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STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA

HEARING DEPARTMENT – SAN FRANCISCO

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In the Matter of JOSEPH KEITH FERREIRA, Former Member No. 135700, A Former Member of the State Bar. Case No.: 93-N-12113-PEM (S037362)

ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO PAY COSTS

This matter is before the court on Joseph Keith Ferreira's December 22, 2009 motion for relief from the obligation to pay the \$1,895 in disciplinary costs that were imposed on him in this proceeding under the Supreme Court's March 23, 1994 order in *In re Joseph K. Ferreira on Discipline*, case number S037362 (State Bar Court case number 93-N-12113).¹ On January 7, 2010, the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel of the State Bar of California filed an opposition to Ferreira's motion for relief.

Ferreira failed to establish grounds of hardship, special circumstances, or other good cause sufficient to waive all or part of the \$1,895 in costs. Nonetheless, Ferreira has established sufficient financial hardship to grant him an extension of time to pay those costs.

¹In his motion, Ferreira also seeks relief from the \$2,669 in disciplinary costs that were imposed on him in State Bar Court case number 90-O-14204 (S028959). The court ruled on that portion of Ferreira's motion in a separate order filed in case number 90-O-14204 (S028959).

ORDER

The court orders that Joseph Keith Ferreira's December 22, 2009 motion for relief from obligation to pay disciplinary costs is GRANTED to the extent that, because of financial hardship, the time in which he must pay the \$1,895 in costs is extended as follows. (Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6086.10, subd. (c); Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 282.) Joseph Keith Ferreira must pay a minimum of \$200 every six months until the entire \$1,895 is paid (about five years). The payments are due no later than the 10th day of each January and July and must be submitted directly to the State Bar's Membership Billing Office in San Francisco. The first payment is due no later than July 10, 2010.

The court further orders that, if Joseph Keith Ferreira fails to make any payment within the time provided herein or as may be modified by the State Bar Court in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10, subdivision (c), and Rules of Procedure of the State Bar, rule 282, the remaining balance of the costs is due and payable immediately and is enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

Dated: February <u>4</u>, 2010.

Judge of the State Bar Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

[Rule 62(b), Rules Proc.; 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 San Francisco, on February 4, 2010, I deposited a true copy of the following document(s):

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

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Mark Hartman, Enforcement, San Francisco

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in San Francisco, California, on February 4, 2010.

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Case Administrator State Bar Court