STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA HEARING DEPARTMENT 1149 S. Hill St., 5th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90015	FOR CLERK'S USE ONLY: FILED MAR 12 2012 STATE BAR COURT CLERK'S OFFICE LOS ANGELES
In the Matter of: **DAMON C. WATSON,** **Member No. 187886,** A Member of the State Bar.	**Case No(s). 11-H-15713-RAH** **ORDER ENTERING DEFAULT AND ORDER ENROLLING INACTIVE (RULE 5.80 – FAILURE TO FILE TIMELY RESPONSE)**

ORDER ENTERING DEFAULT:

As Respondent **DAMON C. WATSON** failed to file a written response within 10 days after service of the State Bar's motion for entry of default, his default is entered in this proceeding, effective upon the filing of this order. All previously scheduled court dates are vacated. The court takes judicial notice of respondent's official membership records.

Respondent is notified that:

Because you did not timely file a response to the notice of disciplinary charges filed in this proceeding, the Court has entered your default and deemed the facts alleged in the notice of disciplinary charges admitted. You may participate in these proceedings only if the Court sets aside your default. If you fail to timely move to set aside your default, this Court will enter an order recommending your disbarment without further hearing or proceeding. (See Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 5.80 et seq.)

ORDER ENROLLING INACTIVE:

As the conditions of Business and Professions Code section 6007, subdivision (e)(1), are met, Respondent is enrolled as an inactive member of the State Bar of California under Business and Professions Code section 6007, subdivision (e). The inactive enrollment is effective three (3) days after service of this order. (Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 5.250.)

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 12, 2012

RICHARD A. HONN
Judge of the State Bar Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

[Rules Proc. of State Bar; Rule 5.27(B); 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 Los Angeles, on March 12, 2012, I deposited a true copy of the following document(s):

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

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☒ by certified mail, No. 71603901984859508171, with return receipt requested, through the United States Postal Service at Los Angeles, California, addressed as follows:

DAMON C. WATSON
12427 W JEFFERSON BLVD APT 119
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Rosalba L. Gutierrez, Enforcement, Los Angeles

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in Los Angeles, California, on March 12, 2012.

Cristina Potter
Case Administrator
State Bar Court