IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DOUGLAS COUNTY KANSAS

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 22-25

Re: Death of Charles Edward Whitman

NOW ON this 14th day of October, 2022, the court has been duly advised of facts demonstrating that Kansas attorney **Charles Edward Whitman, Kansas Bar Number 06696,** of Lawrence, Kansas, has died and that there is a need for the appointment of an attorney to protect the interests of his clients.

Wherefore, the court appoints **Calvin Karlin, Kansas Bar Number 09555**, pursuant to Rule 235 (2021 Kan. S. Ct. R. 301) to review and inventory the attorney's client files and the attorney's trust account, and take such action, including the distribution of funds, as may be necessary to protect the interests of the attorney or his clients.

Calvin Karlin is authorized to seek orders to gain access to premises or accounts as deemed necessary to give effect to this order. The immunity set forth in Rule 238 (2021 Kan. S. Ct. R. 304-05) shall be afforded to Calvin Karlin in the performance of the responsibilities set forth in this order. Calvin Karlin is further authorized to access the attorney's trust account and to take any action deemed to be necessary to protect the interests of the clients.

Calvin Karlin is authorized to delegate various legal duties to other attorneys with the approval of the client and/or the court. Pursuant to Rule 235(b) (2021 Kan. S. Ct. R. 301), the attorneys shall not disclose any information contained in the client files except as necessary to carry out the order of the court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

This order is made and is effective this 14th day of October, 2022.

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Chief Judge