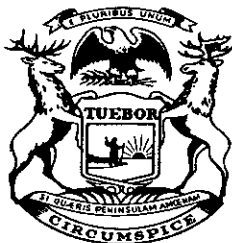


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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION AND RESTITUTION
(By Consent)

Case No. 09-2-GA

Notice Issued: January 4, 2010

Michael Skladd, P 36705, Shelby Township, Michigan, by the Attorney Discipline Board Tri-County Hearing Panel #106.

1. Suspension - 4 Years
2. Effective July 26, 2005¹

The respondent and the Grievance Administrator filed a stipulation for a consent order of discipline, in accordance with MCR 9.115(F)(5), containing respondent's plea of no contest to allegations that he neglected two legal matters; failed to seek the lawful objectives of his clients through reasonably available means; failed to act with reasonable diligence and promptness in representing his clients; and failed to refund the unearned portion of the retainers upon termination of the representation. Respondent also pled no contest to practicing law while suspended; appearing as an attorney before the Worker's Compensation Board of Magistrates and the 41-B District Court; holding himself out as an attorney while suspended; and failing to file answers to two requests for investigation served upon him by the Grievance Administrator.

Respondent was charged with violations of MCR 9.104(A)(1)-(4) and (7); 9.113(A) and (B)(2); 9.119(E)(1)-(3); and Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1(c); 1.2(a); 1.3; 1.16(d); 5.5(a); and 8.4(a)-(c).

The parties agreed that respondent should be suspended for four years, retroactive to July 26, 2005, and pay restitution in the aggregate amount of \$3,000.00. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$3,421.32.

John F. Van Bolt

Dated: **JAN - 4 2010**

¹ Respondent has been continuously suspended from the practice of law since July 26, 2005.