

**STATE OF VERMONT
PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY PROGRAM**

**In re Thomas Melone
PRB File No. 120-2025**

**ENTRY ORDER
NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF SUBPOENAS**

The certificate of service filed in connection with the Notice of Intent to Pursue dated April 14, 2026, by Respondent's Counsel does not indicate whether the persons whose subpoenas are not being pursued at this time were notified that the subpoenas have been withdrawn.

The Rules of Civil Procedure direct that,

A party or attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. . . .

V.R.C.P. 45(c)(1).

Accordingly, if Respondent's Counsel has not already done so, she is directed to inform the persons whose subpoenas have been withdrawn of that fact no later than seven days from the issue date of this order.

Dated this 23rd day of April 2026,

Hearing Panel No. 2

By: 

Walter G. French, Esq., Chair