

## **NOTICE OF SUSPENSION AND RESTITUTION**

Case Nos. 02-103-GA; 02-143-FA

**Notice Issued: February 21, 2003**

Robert L. Harley, Jr., P-30166, Rockford, Michigan, by the Attorney Discipline Board  
Kent County Hearing Panel #2.

1. Suspension - 1 Year;
2. Effective December 2, 2002.

The hearing panel found, by default, that respondent failed to take action on his client's behalf; failed to prepare for trial; and failed to maintain reasonable communications with his client or return his client's telephone calls. Respondent also failed to comply with a subpoena to produce a client's file; and failed to file an answer to a formal complaint served by the Grievance Administrator. Respondent's conduct was in violation of MCR 9.104(A)(1)-(4) and (7); and Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1(a)-(c); 1.2(a); 1.3; 1.4(a); 3.2; 8.1(a)(2); and 8.4(a) and (c).

The hearing panel ordered that respondent's license to practice law be suspended for one year and that respondent pay restitution in the amount of \$935.00. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$1,771.09.