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STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
HEARING DEPARTMENT – LOS ANGELES

<p>In the Matter of</p> <p>LISA L. SCHULTZ, No. 182098,</p> <p>A Member of the State Bar.</p>	<p>) Case No. 12-C-13801</p> <p>) RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF</p> <p>) HEARING ON CONVICTION AND</p> <p>) REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO</p> <p>) RESPOND TO THE PETITION FOR</p> <p>) DISBARMENT</p> <p>) (Rule 5.345(B), Rules Proc. of State Bar)</p>
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Respondent respectfully requests the court accept the within untimely Response to the Notice of Hearing on Conviction filed September 21, 2012. At that time, the conviction was not yet final inasmuch as the time to appeal had not passed. Subsequently, the State Bar filed and/or served other documents establishing the finality of the conviction. The court may recall that Respondent has been on an extended leave of absence in order to provide full-time care for her father who was diagnosed with a terminal illness. Sadly, Respondent's father passed away February 19, 2013. The memorial service was Friday, March 8, 2013.

Respondent respectfully requests the Court accept this response and further, permit additional time to respond to the State Bar's Petition For Disbarment. Upon receipt of that Petition, respondent immediately contacted attorney Scott Drexel to seek representation. Mr. Drexel agreed to represent Respondent but Respondent needs additional time, one ^{or two days} ~~week to ten~~ ~~(10) days~~, to retain Mr. Drexel. Respondent intends to file a motion for relief from default under CP473.



1 Respondent has been employed in the legal profession her entire adult life (nearly thirty-
2 two years) and has earned a positive and respectable reputation based on honesty, integrity,
3 and fairness, and has enjoyed an overall general good standing in the legal community.
4 Respondent has earned the trust and respect of many employers, Judges, opposing attorneys,
5 clients and in many cases, even the adversaries of clients during and throughout the litigation
6 process. Respondent believes she will demonstrate good cause for her inability to attend the
7 second day of trial on September 28, 2012, which resulted in the entry of her default, and
8 further, demonstrate that disbarment would be unjust and inappropriate under the
9 circumstances here.

10 In response to the Petition For Hearing on Conviction, Respondent admits that, on or
11 about August 23, 2012, pursuant to a plea agreement, she was convicted in the Orange County
12 Superior Court, of driving on a suspended license on December 21, 2011 (a misdemeanor), in
13 violation of Vehicle Code Section 14601.1(a).

14 Respondent denies that the facts and circumstances surrounding her misdemeanor
15 conviction involved moral turpitude or other misconduct warranting discipline within the meaning
16 of Business and Professions Code sections 6101, subdivision (a) and 6102, subdivision (e).

17 Respondent hereby requests a hearing on the issues referred to this Court by the State
18 Bar Court Review Department in its minute order filed December 14, 2012 in the above-entitled
19 proceeding.

20 Respectfully submitted.

21 Dated: March 22, 2012

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24 Lisa L. Schultz, Respondent
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PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE:

I am a resident of the County of Orange, State of California. I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the within action; my address is 8222 Santa Margarita Lane, La Palma, California 90623.

On March 25, 2013, I served a copy of the following document(s) described as **RESPONSE OF LISA SCHULTZ TO NOTICE OF HEARING ON CONVICTION AND REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO RESPOND TO PETITION FOR DISBARMENT** on the interested parties:

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BY MAIL - I deposited the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid in the U.S. Mail at Cypress, California, addressed as set forth above. I am readily familiar with the collection and processing of correspondence for Lisa L. Schultz, Esq. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage fully prepaid in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of the party served, service is presumed valid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing in affidavit.

BY PERSONAL SERVICE - I caused such envelope(s) to be delivered by hand to the aforementioned addressee(s).

BY OVERNIGHT COURIER- I caused such envelope(s) to be picked up by overnight courier overnight delivery service and delivered to the following addressee(s) by 12:00 noon on the following business day.

BY TELECOPIER - I caused such document(s) to be transmitted to the telephone numbers indicated on the attached list.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on March 25, 2013, at La Palma, California.



Mark J. Chelini