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Friday, April 12, 2024

Mr. Donovan A. Livaccari
101 W. Robert E. Lee, Suite 402
New Orleans, LA 70124

Re: **Cleveland Johnson VS.
Department of Police
Docket Number: 9508**

Dear Mr. Livaccari:

Attached is the action of the Civil Service Commission at the Commission's meeting on Friday, 4/12/2024.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Doddie K. Smith".

Doddie K. Smith
Chief, Management Services Division

cc: Anne E. Kirkpatrick
James M. Roquemore
Cleveland Johnson

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IN RE: Cleveland Johnson v. Department of Police

Docket No: 9508 - Civil Service Commission

ORDER

Before the Commission was a motion by the Parties for the Commission to approve a settlement agreement reached by the parties. Upon consideration, the Commission finds that Parties have reached an amicable resolution which is attached hereto. Therefore:

The Parties' motion is hereby GRANTED.

Judgment rendered this 12th day of April, 2024

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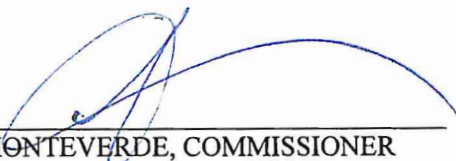
YEA:



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CITY OF NEW ORLEANS CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF LOUISIANA

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VERSUS

NEW ORLEANS POLICE DEPARTMENT
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AGREEMENT

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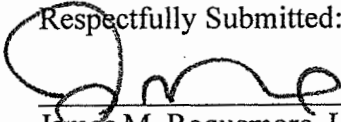
NOW COME the parties herein, through undersigned counsel, who represent that an agreement has been reached resolving the above captioned Civil Service (“CS”) appeal, prior to and in lieu of proceeding with the CS hearing scheduled on Monday, March 25, 2024.

The New Orleans Police Department, (“NOPD”) has agreed to reduce the discipline issued by letter dated September 14, 2023, under PIB# 2021-0730-R, to a total of 30 days suspension. NOPD will correct Officer Johnson’s disciplinary record to reflect this change in discipline. Officer Johnson shall be entitled to back pay and emoluments of office for the number of days of suspension served pursuant to the September 23, 2023, discipline letter in excess of 30 days (if any such excess exists); however, this agreement shall not provide Officer Johnson any right to back pay or emoluments of office relating to days of suspension served due to his emergency suspension which began December 20, 2021, and ended December 22, 2021.

In response to NOPD’s agreement, as detailed herein, Officer Johnson agrees to withdraw his appeal in this matter. Counsel for the parties confirm their agreement to the terms stated herein as confirmed by their signatures below. The parties further request that this Agreement be presented to the Commission at its next scheduled meeting.

(signatures on next page)

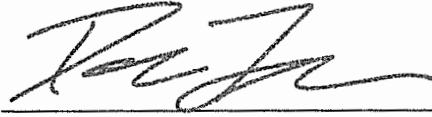
Respectfully Submitted:



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3/28/2024 [Date]



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