

NOTICE OF REPRIMAND

Case No. 99-123-GA

Issued: February 18, 2000

David C. Ritchie, P-46553, Ypsilanti, Michigan, by the Attorney Discipline Board
Washtenaw County Hearing Panel #3.

1. Reprimand.
2. Effective February 15, 2000.

The hearing panel found, by a preponderance of the evidence, that respondent knowingly induced a notary to execute an improper notarization; and engaged in a misrepresentation to the Court of Appeals. The hearing panel found that respondent's conduct violated MCR 9.104(1)-(4) and Michigan Rule of Professional Conduct 8.4(a)-(c).

The hearing panel ordered that respondent be reprimanded. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$464.02.