NEVADA COUNCIL FOR THE PREVENTION OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE JUDICIAL TRAINING COMMITTEE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Monday, February 10, 2014 at 11 a.m.

<u>Via Teleconference with Public Access Located at:</u> Office of the Attorney General 5420 Kietzke Lane, Suite 202, Reno, Nevada 89511

> Call-In Number 1-888-557-8511 Access Code 4188407

Committee Members Present

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Dr. Mike Freda Mark Jackson Robin Sweet Rev. Victoria Warren Bob Zentz

Committee Members Absent Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto

Public Present

Attorney General's Office Staff Present

Kareen Prentice, Domestic Violence Ombudsman (AGO-Reno) Henna Rasul, Senior Deputy Attorney General, Legal Counsel to NCPDV (via phone) Renee Sheridan, Administrative Assistant (AGO-Reno)

1. Call to order, roll call of members, establish quorum. (For possible action.)

Mark Jackson, Acting Chair, called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m., conducted roll call and established quorum.

2. Public Comment.

There was no public comment.

3. Review and approval of minutes from June 13, 2012 meeting. (For possible action.)

Mark Jackson asked for a motion on approving the minutes from the meeting on June 13, 2012. Bob Zentz made the motion to approve the minutes. Rev. Victoria Warren seconded the motion. Meeting minutes approved.

4. Resignation of Dr. Freda as the committee chair. (For possible action.)

Kareen Prentice stated that Dr. Freda resigned as committee chair via e-mail to her. Ms. Prentice will ask Dr. Freda if he will remain on the committee or not and update the committee members.

5. Nominations for new chair. (For possible action.)

Mark Jackson asked for nominations for the new chair. Bob Zentz said not interested at this time. Robin Sweet said maybe if there was no conflict of interest in her being chair for the committee.

6. Vote on nominations and appoint new chair. (For possible action.)

Mark Jackson asked for a motion on appointing Robin Sweet as the new chair for the committee. Bob Zentz made the motion to appoint Robin Sweet as the new chair for the committee. Rev. Victoria Warren seconded the motion. Motion approved and Robin Sweet is the new chair of the committee.

7. Discussion and possible action regarding 2014 Committee Goals. (For possible action.)

Robin Sweet opened this agenda item up for discussion.

Robin Sweet stated that new judge training takes place the end of November or beginning of December. Kareen Prentice discussed inviting someone from the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges to discuss domestic violence education for new judges.

Discussion was held regarding the Biannual Report. Ms. Prentice stated that the Biannual Report will come out January or February 2015.

Mark Jackson discussed sending the e-mail from Lisa South on July 25, 2012 pertaining to judge surveys be re-sent to the committee members. Kareen Prentice stated she will have Renee Sheridan re-send the e-mail out to the committee members.

Robin Sweet asked for a motion on approving the 2014 Committee Goals. Bob Zentz made the motion to approve the 2014 Committee Goals, which are (1) make recommendations to assist the judges and to identify possible training for some of the issues being identified by the judges, (2) review and prepare questions to send out to the judges in preparation for the next biannual report,

and (3) discuss training for new judges. Mark Jackson seconded the motion. Motion approved on the 2014 Committee Goals.

8. Schedule future meetings and agenda items. (For possible action.)

Robin Sweet discussed adding to the agenda the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (NCJFCJ) training pertaining to domestic violence issues. Kareen Prentice asked Robin Sweet if she would like the 2014 Committee Goals as separate agenda items. Ms. Sweet said yes.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 12, 2014 at 11:00 a.m.

9. Public comment.

Kareen Prentice discussed a few updates that she is currently working on. The Women of Color Network training will take place on March 11, 2014 in Las Vegas. The Juveniles and Domestic Violence Dialogue is being offered either on March 10, 2014 in Clark County or March 14, 2014 in Washoe County Reno. A webinar is being planned on victim awareness in March 2014 for Nevada Court Staff.

There was no public comment.

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020

10. Adjournment. (For possible action.)

Robin Sweet asked for a motion to adjourn. Rev. Victoria Warren made the motion to adjourn. Mark Jackson seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.