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Re: Matter of David w. Chandler, Esq.
Docket No. 2025.2669

Dear Ms. Sassower:

We have completed our review of your complaint against the above-named attorney. As explained below, we have concluded that no investigation or action is warranted.

Specifically, you complained about conflict of interest, corruption, and fraud at the Attorney Grievance Committee, Second Judicial Department, and specifically, by its Chief Counsel, David W. Chandler, and Staff Attorney, Michael D'Ambrosio, in that they denied or dismissed your complaint of February 27, 2025 against Commission on Legislative, Judicial and Executive Compensation Attorney Member, Helen Blank. Although we appreciate that you brought this matter to the Committee's attention, there is an insufficient basis for further investigation. Please inform our office of any additional information or decision against Mr. Chandler or other event which may warrant our prompt attention. If you have not done so, you may consider consulting counsel concerning any legal remedies you may have as well.

You may seek review of this decision by submitting a written request for reconsideration to this office addressed to "Committee Chair" at the above email address within thirty (30) days of the date on this letter. Please write in the subject line of your email: "Reconsideration Request" and include the docket number. One of the Committee Chairs will grant or deny your request; or, refer your request to one of the Committees, or a subcommittee thereof, for whatever action it deems appropriate. We will accept regular

mail if you do not have a personal email account, but there may be a delay in processing your matter. Thank you.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jorge Dopico".

Jorge Dopico
Chief Attorney

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