Judicial Inquiry Commission 800 SOUTH MCDONOUGH STREET SUITE 201 MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA 36104

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This letter is in response to your request for an opinion regarding the propriety, under Canon 5D of the Alabama Canons of Judicial Ethics of your serving as administrator of an estate.

It is the opinion of this Commission that under Canon 5D supra you may serve as the administrator of an estate so long as your duties as administrator would not in any way interfere with the performance of your judicial duties.