Anthony Radogna, Bar #261859 1 Law Offices of Anthony Radogna **FILED** 1 Park Plaza, Suite 600 2 Irvine, CA 92614 JAN -5 2017 3 P (949) 852-7312 STATE BAR COURT 4 CLERK'S OFFICE LOS ANGELES Counsel for Respondent 5 6 7 8 THE STATE BAR COURT OF THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA 9 **HEARING DEPARTMENT- LOS ANGELES** 10 11 IN THE MATTER OF 12 Case No.: 16-O-11019 ANTHONY OBEHI EGBASE, 13 **RESPONSE:** Member No. 181721, 14 NOTICE OF 15 **DISCIPLINARY CHARGES** A Member of the State Bar 16 17 TO THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL OF THE STATE BAR OF 18 CALIFORNIA AND TO ITS TRIAL COUNSEL OF RECORD: 19 ANTHONY OBEHI EGBASE (Respondent), by and through his attorney of record 20 herein, Law Offices of Anthony Radogna, hereby responds to the Notice of Disciplinary Charges 21 22 filed January 4, 2017 as follows below. 23 **JURISDICTION** 24 1. Responding to paragraph 1 of the Notice of Disciplinary Charges, Respondent 25 admits the allegations stated in that paragraph. 26 111 211 097 162 27 /// 28 111

COUNT ONE

2. Responding to paragraph 2 of the Notice of Disciplinary Charges, Respondent denies the allegations and assumptions stated in that paragraph.

COUNT TWO

3. Responding to paragraph 3 of the Notice of Disciplinary Charges, Respondent denies the allegations and assumptions stated in that paragraph.

COUNT THREE

4. Responding to paragraph 4 of the Notice of Disciplinary Charges, Respondent denies the allegations stated in that paragraph.

COUNT FOUR

5. Responding to paragraph 5 of the Notice of Disciplinary Charges, Respondent denies the allegations stated in that paragraph.

COUNT FIVE

6. Responding to paragraph 6 of the Notice of Disciplinary Charges, Respondent denies the allegations stated in that paragraph.

AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

- 1. The Notice of Disciplinary Charges and every count in it, fails to plead a disciplinable offense.
- 2. Count 1,2,3,4, and 5 fails to contain facts, in concise and ordinary language, comprising the violations in sufficient detail to permit the preparation of a defense as required by rule 5.41(B)(2), Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California.
- 3. Counts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 fail to provide adequate notice of the conduct alleged to violate the rule and fail to relate stated facts to rules allegedly violated as required by rule 5.41(B)(3), Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California and applicable case law (*In the Matter of Glasser* (Review Dept 1990) 1 Cal. State Bar Ct. Rptr. 163; *In the Matter of Varakin* (Review Dept. 1994) 3 Cal. State Bar Ct. Rptr. 179.)

Dated: January 4, 2017

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Respectfully submitted,

LAW OFFICES OF ANTHONY RADOGNA

Anthony Radogna Esq.
Counsel for Respondent

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

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