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STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS MICHIGAN OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS AND RULES SUZANNE SONNEBORN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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LEGAL CERTIFICATION OF RULES

I certify that I have examined the attached administrative rules, dated December 14, 2023, in which the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs proposes to modify a portion of the Michigan Administrative Code entitled "Securities Part 4. Broker-Dealers, Agents, Investment Advisers, Investment Adviser Representatives, and Federal Covered Investment Advisers" by:

- ♦ Amending R 451.4.9 and R 451.4.12.
- ♦ Adding R 451.4.30.

The Legislative Service Bureau has approved the proposed rules as to form, classification, and arrangement.

I approve the rules as to legality pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act, MCL 24.201 *et seq.* and Executive Order No. 2019-6. In certifying the rules as to legality, I have determined that they are within the scope of the authority of the agency, do not violate constitutional rights, and are in conformity with the requirements of the Administrative Procedures Act.

Dated: June 11, 2024

Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules

By:

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