STATE PERSONNEL BOARD, STATE OF COLORADO Case No. 2025G074

ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD GRANTING THE PETITION FOR HEARING

MARIKA R. BOWER,

Complainant,

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DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES, COLORADO MENTAL HEALTH HOSPITAL IN PUEBLO,

Respondent.

This matter came before the Colorado State Personnel Board ("Board") at its public meeting on October 21, 2025. During the meeting, the Board considered the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge.

Based upon its review and consideration of the Preliminary Recommendation, the Board finds there is sufficient basis to adopt the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge and grant the petition for hearing.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Preliminary Recommendation of the Administrative Law Judge is adopted and that the petition for hearing is **GRANTED**.

Dated this 21st day of **October 2025**.

/s/

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

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that on the 21st day of **October 2025**, I electronically served a true copy of the foregoing **ORDER OF THE STATE PERSONNEL BOARD GRANTING THE PETITION FOR HEARING** as follows:

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