STATE OF MINNESOTA BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

REINSTATEMENT ORDER

In the Matter of Shamim Keshavlal Topiwala CPA Certificate No. 24816

The Minnesota Board of Accountancy has determined as follows:

1. The Board is authorized to license and regulate certified public accountants pursuant to Minn. Stat. §§ 326A.01-.14 (2022).

2. The Board issued Respondent Shamim Topiwala a certified public accountant certificate on July 21, 2008.

3. Shamim Topiwala's certified public accountant certificate expired on December 31, 2017.

4. On April 30, 2020, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 326A.04, subd. 11, the Board revoked Shamim Topiwala's certificate because she failed to renew it for more than two years after its expiration.

5. On July 18, 2024, Shamim Topiwala petitioned to reinstate her revoked certificate pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 326A.09.

6. This order is in the public interest.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to Minn. Stat. §§ 326A.04, .09, that Shamim Topiwala's certified public accountant certificate shall be reinstated to the active status upon submission of satisfactory proof to the Board that she has completed 120 hours of continuing professional education and payment of \$450 in fees, consisting of a \$350 delinquency fee, and a \$100 renewal fee.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Shamim Topiwala does not submit satisfactory proof of completing the continuing education hours and pay all required fees within 90 days, this order shall be automatically vacated, and Shamim Topiwala's certificate shall not be reinstated. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that nothing herein shall be deemed to rescind the Board's order revoking Shamim Topiwala's certified public accountant certificate and, moreover, that revocation order and this reinstatement order shall be classified as public data pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 13.41, subd. 5 (2022).

Dated: 10 /2 /24

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CHARLES SELCER, CPA Board Chair