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HEARING DEPARTMENT - SAN FRANCISCO

In the Matter of:) Case No. 14-O-01920
MYRON FRANCIS SMITH,)
No. 72722,) NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES
A Member of the State Bar)

NOTICE - FAILURE TO RESPOND!

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

- (1) YOUR DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED;**
- (2) YOUR STATUS WILL BE CHANGED TO INACTIVE AND YOU
WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW;**
- (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;**
- (4) YOU SHALL BE SUBJECT TO ADDITIONAL DISCIPLINE.
SPECIFICALLY, IF YOU FAIL TO TIMELY MOVE TO SET ASIDE
OR VACATE YOUR DEFAULT, THIS COURT WILL ENTER AN
ORDER RECOMMENDING YOUR DISBARMENT WITHOUT
FURTHER HEARING OR PROCEEDING. SEE RULE 5.80 ET SEQ.,
RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA.**

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1 The State Bar of California alleges:

2 JURISDICTION

3 1. MYRON FRANCIS SMITH ("respondent") was admitted to the practice of law in the
4 State of California on December 22, 1976, was a member at all times pertinent to these charges,
5 and is currently a member of the State Bar of California.

6 COUNT ONE

7 Case No. 14-O-01920
8 Business and Professions Code, section 6103
[Failure to Obey a Court Order]

9 2. Respondent disobeyed or violated an order of the court requiring respondent to do or
10 forbear an act connected with or in the course of respondent's profession which respondent ought
11 in good faith to do or forbear by failing to comply with the August 14, September 11, and
12 October 23, 2013 Orders to Show Cause Why Sanctions Should Not Be Imposed in *United*
13 *Carpet Co. v. Frank Sutherland*, Tulare County Superior Court, case no. VCL158327, in willful
14 violation of Business and Professions Code, section 6103.

15 COUNT TWO

16 Case No. 14-O-01920
17 Business and Professions Code, section 6103
[Failure to Obey a Court Order]

18 3. Respondent disobeyed or violated an order of the court requiring respondent to do or
19 forbear an act connected with or in the course of respondent's profession which respondent ought
20 in good faith to do or forbear by failing to comply with the June 3, June 24, and December 18,
21 2013 Orders to Show Cause, and the January 3, 2014 Case Management Order, in *Taneja v.*
22 *Patel*, Alameda County Superior Court, case no. RG13663528, in willful violation of Business
23 and Professions Code, section 6103.

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Respectfully submitted,

DATED: October 20, 2014

By: HEATHER E. ABELSON
Deputy Trial Counsel

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE
BY CERTIFIED AND REGULAR MAIL

CASE NO.: 14-O-01920

I, the undersigned, over the age of eighteen (18) years, whose business address and place of employment is the State Bar of California, 180 Howard Street, San Francisco, California 94105, declare that I am not a party to the within action; that I am readily familiar with the State Bar of California's practice for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service; that in the ordinary course of the State Bar of California's practice, correspondence collected and processed by the State Bar of California would be deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day; that I am aware that on motion of party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date on the envelope or package is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing contained in the affidavit; and that 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 San Francisco, on the date shown below, a true copy of the within

NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES

in a sealed envelope placed for collection and mailing as ***certified mail, return receipt requested***, and in an additional sealed envelope as ***regular mail***, at San Francisco, on the date shown below, addressed to:

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Myron Francis Smith
Law Ofc Myron F Smith
1284 W. Shaw Ave., # 103
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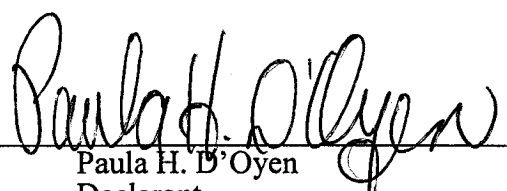
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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed at San Francisco, California, on the date shown below.

DATED: October 20, 2014

Signed: _____


Paula H. D'Oyen
Declarant