

Supreme Court of Florida

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 2018

CASE NO.: SC18-674

INQUIRY CONCERNING A JUDGE
NO. 18-63

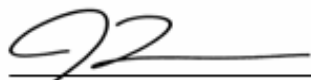
RE: MARIA ORTIZ

Upon consideration of the Judicial Qualifications Commission's Findings and Recommendation of Discipline and the parties' Stipulation, the Court rejects the Stipulation and disapproves the proposed sanctions.

We remand for further proceedings to include a full hearing before the Judicial Qualifications Commission in order to fully develop the facts regarding any misconduct that occurred, so that the Court, in determining the appropriate discipline, will be apprised of all the facts and circumstances bearing on the alleged violations.

LABARGA, C.J., and PARIENTE, LEWIS, QUINCE, CANADY, POLSTON,
and LAWSON, JJ., concur.

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ALEXANDER J. WILLIAMS
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