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STATE BAR COURT  
HEARING DEPARTMENT - LOS ANGELES

In the Matter of: ) Case No. 15-H-12441  
JOSEPH FRIEDEN HANAN, ) AMENDED NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY  
No. 229936, ) 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. Joseph Frieden Hanan ("Respondent") was admitted to the practice of law in the State  
4 of California on January 23, 2004, was a member at all times pertinent to these charges, and is  
5 currently a member of the State Bar of California.

6 COUNT ONE

7 Case No. 15-H-12441  
8 Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 1-110  
9 [Failure to Comply with Repeval Conditions]

10 2. Respondent failed to comply with conditions attached to the private reprovall  
11 administered to respondent by the State Bar in case no. 13-O-10190 as follows, in willfull  
12 violation of Rules of Professional Conduct, rule 1-110:

13 A. Failing to attend a session of State Bar Ethics School, pass the test given at the end of  
14 the session, and submit satisfactory proof of the same to the Office of Probation within  
15 one year of the effective date of his reprovall;

16 B. Failing to take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination  
17 administered by the National Conference of Bar Examiners and submit satisfactory proof  
18 of the same to the Office of Probation within one year of the effective date of his  
19 reprovall;

20 C. Failing to file one quarterly report by its due date of January 10, 2015 and one final  
21 report by its due date of April 23, 2015; and

22 D. Failing to file proof of attendance at a minimum of two meetings per month of an  
23 abstinence-based self-help group with one quarterly report by its due date of January 10,  
24 2015 and with the final report by its due date of April 23, 2015.

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COUNT TWO

Case No. 15-H-12441  
Business and professions Code Section 6106  
[Moral Turpitude-Misrepresentation]

3. On or about April 27, 2015, Respondent stated in writing under penalty of perjury in his final report to the Office of Probation, in State Bar case no. 13-O-10190, that he had complied with all conditions of his reprobation during the period from April 1, 2015 through April 23, 2015 and that he was registered for the June 4, 2015 Ethics School and the August 15, 2015 Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination when Respondent knew or was grossly negligent in not knowing the statements were false, and thereby committed an act involving moral turpitude, dishonesty or corruption in willful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6106.

**NOTICE - INACTIVE ENROLLMENT!**

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

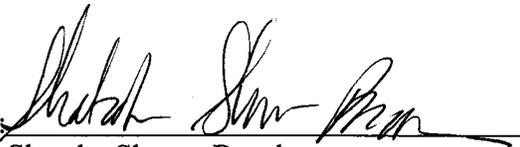
**NOTICE - COST ASSESSMENT!**

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

Respectfully submitted,

THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL

DATED: October 28, 2015

By:   
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