NOTICE OF SUSPENSION AND RESTITUTION

Case Nos. 97-238-GA; 97-262-FA

Linda C. Perkins-Moore, P-36136, Detroit, Michigan, by Attorney Discipline Board Tri-County Hearing Panel #8.

- 1) Suspension Thirty (30) Days;
- 2) Effective February 24, 1998.

The complainant paid respondent \$1,000 to represent her in a criminal matter. The panel found, by default, that respondent neglected the matter; failed to refund the unearned fee; and failed to answer the Formal Complaints. Respondent also failed to appear at the disciplinary hearing.

Respondent's conduct was found to be in violation of MCR 9.104(1)-(4) and (7); and Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1(a)-(c); 1.2(a); 1.3; 1.4; 1.5(a); 1.15(b); 1.16(d); 3.2; 8.1(b); and 8.4(a) and (c).

The panel ordered that respondent be suspended from the practice of law for thirty (30) days and make restitution to the complainant in the amount of \$1,000. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$140.79.