THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

BEFORE THE DISCIPLINARY BOARD FOR BISHOPS HEARING PANEL

In the Matter of the Rt. Rev. Samuel Johnson Howard (Discrimination Matter)

ORDER GRANTING STAY AND AMENDING SCHEDULING ORDER

It is hereby ORDERED that upon the request of the Respondent, with no objection from the Church Attorney, proceedings in this matter are stayed through January 31, 2025.

It is further ORDERED that paragraph 2 of the Scheduling Order is amended to provide that the parties shall exchange copies of any documents identified in their respective Mandatory Disclosures on or before February 14, 2025.

It is further ORDERED that paragraph 3 of the Scheduling Order is amended to provide that each party my serve upon the other party up to twenty (20) written interrogatories. Such interrogatories shall be served on or before February 7, 2025. Written responses shall be served on or before February 21, 2025.

In all other respects, the Scheduling Order will remain in effect until further Order of the Hearing Panel.

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Rt. Rev. Wendell N. Gibbs, President

January 3, 2025