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**State Bar Court of California  
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DISBARMENT**

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<p>In the Matter of: JAY TENENBAUM</p> <p>Bar # 134221</p> <p>A Member of the State Bar of California (Respondent)</p>		

**Note: All information required by this form and any additional information which cannot be provided in the space provided, must be set forth in an attachment to this stipulation under specific headings, e.g., "Facts," "Dismissals," "Conclusions of Law," "Supporting Authority," etc.**

**A. Parties' Acknowledgments:**

- (1) Respondent is a member of the State Bar of California, admitted June 14, 1988.
- (2) The parties agree to be bound by the factual stipulations contained herein even if conclusions of law or disposition are rejected or changed by the Supreme Court.



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- (3) All investigations or proceedings listed by case number in the caption of this stipulation are resolved by this stipulation and are deemed consolidated. Dismissed charge(s)/count(s) are listed under "Dismissals." The stipulation consists of (14) pages, not including the order.
- (4) A statement of acts or omissions acknowledged by respondent as cause or causes for discipline is included under "Facts."
- (5) Conclusions of law, drawn from and specifically referring to the facts are also included under "Conclusions of Law."
- (6) The parties must include supporting authority for the recommended level of discipline under the heading "Supporting Authority."
- (7) No more than 30 days prior to the filing of this stipulation, respondent has been advised in writing of any pending investigation/proceeding not resolved by this stipulation, except for criminal investigations.
- (8) Payment of Disciplinary Costs—Respondent acknowledges the provisions of Bus. & Prof. Code §§6086.10 & 6140.7. (Check one option only):
- ☒ Costs to be awarded to the State Bar.
- ☐ Costs are waived in part as set forth in a separate attachment entitled "Partial Waiver of Costs".
- ☐ Costs are entirely waived.
- (9) ORDER OF INACTIVE ENROLLMENT:  
The parties are aware that if this stipulation is approved, the judge will issue an order of inactive enrollment under Business and Professions Code section 6007, subdivision (c)(4), and Rules of Procedure of the State Bar, rule 5.111(D)(1).

**B. Aggravating Circumstances [for definition, see Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct, standard 1.2(b)]. Facts supporting aggravating circumstances are required.**

- (1) ☒ **Prior record of discipline**
- (a) ☒ State Bar Court case # of prior case nos. 08-O-14710, 09-O-10094, 09-O-10096, 09-O-10133, 09-O-10416, 09-O-10465, 09-O-10922, 09-O-11190, 09-O-11192, 09-O-11293, 09-O-11440, 09-O-11724, 09-O-12730, 09-O-14085, 09-O-15136, 10-O-03433 (Supreme Court Order S190896)
- (b) ☒ Date prior discipline effective June 4, 2011
- (c) ☒ Rules of Professional Conduct/ State Bar Act violations: Rule of Professional Conduct 4-100(A), Rule of Professional Conduct 4-100(B)(4) and Business and Professions Code section 6103.
- (d) ☒ Degree of prior discipline three year actual suspension
- (e) ☐ If respondent has two or more incidents of prior discipline, use space provided below:
- (2) ☐ **Dishonesty:** Respondent's misconduct was surrounded by or followed by bad faith, dishonesty, concealment, overreaching or other violations of the State Bar Act or Rules of Professional Conduct.

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- (3) ☐ **Trust Violation:** Trust funds or property were involved and respondent refused or was unable to account to the client or person who was the object of the misconduct for improper conduct toward said funds or property.
- (4) ☐ **Harm:** Respondent's misconduct harmed significantly a client, the public or the administration of justice.
- (5) ☐ **Indifference:** Respondent demonstrated indifference toward rectification of or atonement for the consequences of his or her misconduct.
- (6) ☐ **Lack of Cooperation:** Respondent displayed a lack of candor and cooperation to victims of his/her misconduct or to the State Bar during disciplinary investigation or proceedings.
- (7) ☒ **Multiple/Pattern of Misconduct:** Respondent's current misconduct evidences multiple acts of wrongdoing or demonstrates a pattern of misconduct. Respondent engaged in the unauthorized practice of law in multiple matters after his suspension began June 4, 2011.
- (8) ☐ **No aggravating circumstances** are involved.

**Additional aggravating circumstances:**

**C. Mitigating Circumstances [see standard 1.2(e)]. Facts supporting mitigating circumstances are required.**

- (1) ☐ **No Prior Discipline:** Respondent has no prior record of discipline over many years of practice coupled with present misconduct which is not deemed serious.
- (2) ☐ **No Harm:** Respondent did not harm the client or person who was the object of the misconduct.
- (3) ☒ **Candor/Cooperation:** Respondent displayed spontaneous candor and cooperation with the victims of his/her misconduct and to the State Bar during disciplinary investigation and proceedings. Throughout this proceeding, Respondent cooperated fully with the State Bar, answered the questions that were posed by the State Bar, and entered into this comprehensive stipulation acknowledging his misconduct.
- (4) ☐ **Remorse:** Respondent promptly took objective steps spontaneously demonstrating remorse and recognition of the wrongdoing, which steps were designed to timely atone for any consequences of his/her misconduct.
- (5) ☐ **Restitution:** Respondent paid \$            on            in restitution to            without the threat or force of disciplinary, civil or criminal proceedings.
- (6) ☐ **Delay:** These disciplinary proceedings were excessively delayed. The delay is not attributable to respondent and the delay prejudiced him/her.
- (7) ☐ **Good Faith:** Respondent acted in good faith.
- (8) ☐ **Emotional/Physical Difficulties:** At the time of the stipulated act or acts of professional misconduct respondent suffered extreme emotional difficulties or physical disabilities which expert testimony would establish was directly responsible for the misconduct. The difficulties or disabilities were not the product of any illegal conduct by the member, such as illegal drug or substance abuse, and respondent no longer suffers from such difficulties or disabilities.

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- (9) ☐ **Severe Financial Stress:** At the time of the misconduct, respondent suffered from severe financial stress which resulted from circumstances not reasonably foreseeable or which were beyond his/her control and which were directly responsible for the misconduct.
- (10) ☐ **Family Problems:** At the time of the misconduct, respondent suffered extreme difficulties in his/her personal life which were other than emotional or physical in nature.
- (11) ☐ **Good Character:** Respondent's good character is attested to by a wide range of references in the legal and general communities who are aware of the full extent of his/her misconduct.
- (12) ☐ **Rehabilitation:** Considerable time has passed since the acts of professional misconduct occurred followed by convincing proof of subsequent rehabilitation.
- (13) ☐ **No mitigating circumstances** are involved.

**Additional mitigating circumstances:**

None.

**D. Discipline:**        **Disbarment.**

**E. Additional Requirements:**

- (1) **Rule 9.20, California Rules of Court:** Respondent must comply with the requirements of rule 9.20, California Rules of Court, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of the Supreme Court's Order in this matter.
- (2) ☐ **Restitution:** Respondent must make restitution to            in the amount of \$            plus 10 percent interest per year from            . If the Client Security Fund has reimbursed            for all or any portion of the principal amount, respondent must pay restitution to CSF of the amount paid plus applicable interest and costs in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6140.5. Respondent must pay the above restitution and furnish satisfactory proof of payment to the State Bar's Office of Probation in Los Angeles no later than            days from the effective date of the Supreme Court order in this case.
- (3) ☐ **Other:**

The attachment to the stipulation re facts, conclusions of law and disposition comprises pages 6 through 13.

**ATTACHMENT TO**

**STIPULATION RE FACTS, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND DISPOSITION**

**In the Matter of Jay Tenenbaum**

**Case Nos. 11-O-15186 and 11-O-18350**

**PENDING PROCEEDINGS:**

The disclosure date referred to on page two, paragraph A.(7), was February 28, 2012.

Respondent admits that the following facts are true and that he is culpable of violations of the specified Rules of Professional Conduct and Business and Professions Code sections.

**Case No. 11-O-15186**

**FACTS**

1. On May 5, 2011, the California Supreme Court entered an order (S190896) effective on June 4, 2011, suspending Respondent from the practice of law for five years. Execution of the five year period of suspension was stayed and Respondent was placed on a five year probation, subject to conditions. Pursuant to the May 5, 2011 Supreme Court order, Respondent was actually suspended for the first three (3) years of his probation, and Respondent was ordered to comply with the conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its order approving stipulation filed on January 10, 2011.
2. On May 5, 2011, the Clerk of the Supreme Court properly served a copy of the order on Respondent at his State Bar membership records address. Respondent received actual notice of the May 5, 2011 Supreme Court order.
3. Pursuant to the May 5, 2011 Supreme Court order, Respondent was actually suspended starting on June 4, 2011, and remains on actual suspension at the time of the filing of this stipulation.
4. Despite his actual suspension which began on June 4, 2011, Respondent continued to practice law and to hold himself out as eligible to practice law in numerous lawsuits throughout California.
5. On May 27, 2011, Respondent filed an Application for and Renewal of Judgment, Memorandum of Costs after Judgment, Declaration of Jay M. Tenenbaum, Declaration to Change Attorney of Record, Assignment of Judgment, and Substitution of Attorney in Fresno County Superior Court, case no. 11CECL04948, entitled *First Select, Inc. v. Julieta Lagos* (the "*Lagos matter*") on behalf of First Select.
6. On June 7, 2011, three days after the start of his actual suspension, Respondent filed a Declaration of Reasonable Diligence, Proof of Service, and Declaration of Mailing in

Fresno County Superior Court, case no. 11CECG01585, entitled *Gryphon Solutions, LLC v. Gonzales* (the "Gonzales matter") on behalf of Gryphon Solutions.

7. On June 8, 2011, Respondent and opposing counsel filed a Stipulation to Vacate and Set Aside Default in a lawsuit filed February 8, 2011 in Tulare County Superior Court, case no. 11-241166, entitled *Credigy Receivables, Inc. v. Fitzgerald* (the "Fitzgerald matter") on behalf of Credigy Receivables .

8. After June 4, 2011, while Respondent was on actual suspension, Respondent continued to provide legal services to Gryphon Solutions in several collection matters, including a collection lawsuit in Kings County Superior Court, case no. 11C0145, entitled *Gryphon Solutions, LLC v. Villasenor* (the "Villasenor matter") on behalf of Gryphon Solutions.

9. After June 4, 2011, Respondent called the opposing attorney in the *Villasenor* matter, Jith Meganthan, and requested that Meganthan agree to continue a hearing on the demurrer filed by Meganthan be until after July 22, 2011. Meganthan agreed to request the continuance from the court.

10. On June 9, 2011, Meganthan wrote to the court clerk and requested the continuance of the hearing in the *Villasenor* matter, and copied his letter to Respondent. At no time prior to the time he received this letter or after did Respondent notify Meganthan of his actual suspension.

11. On June 16, 2011, Respondent exchanged emails with Meganthan concerning the pending demurrer in the *Villasenor* matter.

12. On June 16, 2011, Respondent and his wife Linda Seals (who was also an attorney on actual suspension at the time) filed a Summons and Verified Complaint in Fresno County Superior Court, case no. 11CECG02098, entitled *Credigy Receivables Inc, v. Javier Delrio* (the "Delrio matter") on behalf of Credigy Receivables.

13. On June 16, 2011, Respondent recorded a Notice of Pendency of Action with the Fresno County Recorder in *Credigy Receivables v. Hazzor Khan*, Fresno County Superior Court, case no. 11CECG00427, (the "Khan matter") on behalf of Credigy Receivables.

14. On July 5, 2011, Respondent filed a proof of service in Fresno County Superior Court, case no. 11CECG01541, entitled *Gryphon Solutions LLC v. Mike P. Silva* (the "Silva matter") on behalf of Gryphon Solutions.

15. On July 12, 2011, Respondent filed his Rule 9.20 Compliance Declaration, in which he averred under penalty of perjury that:

I notified all opposing counsel or adverse parties not represented by counsel in matters that were pending on the date upon which the order to comply with rule 9.20 was filed by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, of my disqualification to act as an attorney after the effective date of my suspension, disbarment or the Supreme Court's acceptance of my resignation, and filed a copy of my notice to opposing counsel/adverse

parties with the court, agency or tribunal before which litigation was pending for inclusion in its files.

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16. On July 13, 2011, Respondent filed a proof of service in the *Lagos* matter.

17. Respondent continued to provide legal services to Gryphon Solutions in Fresno County Superior Court, case no. 11CECG01604, entitled *Gryphon Solutions v. Malone* (the *Malone* matter") after his suspension began on June 4, 2011.

18. On October 7, 2011, Respondent sent an email to the mediator in the *Malone* matter proposing a payment plan on the agreed \$7,000 settlement he negotiated while on suspension.

19. On October 13, 2011, Respondent prepared a stipulation for entry of judgment in the *Malone* matter and forwarded the stipulation to the mediator.

20. As set forth above, the California Supreme Court issued a three year suspension order effective on June 4, 2011, which required Respondent to comply with California Rule of Court 9.20.

21. Specifically, the Supreme Court's May 5, 2011 order required that Respondent comply with California Rule of Court 9.20, by performing the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the effective date of the Supreme Court's May 5, 2011 order. A true and correct copy of the Supreme Court's May 5, 2011 order is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

22. The Supreme Court's May 5, 2011 order required that Respondent comply with subdivision (a) of rule 9.20 of the California Rules of Court no later than July 4, 2011, by notifying all clients and any co-counsel of his suspension, delivering to all clients any papers or other property to which the clients are entitled, refunding any unearned attorney fees, notifying opposing counsel and adverse parties of his suspension, and filing a copy of the required notice with the court, agency, or tribunal before which the litigation is pending.

23. The Supreme Court's May 5, 2011 order required that Respondent comply with subdivision (c) of rule 9.20 of the California Rules of Court no later than July 14, 2011, by filing with the Clerk of the State Bar Court an affidavit showing that he fully complied with those provisions of the Suspension Order regarding rule 9.20.

24. On March 28, 2011, Respondent substituted in as counsel for Gryphon Solutions in a lawsuit filed in Fresno Superior Court, case no. 07CECL03785, entitled *CACV of Colorado, LLC v. Hunsaker* (the "*Hunsaker* matter") on behalf of Gryphon Solutions.

25. Respondent failed to notify his opposing counsel and the opposing parties in the litigation which was ongoing as of May 5, 2011, of his suspension, including his opposing counsel and the opposing parties in the *Fitzgerald* matter, the *Khan* matter, the *Villasenor* matter, and the *Hunsaker* matter.



26. Respondent failed to file the notices required by Rule 9.20 in the courts where he was counsel of record as of May 5, 2011, which notified the courts of his suspension in the *Fitzgerald* matter, the *Khan* matter, the *Villasenor* matter, and the *Hunsaker* matter.

27. At the time Respondent filed his 9.20 Compliance Declaration with the State Bar Court on July 12, 2011, Respondent was grossly negligent in not knowing it was false, because he had not notified opposing counsel, opposing parties and courts of his suspension.

28. Respondent enlisted his father-in-law, a licensed attorney, Philbert E. Seals, State Bar No 33025, to substitute into the ongoing litigation in which Respondent was counsel of record at the time the May 5, 2011 Supreme Court order was entered and the litigation Respondent undertook after the entry of the May 5, 2011 Supreme Court order.

29. At no time did Respondent file the notices required by Rule 9.20 in the ongoing litigation where he was counsel of record as of May 5, 2011, of his three year actual suspension.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

By filing the multiple pleadings in several Superior Courts throughout California and by continuing to provide legal services to Gryphon Solutions in the *Villasenor* and *Malone* matters after June 4, 2011, Respondent held himself out to his clients, courts, opposing counsel and a court mediator as entitled to practice law and actually practiced law when he was not an active member of the State Bar in wilful violation of Business and Professions Code sections 6125 and 6126, and thereby failed to support the laws of the State of California in wilful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6068(a).

By failing to notify his opposing counsel and the courts where he was counsel of record as of May 5, 2011, of his disciplinary suspension, Respondent willfully failed to comply with subdivision (a)(4) of California Rule of Court 9.20.

By filing the false 9.20 declaration with the State Bar Court, Respondent committed an act or acts involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, or corruption in wilful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6106.

## **Case No. 11-O-18350**

## **FACTS**

1. On June 17, 2011, after his actual suspension began, Respondent substituted into a lawsuit then pending in Alameda Superior Court, case no. 2002052579, entitled *First Select, Inc. v. Archuleta* (the "*Archuleta* matter") on behalf of First Select.

2. That same day, June 17, 2011, Respondent filed a Memorandum of Costs after Judgment, Acknowledgement of Credit, Declaration of Accrued Interest and Assignment of Judgment in the *Archuleta* matter.

3. On June 30, 2011, Philbert Seals filed a Notice of Change of Attorney in the *Archuleta* matter.

4. On October 3, 2011, Respondent filed a Notice of Levy and Writ of Execution in the *Archuleta* matter.

5. Respondent failed to notify his opposing counsel and the court in the *Archuleta* matter of his suspension.

6. At the time Respondent filed the materially false 9.20 Compliance Declaration with the State Bar Court on July 12, 2011, Respondent knew that it was false or was grossly negligent in not knowing it was false.

7. Respondent actively concealed from the State Bar, his opposing counsel and the court in the *Archuleta* matter that he was suspended from active practice of law effective June 4, 2011.

8. In an effort to conceal his continued unauthorized practice of law and his three year suspension from active law practice, Respondent enlisted his father-in-law, a licensed attorney, Philbert E. Seals, State Bar No 33025, to substitute into the *Archuleta* matter.

9. At no time did Respondent file the required notices to the court in the *Archuleta* matter of his three year actual suspension.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

By substituting into the *Archuleta* matter and filing the multiple pleadings in the *Archuleta* matter after June 4, 2011, Respondent held himself out to the court and opposing counsel as entitled to practice law and actually practiced law when he was not an active member of the State Bar in wilful violation of Business and Professions Code sections 6125 and 6126, and thereby failed to support the laws of the State of California in wilful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6068(a).

By failing to notify his opposing counsel and the court in the *Archuleta* matter of his disciplinary suspension, Respondent willfully failed to comply with subdivision (a)(4) of California Rule of Court 9.20.

## **AUTHORITIES SUPPORTING DISCIPLINE**

### **STANDARDS FOR ATTORNEY SANCTIONS**

To determine the appropriate level of discipline, the standards provide guidance. *Drociak v. State Bar* (1991) 52 Cal.3d 1085; *In the Matter of Sampson*, 3 Cal. State Bar Ct. Rptr. 119. A disciplinary recommendation must be consistent with the discipline in similar proceedings. See *Snyder v. State Bar* (1990) 49 Cal.3d 1302. Also, the recommended discipline must rest upon a balanced consideration of relevant factors. *In the Matter of Sampson*, 3 Cal. State Bar Ct. Rptr. 119.

Pursuant to Standard 1.3 of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

The primary purposes of disciplinary proceedings conducted by the State Bar of California and of sanctions imposed upon a finding or acknowledgment of a member's professional misconduct are the protection of the public, the courts and the legal profession; the maintenance of high professional standards by attorneys and the preservation of public confidence in the legal profession.

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Pursuant to Standard 1.2 of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

(b) "Aggravating circumstance" is an event or factor established clearly and convincingly by the State Bar as having surrounded a member's professional misconduct and which demonstrates that a greater degree of sanction than set forth in these standards for the particular act of professional misconduct found or acknowledged is needed to adequately protect the public, courts and legal profession.

Circumstances which shall be considered aggravating are:

(ii) that the current misconduct found or acknowledged by the member evidences multiple acts of wrongdoing or demonstrates a pattern of misconduct.

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Pursuant to Standard 1.6(a) of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

The appropriate sanction for an act of professional misconduct shall be set forth in the following standards for the particular act of misconduct found or acknowledged. If two or more acts of professional misconduct are found or acknowledged in a single disciplinary proceeding, and different sanctions are prescribed by these standards for said acts, the sanctions imposed shall be the more or the most severe of the different application sanctions.

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Pursuant to Standard 1.6(b)(1) of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

Aggravating circumstances are found to surround the particular act of misconduct found or acknowledged and the net effect of those aggravating circumstances, by themselves and in balance with any mitigating circumstances found, demonstrates that a greater degree of sanction is required to fulfill the purposes of imposing sanctions set forth in standard 1.3. In that case, a greater degree of discipline than the appropriate sanction shall be imposed or recommended.

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Pursuant to Standard 1.7(a) of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

If a member is found culpable of professional misconduct in any proceeding in which discipline may be imposed and the member has a record of one prior imposition of discipline as defined by standard 1.2(f), the degree of discipline imposed in the current proceeding shall be greater than that imposed in the prior proceeding unless the prior proceeding unless the prior discipline imposed was so remote in time to the current proceeding and the offense for which it was imposed was so minimal in severity that imposing greater discipline in the current proceeding would be manifestly unjust.

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Pursuant to Standard 2.3 of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

Culpability of a member of an act of moral turpitude, fraud, or intentional dishonesty toward a court, client or another person or of concealment of a material fact to a court, client or another person shall result in actual suspension or disbarment depending upon the extent to which the victim of the misconduct is harmed or misled and depending upon the magnitude of the act of misconduct and the degree to which it relates to the member's acts within the practice of law.

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Pursuant to Standard 2.6 of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

Culpability of a member of a violation of any of the following provisions of the Business and Professions Code shall result in disbarment or suspension depending on the gravity of the offense or the harm, if any, to the victim, with due regard to the purposes of imposing discipline set forth in standard 1.3:

- (a) Sections 6067 and 6068;
  - (b) Sections 6103 through 6105. ...
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Pursuant to Standard 2.10 of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct:

Culpability of a member ... of a wilful violation of any Rule of Professional Conduct not specified in these standards shall result in reproof or suspension according to the gravity of the offense or the harm, if any, to the victim, with due regard to the purposes of imposing discipline set forth in standard 1.3

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Respondent's wide-spread misconduct which began at the start of his three year disciplinary suspension warrants his disbarment. Disbarment is the appropriate discipline in these matters, and falls within the applicable standards.

## **FURTHER AGREEMENTS OF THE PARTIES**

The factual statements contained in this Stipulation constitute admissions of fact and may not be withdrawn by either party, except with court approval.

## **COSTS**

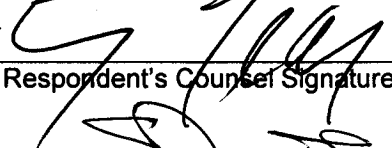
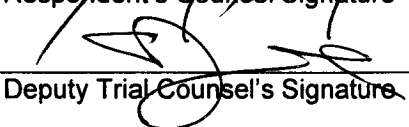
Respondent acknowledges that the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel has informed him that as of February 28, 2012, the estimated costs in this matter are \$4,180. Respondent further acknowledges that, should this Stipulation be rejected or should relief from the Stipulation be granted, the costs in this matter may increase due to the cost of further proceedings.

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### SIGNATURE OF THE PARTIES

By their signatures below, the parties and their counsel, as applicable, signify their agreement with each of the recitations and each of the terms and conditions of this Stipulation Re Facts, Conclusions of Law, and Disposition.

<u>4/28/12</u> Date	 Respondent's Signature	<u>Jay Tenenbaum</u> Print Name
<u>4/28/12</u> Date	 Respondent's Counsel Signature	<u>Edward O. Lear</u> Print Name
<u>2-28-12</u> Date	 Deputy Trial Counsel's Signature	<u>Erin McKeown Joyce</u> Print Name

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### DISBARMENT ORDER

Finding the stipulation to be fair to the parties and that it adequately protects the public, IT IS ORDERED that the requested dismissal of counts/charges, if any, is GRANTED without prejudice, and:

- ☒ The stipulated facts and disposition are APPROVED and the DISCIPLINE RECOMMENDED to the Supreme Court.
- ☐ The stipulated facts and disposition are APPROVED AS MODIFIED as set forth below, and the DISCIPLINE IS RECOMMENDED to the Supreme Court.
- ☐ All Hearing dates are vacated.

The parties are bound by the stipulation as approved unless: 1) a motion to withdraw or modify the stipulation, filed within 15 days after service of this order, is granted; or 2) this court modifies or further modifies the approved stipulation. (See rule 5.58(E) & (F), Rules of Procedure.) **The effective date of this disposition is the effective date of the Supreme Court order herein, normally 30 days after file date. (See rule 9.18(a), California Rules of Court.)**

Respondent is ordered transferred to involuntary inactive status pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 6007, subdivision (c)(4). Respondent's inactive enrollment will be effective three (3) calendar days after this order is served by mail and will terminate upon the effective date of the Supreme Court's order imposing discipline herein, or as provided for by rule 5.111(D)(2) of the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California, or as otherwise ordered by the Supreme Court pursuant to its plenary jurisdiction.

Date

03-08-12

Judge of the State Bar Court

RICHARD A. PLATEL

## 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 8, 2012, I deposited a true copy of the following document(s):

STIPULATION RE FACTS, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND DISPOSITION AND  
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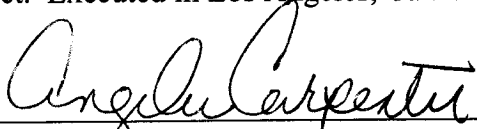
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ERIN JOYCE, Enforcement, Los Angeles

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in Los Angeles, California, on March 8, 2012.

  
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Angela Carpenter  
Case Administrator  
State Bar Court