## BOARD OF OVERSEERS OF THE BAR

## STATE OF MAINE

Board of Overseers of the Bar

Docket No. GCF #23-176 & 23-184

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Petitioner

V.

PROBABLE CAUSE FOR

FILING INFORMATION WITH

ROGER M. CHAMPAGNE, ESQ.

of Biddeford, ME

Me. Bar No. 009273

Respondent

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These matters were consolidated by agreement of the parties and heard by a Grievance Commission Panel on August 9, 2024 via Zoom. Pursuant to Formal Disciplinary Charges Petitions dated February 22, 2024 and March 6, 2024, and proper notice being provided, a disciplinary hearing open to the public was conducted pursuant to Maine Bar Rule 13(e)(7)B).

At the stipulated hearing, the Board of Overseers of the Bar was represented by Bar Counsel Julia A. Sheridan, Esq. Attorney Champagne was represented by Stephen J. Schwartz, Esq. Prior to the hearing, the parties agreed to a stipulation that based upon the conduct alleged in the Formal Disciplinary Charges Petitions there was probable cause for suspension pursuant to Maine Bar Rule 13(e)(10)(E), and that the matter should proceed by way of Information before a Single Justice.

The Panel finds that there is probable cause for the Respondent's suspension or disbarment and hereby directs Bar Counsel to commence an attorney disciplinary action by filing an Information with the Court pursuant to Maine Bar Rule 13(e)(10)(E).

Dated: August 13, 2024

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Megan Sanders, Esq., Chair

Sarah LeClaire, Esq.

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Richard P. Dana, Public Member