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<p><b><i>Plaintiff/Appellant</i></b> PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS POLICE CAPTAIN JAMES CARIFI</p> <p style="text-align: center;">vs.</p> <p><b><i>Defendants/Respondent</i></b>  TOWNSHIP OF PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS, GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PARSIPPANY-TROY HILLS and FORMER CHIEF MICHAEL PECKERMAN</p>	<p>SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY</p> <p>DOCKET NO.</p> <p><b>DEFENDANTS/MOVANTS' NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CERTIFICATION</b></p> <p>Docket No. Below: A-2356-17T1</p> <p>Sat Below: Hon. Richard S. Hoffman, J.A.D. Hon. Heidi Willis Currier, J.A.D.</p>
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**TO:** Heather Joy Baker, Esq.  
Clerk, Supreme Court of New Jersey  
Hughes Justice Complex  
25 West Market Street, P.O. Box 970  
Trenton, New Jersey 08625

Christopher L. Deininger, Esq.  
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**COUNSEL:**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the undersigned attorney for  
Defendants/Movants the Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills, the

Governing Body of the Township of Parsipany-Troy Hills, and former Chief Michael Peckerman hereby give notice of their intent to Petition the Supreme Court of New Jersey for Certification to review the portion of the Appellate Division's Opinion decided on December 14, 2020 reversing the jury's No Cause verdict in favor of Defendant/Movant the Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills only, vacating the dismissal of Plaintiff/Respondent's CEPA claim against Defendant/Movant the Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills, and remanding the matter for a new trial.

The filing fee of \$250 is enclosed herewith.

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Peckerman*

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Dated: December 31, 2020

**CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE**

The undersigned attorney for Defendants/Movants hereby certifies that on January 4, 2021 an original and two (2) copies of the within Notice of Petition for Certification were filed via New Jersey Lawyers Service upon Heather Joy Baker, Esq., Clerk, Supreme Court of New Jersey, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 West Market Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08625, pursuant to Rule 2:12-3(a).

Also on January 4, 2021 the undersigned attorney caused to be filed two (2) copies of the within Notice of Petition for Certification with the Clerk of the Appellate Division by New Jersey Lawyers Service, pursuant to Rule 2:12-3(a).

Also on January 4, 2021 the undersigned attorney caused to be served two (2) copies of the within Notice of Petition for Certification via New Jersey Lawyers Service upon Christopher L. Deininger, Esq., DEININGER & ASSOCIATES, LLP, 415 Route 10, Suite 1, Randolph, New Jersey 07869, as attorney for Plaintiff/Respondent.

I hereby certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, that I may be subject to punishment.

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THOMAS B. HANRAHAN, ESQ.

Dated: December 31, 2020