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HEARING DEPARTMENT – SAN FRANCISCO

In the Matter of)	Case No.: 06-O-11114-LMA; 06-O-11169-LMA
)	
FERNANDO ANTHONY EDWARDS,)	ORDER ENROLLING RESPONDENT
Member No. 181606,)	INACTIVE PURSUANT TO BUSINESS &
)	PROFESSIONS CODE § 6233; FURTHER
)	ORDERS
<u>A Member of the State Bar.</u>)	

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 6233, respondent **FERNANDO ANTHONY EDWARDS** (“respondent”) is enrolled as an inactive member of the State Bar of California effective October 6, 2008, and until further order of this court. Respondent will remain on inactive enrollment under section 6233 for at least two years and until he provides proof satisfactory to the State Bar Court of his rehabilitation, present fitness to practice, and present learning and ability in the general law in accordance with Rules of Procedure of the State Bar, title IV, Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct, standard 1.4(c)(ii).

Within 30 days after the effective date of his inactive enrollment, respondent must comply with the following requirements set forth in rule 9.20 (formerly numbered 955) of the California Rules of Court as hereby modified by this court:

1. Notify all clients being represented in pending matters and any co-counsel of his inactive enrollment pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 6233 and his consequent disqualification to act as an attorney effective October 6, 2008. In the absence of co-counsel, respondent must also notify his clients to seek legal advice elsewhere, calling attention to any urgency in seeking the substitution of another attorney or attorneys;



2. Deliver to all clients being represented in pending matters any papers or other property to which the clients are entitled or notify the clients and any co-counsel of a suitable place and time where the papers and other property may be obtained, calling attention to any urgency for obtaining the papers or other property;

3. Refund any part of fees paid that are unearned; and

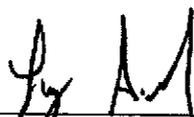
4. Notify opposing counsel in pending litigation or, in the absence of counsel, the adverse parties, of respondent's inactive enrollment and consequent disqualification to act as an attorney effective October 6, 2008, and file a copy of the notice with the agency, court, or tribunal before which the litigation is pending for inclusion in the respective file or files.

All notices required by this order must be given by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, and must contain an address where communications may be directed to respondent.

Furthermore, within 40 days after the effective date of his inactive enrollment, respondent must file with the Clerk of the State Bar Court an affidavit showing that he has fully complied with the requirements set forth above. The affidavit must also set forth an address where communications may be directed to respondent.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 4, 2008



LUCY ARMENDARIZ
Judge of the State Bar Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
[Rule 62(b), Rules Proc.; Code Civ. Proc., § 1013a(4)]

I am a Case Administrator of the State Bar Court of California. I am over the age of eighteen and not a party to the within proceeding. Pursuant to standard court practice, in the City and County of San Francisco, on August 4, 2008, I deposited a true copy of the following document(s):

**ORDER ENROLLING RESPONDENT INACTIVE PURSUANT TO BUSINESS &
PROFESSIONS CODE § 6233; FURTHER ORDERS**

in a sealed envelope for collection and mailing on that date as follows:

by personal delivery as follows:

FERNANDO EDWARDS
180 HOWARD STREET, 6TH FL
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

MARIA J. OROPEZA
180 HOWARD STREET, 6TH FL
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in San Francisco, California, on **August 4, 2008**.



Bernadette C. O. Molina
Case Administrator
State Bar Court