## STATE PERSONNEL BOARD, STATE OF COLORADO Case No. 2025G068

## ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD

NAANA A. POKU,

Complainant,

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**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, PRAIRIE VISTA YOUTH SERVICES,** Respondent.

This matter came before the Colorado State Personnel Board ("Board") at its public meeting on July 15, 2025. During the meeting, the Board considered the record on appeal, including but not limited to:

- 1. Order Dismissing Appeal with Prejudice;
- 2. Appellant's [Complainant's] Opening Brief;
- 3. Answer Brief of Respondent-Appellee; and
- 4. Reply Brief of Complainant-Appellant.

Based upon the Board's review and consideration, and by an affirmative vote of the Board members, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Order Dismissing Appeal with Prejudice is **AFFIRMED**.

Dated this 15th day Of **July 2025**.

David Ruchman, Board Chair State Personnel Board 1525 Sherman Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Denver, CO 80203

## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

You are hereby notified you have the right:

- 1. To abide by the decision of the State Personnel Board; or
- 2. To appeal this decision to the Colorado Court of Appeals within 49 days pursuant to Section 24-50-125.4(3), C.R.S., in the method described at Section 24-4-106(11), C.R.S., and in accordance with applicable Colorado Appellate Rules.

In the event this decision is appealed, the party filing the appeal with the Court of Appeals must name in the appeal and serve such appeal upon the State Personnel Board and all other parties who have appeared as parties to this action. See Section 24-4-106(11)(d), C.R.S. The State Personnel Board can be served at: 1525 Sherman Street, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Denver, Colorado 80203.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that on the **15th** day of **July 2025**, I electronically served a true copy of the foregoing **ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD** as follows:

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