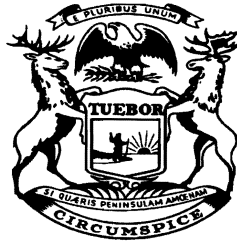


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**NOTICE OF INTERIM SUSPENSION PURSUANT TO MCR 9.115(H)(1)**

Case No. 13-140-GA

**Notice Issued: April 28, 2014**

Matthew C. Shepard, P 71547, Troy, Michigan, by Attorney Discipline Board Tri-County Hearing Panel #74.

1. Interim Suspension
2. Effective April 28, 2014

After being properly served with the formal complaint and the notice of hearing, respondent failed to personally appear at the April 21, 2014 hearing. After satisfactory proofs were entered that respondent possessed actual notice of the proceedings, the hearing panel, in accordance with MCR 9.115(H)(1), determined that respondent's failure to appear warranted an interim suspension from the practice of law until further order of the panel.

On April 21, 2014, the panel issued an order of suspension pursuant to MCR 9.115(H)(1), effective April 28, 2014.

  
Mark A. Armitage

Dated: APR 28 2014