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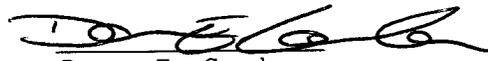
STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

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6 In the Matter of) Case No.: 14-C-01084-LMA
7 DAMON ERIC GARDNER,)
8 A Member of the State Bar, No.) **RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY**
9 226776.) **CHARGES**

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11 **TO ALL PARTIES AND COUNSEL IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER:**

12 **RESPONDENT**, Damon Eric Gardner, hereby **specifically denies** that the
13 facts and circumstances surrounding the violation of Penal Code section
14 25400, subdivision (a)(2) (carrying a concealed weapon), a misdemeanor that
15 may or may not involve moral turpitude, involves moral turpitude or other
16 misconduct warranting discipline. During the incident at issue, Respondent
17 was acting in self-defense with a permitted concealed weapon. The concealed
18 weapon permit was negated by the consumption of alcohol by Respondent.

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20 Dated this June 11, 2015



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1 **PROOF OF SERVICE**
2 **(Rules Proc. of State Bar; Rule 5.27(A); Code Civ. Proc., §1013a)**

3 *In the Matter of Damon Eric Gardner*
4 *Member No. 226776*
5 *A Member of the State Bar*
6 *Case No. 14-C-01084-LMA*

7 I, Kirsten Ingram, declare that:

8 I am a citizen of the United States and am over the age of eighteen years and not a party
9 to the within above-entitled action. I am a resident of Mendocino County and my residence
10 address is 1541 Ponderosa Way, Redwood Valley, CA 95470.

11 On June 12, 2015, I served the within document:

12 **DAMON GARDNER'S RESPONSE TO**
13 **NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES**
14 **(Rules of Proc. of State Bar, rule 5.43)**

15 On the parties in said action by mail, addressed as follows:

16 Jonathan W. Bertz
17 Deputy Trial Counsel
18 The State Bar of California
19 Office of the Chief Trial Counsel
20 180 Howard Street
21 San Francisco, CA 94105-2183

22 Mazie Yip
23 Case Administrator
24 State Bar Court
25 The State Bar of California
26 180 Howard Street, 6th Floor
27 San Francisco, CA 94105-1639

28 On the date set forth above, I served the aforementioned document(s) on the parties in said action
by depositing a true and correct copy thereof with the United States Postal Service enclosed in a
sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, for collection and mailing on this date, at
Redwood Valley, CA, addressed as set forth above.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the
foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed on June 12, 2015, at
Redwood Valley, CA.

29 *Kirsten Ingram*
30 (printed name)

Kirsten Ingram
(signature of declarant)