Justices of the Peace Review Council

IN THE MATTER OF A HEARING UNDER SECTION 11.1 OF THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE ACT, R.S.O. 1990, c. J.4, AS AMENDED,

Concerning a Complaint about the Conduct of Justice of the Peace Dianne Ballam

Before: The Honourable Justice Joseph A. De Filippis, Chair

Her Worship Liisa Ritchie, Justice of the Peace Member

Ms. Lauren Rakowski, Community Member

ORDER FOR SUBSTITUTED SERVICE

Presenting Counsel: Ms. Marie Henein & Ms. Maya Borooah

Justice of the Peace Dianne Ballam, self-represented

- 1. Evidence in the hearing was scheduled to continue today. Following the conclusion of the evidence of Mr. Andrew Lynes, Presenting Counsel sought to call its final witness, Mr. Tony Boubash.
- 2. Mr. Boubash did not appear to attend or remain in attendance at the Zoom hearing as required by the summons issued by the Justices of the Peace Review Counsel on April 7, 2021.
- 3. Presenting Counsel was unable to connect with Mr. Boubash by telephone, text message or email during the hearing.
- 4. This Panel finds that there is a reasonable basis to conclude that Mr. Boubash avoided service of the summons requiring him to attend the Zoom hearing and remain in attendance.
- 5. The Panel understands that there is currently a widespread Rogers service interruption, causing some Rogers customers to experience service disruptions for wireless voice and data services. The Panel recognizes that if Mr. Boubash is a Rogers customer and attempted to log into the Zoom hearing, he may have experienced technical difficulties due to the service disruption.
- 6. At the request of Presenting Counsel, this Panel grants an order for substituted service of the summons on Mr. Boubash returnable Friday, April 23, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. Service shall be effected by:
 - a. mail to Mr. Boubash's home address at: 1 Bloomfield Trail Richmond Hill, Ontario, L4E 2H8; and
 - b. email to: sb2014@hotmail.com.

Dated at the City of Toronto in the Province of Ontario, April 19, 2021.