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## **MINUTES**

### **OPEN SESSION** **February 25, 2021** **The State Bar of California**

**Meeting conducted via ZOOM**

**At the OPEN session of the February 25, 2021 CSF Commission Meeting, the following Commission members were present:** Robert C. Bowman, Jr., Esq., Chair; Jordan Wright, Vice-Chair; Joseph Dimino; Douglas Hartsough, Esq.; and Melanie O'Day, Esq.

**Staff members were present:** Lori J. Meloch, Esq.; Matthew G. Zawol, Esq.; Tracey McCormick, Esq.; Newton Knowles, Esq.; Shannon Broderick, Esq.; Betty Yung; Manuel Pizarro; and Diana Camacho

The Chair called the open session to order at 10:45 a.m.

#### **I. CHAIR'S REPORT**

- A. Call for Public Comment  
- No public comment
- B. Oral Report  
- No oral report

#### **II. DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

- A. The Director gave an update on the CSF statistics for 2020.
- B. The Director informed the Commission that the 2021 Nation Client Protection Forum will take place on June 2 – 4, 2021 as a Virtual Conference.
- C. The Commission will need a new attorney member and the Commission is encouraged to inform anyone that might be interested.
- D. OGC has been engaging in increased collection efforts for CSF.
- E. A new State Bar Court sanctions rule is going into effect and any sanctions collected will be paid to CSF.

### **III. BUSINESS**

- A. The Open Meeting Minutes of the December 10, 2020 meeting were reviewed and approved.

The Open Session was adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

**The next meeting of the Commission is scheduled for THURSDAY, May 20, 2021 at 10:45 a.m. via ZOOM Meeting.**