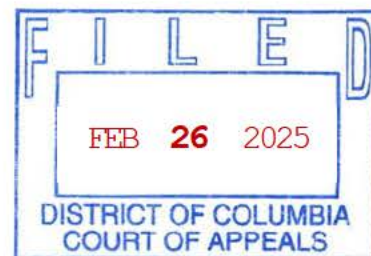


**District of Columbia  
Court of Appeals**



**No. 25-BG-0070**

In re JOHN F. LAKIN,  
Respondent.  
A Suspended Member of the Bar of the  
District of Columbia Court of Appeals.  
**Bar Registration No. 474460**

**DDN: 2024-D220**

BEFORE: Easterly and Deahl, Associate Judges, and Ruiz, Senior Judge.

**O R D E R**

On consideration of Disciplinary Counsel's report attaching a copy of John F. Lakin's petition for reinstatement following his two-year suspension in *In re Lakin*, 217 A.3d 716 (D.C. 2019) (per curiam), wherein Disciplinary Counsel informs the court that it does not oppose the petition because Mr. Lakin is eligible to seek reinstatement and has demonstrated that he is fit to resume the practice of law, it is

ORDERED that the petition for reinstatement is granted. *See* D.C. Bar R. XI, § 16(e); *In re Roundtree*, 503 A.2d 1215, 1217 (D.C. 1985). It is

FURTHER ORDERED that John F. Lakin is hereby reinstated to the Bar of the District of Columbia.

**PER CURIAM**

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