

NOTICE OF REPRIMAND
(By Consent)

Case No. 03-3-GA

Notice Issued: August 26, 2004

Samuel A. Ragnone, P 23157, Flint, Michigan by the Attorney Discipline Board Tri-County Hearing Panel #67.

1. Reprimand
2. Effective August 26, 2004

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 the allegations that, in a conservatorship matter; he failed to supervise his nonlawyer assistants to ensure compliance with the probate court's order and the protection of the settlement funds by placing those funds in a restricted account.

Respondent was charged with violations of MCR 9.104(A)(1)-(4); and Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct 5.3(b); and 8.4(a) and (c). The parties agreed that respondent should be reprimanded. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$856.14.