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8 STATE BAR COURT

9 HEARING DEPARTMENT - LOS ANGELES

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11 In the Matter of:) Case No. 12-0-13730
12 JEFFREY PAUL KRANZDORF,)
No. 90207,) AMENDED NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY
13) CHARGES
14 A Member of the State Bar.)

15 **NOTICE - FAILURE TO RESPOND!**

16 **IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A WRITTEN ANSWER TO THIS NOTICE**
17 **WITHIN 20 DAYS AFTER SERVICE, OR IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT**
THE STATE BAR COURT TRIAL:

- 18 (1) **YOUR DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED;**
19 (2) **YOUR STATUS WILL BE CHANGED TO INACTIVE AND YOU**
WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW;
20 (3) **YOU WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE FURTHER IN**
THESE PROCEEDINGS UNLESS YOU MAKE A TIMELY MOTION
AND THE DEFAULT IS SET ASIDE, AND;
21 (4) **YOU SHALL BE SUBJECT TO ADDITIONAL DISCIPLINE.**
22 **SPECIFICALLY, IF YOU FAIL TO TIMELY MOVE TO SET ASIDE**
23 **OR VACATE YOUR DEFAULT, THIS COURT WILL ENTER AN**
ORDER RECOMMENDING YOUR DISBARMENT WITHOUT
24 **FURTHER HEARING OR PROCEEDING. SEE RULE 5.80 ET SEQ.,**
RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA.

25 The State Bar of California alleges:

26 JURISDICTION

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- 27 1. Jeffrey Paul Kranzdorf (Respondent) was admitted to the practice of law in the State
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1 of California on November 29, 1979, was a member at all times pertinent to these charges, and is
2 currently a member of the State Bar of California.

3 COUNT ONE

4 Case No. 12-O-13730
5 Business and Professions Code, section 6068(i)
6 [Failure to Cooperate in State Bar Investigation]

7 2. Respondent failed to cooperate and participate in a disciplinary investigation pending
8 against Respondent by failing to provide a written response to the State Bar's letters of June 11,
9 2012, and June 26, 2012, which Respondent received, that requested Respondent's response to
10 the allegations of misconduct being investigated in case no. 12-O-13739, and Respondent failed
11 to appear at an investigative deposition on October 2, 2013, after being personally served with
12 notice of the deposition on September 18, 2013, in willful violation of Business and Professions
13 Code, section 6068(i).

14 NOTICE - INACTIVE ENROLLMENT!

15 **YOU ARE HEREBY FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT IF THE STATE BAR
16 COURT FINDS, PURSUANT TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE
17 SECTION 6007(c), THAT YOUR CONDUCT POSES A SUBSTANTIAL
18 THREAT OF HARM TO THE INTERESTS OF YOUR CLIENTS OR TO
19 THE PUBLIC, YOU MAY BE INVOLUNTARILY ENROLLED AS AN
20 INACTIVE MEMBER OF THE STATE BAR. YOUR INACTIVE
21 ENROLLMENT WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO ANY DISCIPLINE
22 RECOMMENDED BY THE COURT.**

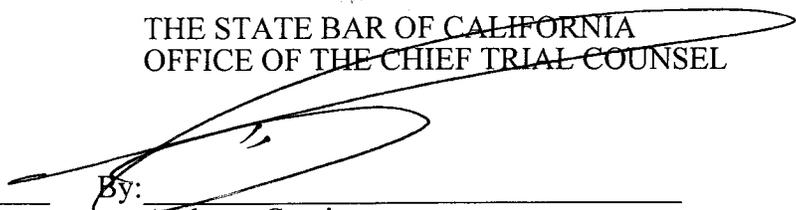
23 NOTICE - COST ASSESSMENT!

24 **IN THE EVENT THESE PROCEDURES RESULT IN PUBLIC
25 DISCIPLINE, YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF COSTS
26 INCURRED BY THE STATE BAR IN THE INVESTIGATION, HEARING
27 AND REVIEW OF THIS MATTER PURSUANT TO BUSINESS AND
28 PROFESSIONS CODE SECTION 6086.10.**

Respectfully submitted,

THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL

Dated: March 19, 2014

By: 

Anthony Garcia
Senior Trial Counsel

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

by

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CASE NUMBER(s): 12-O-13730

I, the undersigned, am over the age of eighteen (18) years and not a party to the within action, whose business address and place of employment is the State Bar of California, 845 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, California 90017, declare that:

- on the date shown below, I caused to be served a true copy of the within document described as follows:

AMENDED NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES

By U.S. First-Class Mail: (CCP §§ 1013 and 1013(a)) - in accordance with the practice of the State Bar of California for collection and processing of mail, I deposited or placed for collection and mailing in the City and County of Los Angeles.

By U.S. Certified Mail: (CCP §§ 1013 and 1013(a))

By Overnight Delivery: (CCP §§ 1013(c) and 1013(d)) - I am readily familiar with the State Bar of California's practice for collection and processing of correspondence for overnight delivery by the United Parcel Service ('UPS').

By Fax Transmission: (CCP §§ 1013(e) and 1013(f)) Based on agreement of the parties to accept service by fax transmission, I faxed the documents to the persons at the fax numbers listed herein below. No error was reported by the fax machine that I used. The original record of the fax transmission is retained on file and available upon request.

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(for U.S. First-Class Mail) in a sealed envelope placed for collection and mailing at Los Angeles, addressed to: (see below)

(for Certified Mail) in a sealed envelope placed for collection and mailing as certified mail, return receipt requested, Article No.: 7196 9008 9111 1008 1813 at Los Angeles, addressed to: (see below)

(for Overnight Delivery) together with a copy of this declaration, in an envelope, or package designated by UPS, Tracking No.: addressed to: (see below)

Table with 4 columns: Person Served, Business-Residential Address, Fax Number, Courtesy Copy Via U.S. Mail to: Jeffrey Paul Kranzdorf, 2425 Colorado Ave Ste #205 Santa Monica, CA 90404, Electronic Address, 18410 Saint Moritz Drive Tarzana, CA 91356, 18375 Ventura Blvd., Suite 430 Tarzana, CA 91356

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I declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed at Los Angeles, California, on the date shown below.

DATED: March 19, 2014

SIGNED: Laura Jett, Laura Jett, Declarant