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March 11, 2026

Clerk of Supreme Court  
110 East Main Street, Suite 215  
Madison, WI 53701-1648

Re: Disciplinary Proceedings against Lane Fitzgerald  
Supreme Court Case No. 25AP1707-D

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed for filing is an Amended Scheduling Conference Order in the above case. The parties have received a copy of this order by email.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ electronically signed V.L. Bailey-Rihn

Valerie L. Bailey-Rihn

cc: Pete Anderson (via email with enclosures)  
Thomas Laitsch via email with enclosures)

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STATE OF WISCONSIN

IN SUPREME COURT

In the Matter of Disciplinary Proceedings

Against Lane Fitzgerald,

Case No. 25AP1707-D

Attorney at Law

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**AMENDED SCHEDULING CONFERENCE ORDER**

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On March 4, 2026, at 9:00 p.m., an amended scheduling conference was held via Zoom in this matter pursuant to SCR 22.15. The Office of Lawyer Regulation ("OLR") appeared by Attorney Thomas Laitsch. The respondent, Lance Fitzgerald was represented by Attorney Anderson. Based on the statements and discussions that occurred during the scheduling conference,

**IT IS ORDERED:**

1. The parties agree on an amended discovery cutoff date of April 3, 2026. All discovery must be served by this date, except for notices of depositions. Depositions to occur by May 3, 2026. Parties to exchange preliminary witness lists by March 16, 2026. Discovery should be reasonably tailored to fit the needs of the parties with balancing the costs and expenses of complying with the discovery. Any disputes over the scope of discovery should be timely brought to the attention of the referee if the parties cannot resolve them.

2. A final pretrial will be held on May 20, 2026 at 1:00 p.m. by zoom.

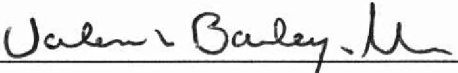
3. Any pre-hearing motions shall be filed by May 6, 2026. The parties will exchange final witness and exhibit lists and exhibits by May 6, 2026, and provide a copy to the Referee of the lists. Any responses and/or objections to the motions, exhibits, and witnesses should be exchanged with a copy to the Referee by May 15, 2026.

4. Pretrial briefs shall be filed by May 28, 2026. Post trial statement of facts and conclusions of law as evidenced by the hearing testimony will be filed 30 days after receipt of the trial transcript.

5. A hearing will be held on June 2, 2026 starting at 9:00 a.m. at the State Bar of Wisconsin headquarters.

6. The parties are reminded of the need to file all original documents and correspondence with the Supreme Court, with copies to the Referee and opposing counsel

Dated this <sup>11</sup>~~4~~th day of March, 2026.



Valerie Bailey-Rihn, Referee