IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE CREATION OF THE NEVADA SUPREME COURT ACCESS TO JUSTICE COMMISSION **ADKT 0537**

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ORDER EXTENDING TEMPORARY AMENDMENT OF SUPREME COURT RULE 217(2)(a)

Supreme Court Rule 217 provides for the creation and maintenance of interest-bearing trust accounts. Subsection 2(a) of that rule sets a minimum rate of interest payable upon any interest-bearing trust account at 0.70 percent. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, this court entered an order on September 25, 2020, temporarily amending SCR 217(2)(a) to provide a minimum interest rate of 0.65 percent until June 1, 2021. On April 29, 2021, this court entered an order extending that amendment to SCR 217(2)(a) to November 1, 2021. Considering the ongoing pandemic and on the recommendation of the Access to Justice Subcommittee concerning IOTA, we extend the temporary amendment of

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SCR 217(2)(a) to provide a minimum interest rate of 0.65 percent to June 1, 2022.

Dated this <u>1374</u> day of October, 2021.

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