

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA
(Before a Referee)

THE FLORIDA BAR,
Complainant,

Supreme Court Case
No. SC20-842

v.

The Florida Bar File
No. 2019-70,468 (11C)

SCOT STREMS,
Respondent.

_____ /

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPORT OF REFEREE

The Florida Bar, on behalf of the Honorable Dawn V. Denaro, Referee, hereby moves this court for an extension of time for the referee to file her report and says:

1. The referee was appointed in this matter on June 24, 2020. The report of referee is due within 180 days of her appointment, making it due on or before December 21, 2020.

2. This matter was previously set for trial commencing November 30, 2020, but upon respondent's motion, the trial has been continued to February 22, 2020.

3. Given the foregoing, additional time is required for holding the trial and submitting the final report of referee.

RECEIVED, 11/20/2020 05:34:33 PM, Clerk, Supreme Court

4. Under the circumstances, the undersigned respectfully requests an extension of ninety-one (91) days to permit the referee sufficient time to submit the final report of referee.

5. This motion is made with the knowledge and approval of the referee and both parties to this cause.

WHEREFORE, The Florida Bar prays this Honorable Court will issue an order granting the referee an extension of time of ninety-one (91) days, until March 22, 2021, to file her report in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



J. Derek Womack, Bar Counsel
The Florida Bar - Miami Branch Office
444 Brickell Avenue, Suite M-100
Miami, Florida 33131-2404
(305) 377-4445
Florida Bar No. 93318
jwomack@floridabar.org

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that this Motion for Extension of Time to File Report of Referee has been E-filed using the Efiling Portal with The Honorable John A. Tomasino, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Florida, with a copy provided to the Honorable Dawn V. Denaro, Referee, via email at ddenaro@jud11.flcourts.org; to Natasha Zellner, Judicial Assistant, via email at nzellner@jud11.flcourts.org; to Scott K. Tozian, Attorney for Respondent, at stozian@smithtozian.com; to Benedict P. Kuehne, Attorney for Respondent, at ben.kuehne@kuehnelaw.com; to Mark A. Kamilar,

Attorney for Respondent, at kamilar@bellsouth.net; and to Patricia Ann Toro Savitz, Staff Counsel, at psavitz@floridabar.org this 20 day of November, 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. D. Womack". The letters are stylized and cursive.

J. DEREK WOMACK
Bar Counsel