IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN RE THE MATTER OF AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT RULE 3.15 ADKT 0579

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ORDER APPROVING AMENDMENTS TO CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT RULE 3.15(C)

WHEREAS, on April 22, 2021, James W. Hardesty, Justice, filed a petition in this court seeking to amend Nevada Code of Judicial Conduct (NCJC) Rule 3.15(C); and

WHEREAS, this court has determined that the proposed rule amendments are warranted; accordingly,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that NCJC Rule 3.15(C) shall be amended and shall read as set forth in Exhibit A.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that the rule amendments shall be effective 30 days after the date of this order. The clerk of this court shall cause a notice of entry of this order to be published in the official publication of the State Bar of Nevada. Publication of this order shall be accomplished by the clerk disseminating copies of this order to all subscribers of the advance sheets of the Nevada Reports and all persons and agencies listed in NRS 2.345, and to the executive director of the State Bar of Nevada. The certificate of the clerk of this court as to the accomplishment of the above-described publication of notice of entry and dissemination of

this order shall be conclusive evidence of the adoption and publication of the foregoing rule amendments.

Dated this 23²⁰day of April, 2021.

Hardesty, C.J.

Parraguirre, J.

slight, J.

Cadiah J

Silver, J

Pickering, J

Herndon

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First Judicial District Bar Association
Elko County Bar Association
Douglas Bar Association
Administrative Office of the Courts

NEVADA CODE OF JUDICIAL CONDUCT RULE 3.15 EXHIBIT A

Rule 3.15. Reporting Requirements.

- (A) A judge shall publicly report the amount or value of:
- (1) compensation received for extrajudicial activities as permitted by Rule 3.12;
- (2) gifts and other things of value as permitted by Rule 3.13(C), unless the value of such items, alone or in the aggregate with other items received from the same source in the same calendar year, does not exceed \$200; and
- (3) reimbursement of expenses and waiver of fees or charges permitted by Rule 3.14(A), unless the amount of reimbursement or waiver, alone or in the aggregate with other reimbursements or waivers received from the same source in the same calendar year, does not exceed \$200.
- (B) When public reporting is required by paragraph (A), a judge shall report the date, place, and nature of the activity for which the judge received any compensation; the description of any gift, loan, bequest, benefit, or other thing of value accepted; and the source of reimbursement of expenses or waiver or partial waiver of fees or charges.
- (C) The public report required by paragraph (A) shall be made at least annually on or before March 31 for the preceding year.
- (D) Reports made in compliance with this Rule shall be filed as public documents