, Vice Chair
Honorable Rolando T. Acosta
Joseph W. Belluck, Esq.
Joel Cohen, Esq.
Jodie Corngold
Richard D. Emery, Esq.
Paul B. Harding, Esq.
Richard A. Stoloff, Esq.
Honorable David A. Weinstein

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APPEARANCES:

Robert H. Tembeckjian (Cathleen S. Cenci, Of Counsel) for the Commission

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Dumas and Narrow, PC (by Edward F. Narrow) for Judge Powers

The matter having come before the Commission on February 4, 2016; and

the Commission having before it the Stipulation dated January 6, 2016, with the appended

exhibit; and Judge Powers having tendered her resignation from judicial office on

December 9, 2015, by letter dated December 1, 2015, effective immediately, and having affirmed that she will neither seek nor accept judicial office at any time in the future, and having waived confidentiality as provided by Judiciary Law §45 to the limited extent that the Stipulation will become public upon being signed by the signatories and that the Commission's Decision and Order thereto will become public; 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.

Mr. Harding was not present.

Dated: February 8, 2016

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Jean MJ Savanyu, Esq. Clerk of the Commission New York State Commission on Judicial Conduct

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