

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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In the Matter of: )  
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ASSIGNMENT OF ) Administrative Order  
INDEPENDENT BAR COUNSEL ) No. 2025 - 190  
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The Arizona Supreme Court (“Court”) has jurisdiction over any person engaged in the practice of law within the State of Arizona, Ariz. R. Sup. Ct. 31, and all lawyers are subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of this Court, *id.* R. 46. This Court has previously delegated the duty to investigate and, when necessary, prosecute lawyer discipline matters to the State Bar of Arizona and its Lawyer Regulation Office. By Administrative Order No. 2018-20, the Court established the position and Office of Independent Bar Counsel (IBC) to handle matters in which the ability of the State Bar Lawyer Regulation Office to properly discharge its obligations under the Rules of the Supreme Court of Arizona in connection with a matter may be compromised by a specified conflict of interest or may reasonably be questioned.

Chief Bar Counsel requests that the reinstatement application from suspended attorney Sean Cannon be assigned to the IBC for review and disposition.

Therefore, pursuant to Article III and Article VI, Section 1 and 3 of the Arizona Constitution,

IT IS ORDERED that Independent Bar Counsel is appointed to provide review and disposition of the reinstatement matter regarding Sean Cannon in accordance with Administrative Order No. 2018-20.

Dated this 4th day of November, 2025.

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ANN A. SCOTT TIMMER  
Chief Justice