

## **STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA**

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## **HEARING DEPARTMENT – SAN FRANCISCO**

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In the Matter of

STEVEN LEE WESSELS,

Member No. 96982,

A Member of the State Bar.

Case Nos.: **14-O-00942-LMA** (14-O-01904; 14-O-03243)

**ORDER STRIKING CROSS-COMPLAINT** 

This matter is before the court on the motion, filed by the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel of the State Bar of California (State Bar) on February 19, 2015, to strike the portion of respondent Steven Lee Wessels's answer (i.e. response) to the notice of disciplinary that is titled "cross complaint." Respondent did not file a response to the State Bar's motion.

#### <u>ORDER</u>

Good cause having been shown, the court orders that the State Bar's February 19, 2015, motion to strike the portion of respondent's response to the notice of disciplinary charges that is titled "cross complaint" is GRANTED. Accordingly, the court further orders that the portion of respondent's January 26, 2015, response to the notice of disciplinary charges that is titled "cross complaint," which begins on page 39 at line 1 and ends on page 44 at line 24, is STRICKEN from the record.

Dated: March 12, 2015

LUCY ARMENDARIZ 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 San Francisco, on March 12, 2015, 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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STEVEN LEE WESSELS PO BOX 601134 SACRAMENTO, CA 95860

by interoffice mail through a facility regularly maintained by the State Bar of California addressed as follows:

ROBERT A. HENDERSON, Enforcement, San Francisco

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in San Francisco, California, on March 12, 2015.

Mazie Yip Case Administrator State Bar Court