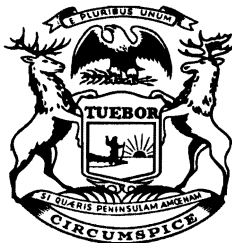


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Case No. 18-32-GA

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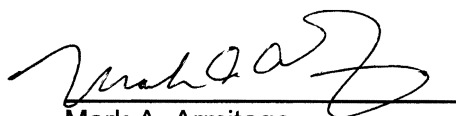
Deborah A. Bonner, P 48031, Detroit, Michigan, by the Attorney Discipline Board Tri-County Hearing Panel #3.

Reprimand, Effective September 19, 2018.

The respondent and the Grievance Administrator filed a Stipulation for Consent Order of Discipline, in accordance with MCR 9.115(F)(5), which was approved by the Attorney Grievance Commission and accepted by the hearing panel. The stipulation contained respondent's admissions to the allegations that she committed acts of professional misconduct as the result of her improper use of an IOLTA account by making deposits of personal funds from outside personal or business accounts from August 1, 2016, through March 9, 2017.

Based upon respondent's admissions, pleas of no contest, and the stipulation of the parties, the panel found that respondent held funds other than client or third person funds in an IOLTA, in violation of MRPC 1.15(a)(3); and deposited her own funds in an IOLTA in excess of the amount reasonably necessary to pay financial institution service charges or fees, or to obtain a waiver of service charges or fees, in violation of MRPC 1.15(f). Respondent was also found to have violated MCR 9.104(4) and MRPC 8.4(a).

In accordance with the stipulation of the parties, the panel ordered that respondent be reprimanded. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$757.09.

  
Mark A. Armitage  
Executive Director