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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

Case No. 13-95-GA

Notice Issued: June 18, 2014

Michael L. Donaldson, P 35780, Plymouth, Michigan, by the Attorney Discipline Board Tri-County Hearing Panel #15.

- 1. Suspension 60 Days
- 2. Effective June 18, 2014

Respondent filed an answer to the formal complaint and appeared at the hearing. Based on the stipulated motion regarding misconduct filed by the parties, the panel found that respondent held funds other than a client or third person funds in an IOLTA, in violation of MRPC 1.15(a)(3); failed to hold property of his clients or third persons separately from his own, in violation of MRPC 1.15(d); and deposited his own funds into an IOLTA in an amount more than reasonably necessary to pay financial institution service charges or fees or to obtain a waiver of service charges or fees, in violation of MRPC 1.15(f). The panel also found that respondent violated MRPC 8.4(a) and MCR 9.104(4).

The panel ordered that respondent's license to practice law in Michigan be suspended for 60 days and assessed costs in the amount of \$1,690.22.

Mark A. Armitage

JUN 1 8 2014

Dated: