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In the Matter of)	Case No. 15-C-13442
)	
WILLIAM LEO SMITH,)	ORDER
)	
A Member of the State Bar, No. 137805.)	
_____)	

Since respondent William Leo Smith has been convicted of violating Penal Code sections 314(1) (indecent exposure), a felony, and 290.018, subdivision (a) (violation of sex offender registration requirement), a misdemeanor, it is ordered pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 6102 that respondent be suspended from the practice of law effective September 12, 2016, pending final disposition of this proceeding. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(a).) It is also ordered that respondent comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the effective date of this suspension.

In its July 27, 2016 Transmittal of Records of Conviction, the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (OCTC) states that it has attached evidence of finality of respondent's conviction but has failed to identify what evidence in the record establishes respondent's conviction is final. Further, OCTC has not made its position clear as to whether respondent's convictions should be classified as involving moral turpitude as a matter of law.



Thus, within ten days of this order, OCTC is directed to clarify: (1) what evidence, if any, in the July 27, 2016 Transmittal of Records of Conviction establishes that respondent's conviction is final; and (2) its position on whether either, or both, of respondent's convictions involve moral turpitude as a matter of law.

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Presiding Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

[Rules Proc. of State Bar; Rule 5.27(B); Code Civ. Proc., § 1013a(4)]

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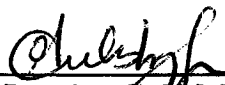
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I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in Los Angeles, California, on August 17, 2016.



Jasmine Guldzhyan
Case Administrator
State Bar Court