## A PROCLAMATION FROM HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2023, the Honorable Maria Araujo Kahn resigned from her position as an Associate Judge of the Connecticut Supreme Court pursuant to Section 51-45 of the Connecticut General Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the resignation of Associate Judge Maria Araujo Kahn created a vacancy on the Connecticut Supreme Court; and

WHEREAS, I intend to nominate Nora R. Dannehy, Esq., of Glastonbury to fill this vacancy and serve as an Associate Judge of the Connecticut Supreme Court and a Judge of the Connecticut Superior Court pursuant to Section 51-44a of the Connecticut General Statutes; and

WHEREAS, I have determined that it will be beneficial for the continuity and stability of Connecticut's judicial system to give the General Assembly the opportunity to confirm Nora R. Dannehy, Esq., as an Associate Judge of the Connecticut Supreme Court and a Judge of the Connecticut Superior Court during a Special Session.

**NOW THEREFORE,** by the authority vested in me under Article III of the Amendments to the Constitution of Connecticut and Section 2-7 of the Connecticut General Statutes, I, in order to preserve orderly and decent government, do hereby:

Convene the General Assembly in Special Session in Hartford no earlier than September 19th, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. to:

1. Consider and approve the nomination and appointment of Nora R. Dannehy, Esq., as an Associate Judge of the Connecticut Supreme Court and a Judge of the Connecticut Superior Court.

Given under my hand and Seal of the State at the City of Hartford, this 15th Day of September in the year two thousand and twenty-three.

Ned Lamont Governor

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SECRETARY OF THE STATE CONNECTION