THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the Disciplinary Board for Bishops Hearing Panel

In the Matter of Rt. Rev. Prince G. Singh (Diocese of Rochester)

Motion of the Church Attorney to Extend Initial Disclosure and Related Dates

The Church, by its Church Attorney, moves for the entry of an order extending the deadline for initial disclosures to November 26, 2024. For its grounds it states:

- 1. In connection with the ongoing investigation of this matter, the Church Attorney has sought relevant records from the Diocese of Rochester.
- 2. The Chancellor of the Diocese of Rochester has notified the Church Attorney that the Diocese is not providing certain records on the ground of privilege.
- 3. The Church Attorney does not consider it proper to withhold the requested materials and is working to resolve the matter.
- 4. The Church Attorney is of the view that meaningful disclosures will be enhanced after review of the withheld materials.
- 5. The Church Attorney is advised that counsel for the Respondent shares the view that disclosures will be more accurate and complete upon identifying and reviewing the materials being withheld by the Diocese.
- 6. Counsel for the Respondent has authorized the Church Attorney to represent that the Respondent joins in the request to extend the deadline for initial disclosures to November 26, 2024.

Wherefore, the Church respectfully moves that the Hearing Panel enter an order extending the Initial Disclosure date to November 26, 2024, and that all related procedural dates triggered by the Initial Disclosure date be extended accordingly.

Dated: October 24, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

Church Attorney