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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*   |  |        |                       |                  | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol National CineMedia, Inc. [ NCMI ] |  |        |  |                              |                    |                              |                             |       |   | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  |   |  |  |   |      |  |
| HALL KURT C  |  |        |                       |                  |   | 2,000  | 10110  |  |                              | , <del>, , ,</del> |                              | [ 1,01,11 ]                 |       |   |  | X Direc   | ctor   |  | 10% O   | wner |  |
| (Last)   |  | (First | t) (N<br>NEMEDIA, INC | /liddle)         |   | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/29/2022                          |        |  |                              |                    |                              |                             |       |   | Offic<br>belov   | er (give title<br>w)  |  | Other (<br>below)  | specify   |      |  |
| 6300 S. SYRACUSE WAY, SUITE 300  |  |        |                       |                  |   |  |        |  |                              |                    |                              |                             |       |   |  |   |  |  |   |      |  |
| 6300 S. SYRACUSE WAY, SUITE 300  |  |        |                       |                  |   | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                             |        |  |                              |                    |                              |                             |       |   |  | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)   |  |  |   |      |  |
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|  | Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned   |        |                       |                  |   |  |        |  |                              |                    |                              |                             |       |   |  |   |  |  |   |      |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transact Date (Month/Day   |  |        |                       |                  |   | Execution Dat  |        | Date,  | 3.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |                    |                              |                             |       | (A) or<br>3, 4 an                                   | d Securi<br>Benefi   | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following |  | wnership<br>m: Direct<br>or Indirect<br>nstr. 4)                   | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |      |  |
|  |  |        |                       |                  | Code  | v  | Amount | (A<br>(D   | ) or<br>)                    | Price              | Transa                       | ed<br>action(s)<br>3 and 4) |       |   | (Instr. 4)   |   |  |  |   |      |  |
| Common   | Common Stock 09/29/2   |        |                       |                  |   | 2022   |        |  |                              | A                  |                              | 12,521(1                    | ) .   | A   | <b>\$0</b> .7  | 7 75  | 55,141   |  | D   |      |  |
|  | Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |        |                       |                  |   |  |        |  |                              |                    |                              |                             |       |   |  |   |  |  |   |      |  |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yea |  |        | if any                | tion Date, Trans |   | sansaction de (Instr. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |        | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Exercisable Date |                              |                    | Amo<br>Secu<br>Unde<br>Deriv | Amo<br>or<br>Num<br>of      | nstr. | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficiall<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transactio<br>(Instr. 4) | ly  | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |   |      |  |

## **Explanation of Responses:**

## Remarks:

/s/ Laura Anne Kenwick, as

09/29/2022

attorney-in-fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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<sup>1.</sup> Represents shares acquired pursuant to the Reporting Person's election to receive shares of the Issuer's common stock in lieu of all or a portion of his/her cash compensation (i.e. base retainers and meeting fees) for the fourth quarter of 2022. The price as shown above reflects the closing price of the common stock on the date of issuance.

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Jeremy Gibb, Maria Woods, Scott Paintin and Laura Anne Kenwick, or any of them signing singly, with full power of substitution, as the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of National CineMedia, Inc. (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including amendments thereto) in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and the rules and regulations thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Forms 3, 4 or 5, complete and execute any amendment or amendments thereto, and timely file such forms with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and any stock exchange or similar authority; and
- (3) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by or for, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such information, disclosure and terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that the foregoing attorneys-in-fact, in serving in such capacity at the request and on the behalf of the undersigned, are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with, or any liability for the failure to comply with, any provision of Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

The undersigned agrees that each such attorney-in-fact herein may rely entirely on information furnished orally or in writing by the undersigned to such attorney-in-fact. The undersigned also agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Company and each such attorney-in-fact against any losses, claims, damages or liabilities (or actions in these respects) that arise out of or are based upon any untrue statements or omission of necessary facts in the information provided by the undersigned to such attorney-in-fact for purposes of executing, acknowledging, delivering or filing Forms 3, 4 or 5 (including amendments thereto) and agrees to reimburse the Company and such attorney-in-fact for any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred in connection with investigating or defending against any such loss, claim, damage, liability or action.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 or 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 31st day of August, 2021.

/s/ Kurt C. Hall
Name: Kurt C. Hall