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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

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**INQUIRY CONCERNING A JUDGE
NO. 2011-038**

**NM JUDICIAL
STANDARDS COMMISSION**

IN THE MATTER OF MICHAEL T. MURPHY,
Third Judicial District Court,
Dona Ana County, New Mexico

ORDER

WHEREAS, this matter came on for consideration by the Court upon second verified petition for immediate temporary suspension, and the Court having considered said petition and being sufficiently advised, Chief Justice Charles W. Daniels, Justice Patricio M. Serna,, Justice Richard C. Bosson, and Justice Edward L. Chavez concurring, Justice Petra Jimenez Maes recusing;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the petition for immediate temporary suspension is GRANTED and MICHAEL T. MURPHY hereby is IMMEDIATELY SUSPENDED from judicial office;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the suspension is WITHOUT PAY, effective immediately, Monday, May 16, 2011, until further order of this Court; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the petition is UNSEALED pursuant to

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Rule 27-104(B) NMRA.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

WITNESS, Honorable Chief Justice Charles W. Daniels
of the Supreme Court of the State of New Mexico, and
the seal of said Court this 16th day of May, 2011.

(SEAL)



Kathleen Jo Gibson, Chief Clerk of the Supreme Court
of the State of New Mexico