

**NOTICE OF SUSPENSION**

**Case No. 98-227-GA**

**Issued: July 14, 2000**

**Michael G. Jaron, P-27773, Oak Park, Michigan, by the Attorney Discipline Board affirming order of suspension by Tri-County Hearing Panel #52.**

**1)Suspension - 180 Days;**

**2)Effective July 12, 2000.**

**The hearing panel found by a preponderance of the evidence that respondent had committed professional misconduct, specifically: In a real estate matter, respondent failed to maintain reasonable communications with his clients or advise them of significant events in the litigation, including dispositive orders and the entry of a judgment for mediation sanctions; failed to perfect a claim of appeal, resulting in the dismissal of the appeal; knowingly made a false statement of material fact or law to a tribunal; and failed to answer a request for investigation served by the Attorney Grievance Commission. The hearing panel concluded that respondent's conduct violated MCR 9.104(1)-(4); MCR 9.113(A); MCR 9.113(B)(2); and Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1(a)-(c); 1.2(a); 1.3; 1.4(a); 3.2; 3.3(a)(1) and (4); 3.4(b)-(d); 8.1(b); and 8.4(a)-(c).**

**The panel ordered that respondent's license to practice law in the State of Michigan be suspended for 180 days. Respondent filed a petition seeking review. The suspension ordered by the hearing panel was stayed pending review. On June 20, 2000, the Attorney Discipline Board entered an order affirming the hearing panel's order. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$1,218.19.**