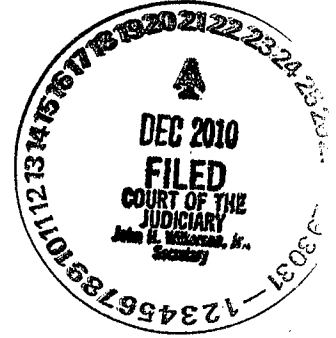


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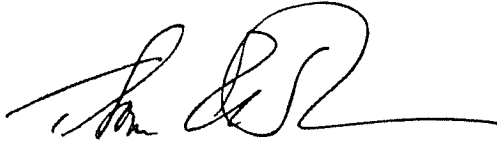
In the matter of *
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JOHN STEENSLAND, JR., Retired * Court of the Judiciary
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District Judge of the Twentieth Judicial * Case Number: 39
*
Circuit of Alabama *

MOTION TO SET TRIAL DATE

COMES NOW the Judicial Inquiry Commission (Commission) and respectfully moves this Honorable Court to set a date for the trial of the above styled Complaint and as grounds therefore would show unto the Court as follows:

1. The Commission recognizes that the Respondent has the right to file responsive pleadings to the Complaint heretofore filed by the Commission within thirty (30) days from the service of the Complaint upon him. (Rules 2, 5, Rules of Procedure for the Court of the Judiciary.)
2. The Commission recognizes that the Respondent shall have not less than thirty (30) days notice of the date upon which the Court sets the Complaint for trial. (Rule 8, Rules of Procedure for the Court of the Judiciary.)
3. The Commission would respectfully submit that the best interests of justice would be served if this Honorable Court would set the matter for a trial at the earliest possible date within the Rules of Procedure of the Court.

WHEREFORE, the Commission would respectfully request that this Honorable Court set the above styled Complaint for a public trial at the earliest possible date.

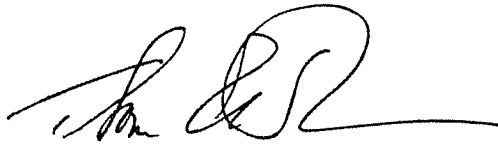


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 21st day of December, 2010, I e-mailed the foregoing pleading to the Clerk of the Court of Civil Appeals and delivered a copy by United States mail, first class postage prepaid, to:

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