

State of New York Court of Appeals

John P. Asiello Chief Clerk and Legal Counsel to the Court Clerk's Office 20 Eagle Street Albany, New York 12207-1095 April 8, 2016

Hon. Alan M. Simon Justice of the Spring Valley Village Court and Ramapo Town Court, Rockland County 316 Kennedy Drive Spring Valley, NY 109772

Re:

In the Matter of the Hon. Alan M. Simon, a Justice of the Spring Valley Village Court and Ramapo Town Court, Rockland County

Dear Justice Simon:

Pursuant to New York State Constitution Article VI, § 22, and further pursuant to Judiciary Law § 44 (8), this Court has directed me to give notice that it may consider, on its own motion, your suspension from the exercise of the powers of the office of Justice of the Spring Valley Village Court and the Ramapo Town Court, Rockland County.

You may present to the Court in writing your reasons or arguments why you should not be suspended and whether any suspension should be with or without pay. You should file your submission by April 18, 2016. "Filed" means received by the Clerk's Office. Subject to the same filing date and receipt of a copy of this letter, the Commission on Judicial Conduct is also authorized to present its views, if any, with respect to suspension. All papers shall be filed with proof of service of one copy of the paper on opposing parties.

IMPORTANT: Your response to this inquiry does not excuse the need to file, separately and timely, the written request required by Judiciary Law § 44 (7), if review of the Commission on Judicial Conduct's determination is sought.

Very truly yours,

John P. Asielle

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cc: Judges of the Court of Appeals Robert H. Tembeckjian, Esq. Hon. Lawrence Marks Lawrence A. Mandelker, Esq. RECEIVED

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