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Monday, May 18, 2026

Ms. Soriah Cleveland

Re: **Soriah Cleveland VS.  
Code Enforcement & Hearing Bureau  
Docket Number: 9855**

Dear Ms. Cleveland:

Attached is the action of the Civil Service Commission at the Commission's meeting on Friday, 5/8/2026.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Stacie Joseph".

Stacie Joseph  
Management Services Division

cc: Anthony Davis  
Elizabeth A Weigand  
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**CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION  
CITY OF NEW ORLEANS**

**SORIAH CLEVELAND,  
Appellant**

**Docket No. 9855**

v.

**DEPARTMENT OF CODE  
ENFORCEMENT,  
Appointing Authority**

**ORDER**

The Department of Code Enforcement moved for summary disposition of Cleveland's appeal on the basis that she has no right of appeal as a probationary employee. The Commission heard oral argument on this motion at its May 8, 2026, regular meeting.

The Department of Code Enforcement hired Cleveland on March 2, 2025, and terminated her employment on February 23, 2026. Cleveland never obtained permanent status, so she has no right to appeal under Civil Service Rule II, Section 4.1.

The Department of Code Enforcement's motion for summary disposition is GRANTED.



John Korn (May 17, 2026 21:29:25 EDT)

JOHN KORN, VICE-CHAIRPERSON



Mark Surprenant, Commissioner (May 13, 2026 10:52:30 CDT)

MARK SURPRENANT, COMMISSIONER



Ruth Davis (May 13, 2026 14:43:10 CDT)

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