

SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2021

THE COURT MADE THE FOLLOWING ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

M.R.030926 - In re: William John Bowe. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose reciprocal discipline pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 763. Allowed. Respondent William John Bowe, who has been disciplined in the State of New Jersey, is suspended from the practice of law in the State of Illinois for one (1) year and until he is reinstated to the practice of law in the State of New Jersey.

Suspension effective December 7, 2021.

Respondent William John Bowe shall reimburse the Client Protection Program Trust Fund for any Client Protection payments arising from his conduct prior to the termination of the period of suspension.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030942 - In re: Jeffrey Marc Benjamin. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose reciprocal discipline pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 763. Allowed. Respondent Jeffrey Marc Benjamin, who has been disciplined in the States of New York and New Jersey, is suspended from the practice of law in the State of Illinois for six (6) months.

Suspension effective December 7, 2021.

Respondent Jeffrey Marc Benjamin shall reimburse the Client Protection Program Trust Fund for any Client Protection payments arising from his conduct prior to the termination of the period of suspension.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030948 - In re: Sean Michael Liles. Disciplinary Commission.

Motion by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to approve and confirm the report and recommendation of the Hearing Board. Allowed. Respondent Sean Michael Liles is suspended from the practice of law for one (1) year and until further order of the Court, with the suspension stayed after six (6) months by a two (2) year period of probation, subject to the following conditions which shall take effect upon the effective date of the Court's order:

- a. Respondent shall abstain from the usage of alcohol and any unprescribed controlled substances;
- b. Respondent shall begin a course of treatment with a qualified mental health professional acceptable to the Administrator and shall report to the health professional on a regular basis of not less than two (2) times per month, with the Administrator advised of any change in attendance deemed warranted by such professional;
- c. Respondent shall comply with any and all treatment recommendations of the treatment provider approved by the Administrator, including the taking of medications as prescribed;
- d. Respondent shall provide the Administrator and approved treatment provider with the appropriate release, authorizing the treating professional to: (1) disclose to the Administrator, on at least a quarterly basis, information pertaining to the nature of respondent's compliance with any treatment plan established with respect to respondent's condition; (2) promptly report to the Administrator respondent's failure to comply with any part of an established treatment plan; and (3) respond to any inquiries by the Administrator regarding respondent's treatment and compliance with any established treatment plan;
- e. Respondent shall, as required by the Administrator, submit to random substance testing by a qualified mental health professional or facility approved by the Administrator, within eight (8) hours of receiving notice by the Administrator that he shall submit to the testing. The results of the tests shall be reported to the Administrator. Respondent shall pay any and all costs of such testing;

- f. Respondent shall attend meetings as scheduled by the Commission probation officer. Respondent shall submit quarterly written reports to the Commission probation officer concerning the status of his practice of law and the nature and extent of his compliance with the conditions of probation;
- g. Respondent shall continue his participation in Alcoholics Anonymous or other 12-step program by attending at least three (3) meetings per week. Respondent is to maintain a log of his attendance at the meetings and submit them to the Administrator with his quarterly reports;
- h. Respondent shall maintain a sponsor in the Alcoholics Anonymous or other 12-step program and shall provide the name, address and telephone number of the sponsor to the Administrator within fourteen (14) days of being placed on probation. Respondent shall request that the sponsor communicate with the Administrator in writing on a quarterly basis regarding respondent's participation and progress in the 12-step program and report any lapses in sobriety and usage of unprescribed controlled substances to the Administrator within seventy-two (72) hours of his knowledge of that usage;
- i. Respondent shall report to the Administrator any lapse in his sobriety or usage of unprescribed controlled substances within seventy-two (72) hours of that usage;
- j. Respondent shall comply with the provisions of Article VII of the Illinois Supreme Court Rules on Admission and Discipline of Attorneys and the Illinois Rules of Professional Conduct and shall timely cooperate with the Administrator in providing information regarding any investigations relating to his conduct;
- k. Respondent shall reimburse the Commission for the costs of this proceeding as defined in Supreme Court Rule 773 and shall reimburse the Commission for any further costs incurred during the period of probation;

- l. At least thirty (30) days prior to the termination of the period of probation, respondent shall reimburse the Client Protection Program Trust Fund for any Client Protection payments arising from his conduct;
- m. Respondent shall notify the Administrator within seven (7) days of any arrest or charge alleging his violation of any criminal or quasi-criminal statute or ordinance;
- n. Respondent shall notify the Administrator within fourteen (14) days of any change of address; and
- o. Probation shall be revoked if respondent is found to have violated any of the terms of probation. The remaining portion of the one (1) year period of suspension shall commence from the date of the determination that any term of probation has been violated and shall continue until further order of the Court.

Suspension effective December 7, 2021.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030949 - In re: Leijuana Doss. Disciplinary Commission.

Motion by Leijuana Doss to strike her name from the roll of attorneys licensed to practice law in Illinois pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 762(a). Allowed. Effective immediately.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030951 - In re: Jennifer Prager Sodaro. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose reciprocal discipline pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 763. Allowed. Respondent Jennifer Prager Sodaro, who has been disciplined in the State of Arizona, is suspended from the practice of law in the State of Illinois for six (6) months and until she is reinstated to the practice of law in the State of Arizona.

Suspension effective December 7, 2021.

Respondent Jennifer Prager Sodaro shall reimburse the Client Protection Program Trust Fund for any Client Protection payments arising from her conduct prior to the termination of the period of suspension.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030952 - In re: Thomas Michael Barrett. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose reciprocal discipline pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 763. Allowed. Respondent Thomas Michael Barrett, who has been disciplined in the State of Wisconsin, is censured in the State of Illinois.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030961 - In re: Robert Lee Officer. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose reciprocal discipline pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 763. Allowed. Respondent Robert Lee Officer, who has been disciplined in the State of Missouri, is disbarred in the State of Illinois.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030971 - In re: Wanemond Smith. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose discipline on consent pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 762(b). Allowed. Respondent Wanemond Smith is suspended from the practice of law for three (3) years and until further order of the Court.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030980 - In re: John P. Jacoby. Disciplinary Commission.

Motion by John P. Jacoby to strike his name from the roll of attorneys licensed to practice law in Illinois pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 762(a). Allowed. Effective immediately.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030981 - In re: Patrick Jon Hudec. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose reciprocal discipline pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 763. Allowed. Respondent Patrick Jon Hudec, who has been disciplined in the State of Wisconsin, is reprimanded and suspended from the practice of law in the State of Illinois for one hundred twenty (120) days.

Suspension effective December 7, 2021.

Respondent Patrick Jon Hudec shall reimburse the Client Protection Program Trust Fund for any Client Protection payments arising from his conduct prior to the termination of the period of suspension.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030982 - In re: Todd William Sivia. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose discipline on consent pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 762(b). Allowed. Respondent Todd William Sivia is censured and required to successfully complete the ARDC Professionalism Seminar within one (1) year of the Court's order of discipline.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030993 - In re: James Robert Mason. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose discipline on consent pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 762(b). Allowed. Respondent James Robert Mason is suspended from the practice of law for five (5) months.

Suspension effective December 7, 2021.

Respondent James Robert Mason shall reimburse the Client Protection Program Trust Fund for any Client Protection payments arising from his conduct prior to the termination of the period of suspension.

Order entered by the Court.

M.R.030996 - In re: Michael Leonard Loprieno. Disciplinary Commission.

Amended petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to impose discipline on consent pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 762(b). Allowed. Respondent Michael Leonard Loprieno is suspended from the practice of law for one (1) year and until further order of the Court.

Order entered by the Court.