



PUBLIC MATTER

STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
HEARING DEPARTMENT – LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of)	Case No.: 16-TR-13499-DFM
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CARLOS F. NEGRETE,)	ORDER OF INVOLUNTARY
)	INACTIVE ENROLLMENT; ORDER
Member No. 134658,)	REQUIRING SUPPLEMENTAL
)	INFORMATION AND SCHEDULING
A Member of the State Bar.)	STATUS CONFERENCE
)	(Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6007, subd. (b)(2).)

On May 24, 2016, the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel of the State Bar of California (State Bar) filed a motion to have **Carlos F. Negrete** (Respondent), State Bar No. 134658, involuntarily enrolled as an inactive member of the State Bar of California pursuant to Business and Professions Code¹ section 6007, subdivision (b)(2). The basis for this request is its assertion that the Orange County Superior Court assumed jurisdiction over Respondent's practice on March 2, 2016, pursuant to section 6190, et seq. No opposition has been filed to this motion and the time for Respondent to do so has now expired.

Section 6007, subdivision (b)(2), mandates that an attorney be enrolled inactive if a superior court has assumed jurisdiction over the attorney's law practice under Business and Professions Code section 6180.5 or section 6190.3. Attached to the State Bar's motion was a copy of the Orange County Superior Court's order assuming jurisdiction over Respondent's

¹ Unless otherwise noted, all future references to section(s) will be to the Business and Professions Code.

practice on March 2, 2016, together with a request that this court take judicial notice of that order. That request is granted.

GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, respondent **Carlos F. Negrete**, State Bar No. 134658, is hereby ordered to be involuntary enrolled as an inactive member of the State Bar of California, effective three calendar days after the service of this order by mail (Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 5.180-184.).

Although the evidence submitted to this court with the instant motion was sufficient to warrant the granting of that motion, this court is concerned that the attached Orange County Superior Court order was merely an "Interim Order Assuming Jurisdiction" over Respondent's practice and was issued based on that court's express finding that it was "more likely than not that the State Bar's Verified Petition and Application over the Law Practice of Carlos F. Negrete will be granted[.]" While the memorandum of points and authorities attached to the instant motion states that "permanent and final" orders were issued by the court after a hearing on March 2, 2016, that statement is not supported by either the attached declaration in support of the motion or any attached order.

A status conference will be held in this matter on July 11, 2016, at 1:30 p.m. All parties are ordered to participate. Prior to that status conference, the State Bar is ordered to supplement the present record by serving and filing proof either that (1) the Orange County Superior Court has granted the State Bar's verified petition referred to in its interim order or (2) the interim order remains in effect. Failure to provide such proof satisfactory to this court may result in the instant order of involuntary enrollment being vacated.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 14, 2016.


DONALD F. MILES
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 Los Angeles, on June 14, 2016, I deposited a true copy of the following document(s):

ORDER OF INVOLUNTARY INACTIVE ENROLLMENT; ORDER REQUIRING SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AND SCHEDULING STATUS CONFERENCE

in a sealed envelope for collection and mailing on that date as follows:

- by first-class mail, with postage thereon fully prepaid, through the United States Postal Service at Los Angeles, California, addressed as follows:

CARLOS F. NEGRETE
LAW OFFICES OF CARLOS F. NEGRETE
PO BOX 60015
NORTH CHARLESTON, SC 29419

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

ELIZABETH STINE, Enforcement, Los Angeles

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in Los Angeles, California, on June 14, 2016.



Rose M. Luthi
Case Administrator
State Bar Court