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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION
(By Consent)

ADB 200-87; 209-87

Ronald R. Ward, P 29707, 11 W. Main Street, Hartford, MI 49057 by Attorney Discipline Board Calhoun Hearing Panel.

- 1) Suspension - 120 days;
- 2) Effective April 13, 1988.

The hearing panel accepted Respondent's plea of nolo contendere to charges contained in two Formal Complaints which alleged that Respondent failed to take appropriate action to achieve the legal objectives of his clients in four different cases and that he misrepresented to his clients the status of those cases. Respondent's conduct was alleged to be in violation of MCR 9.104(1-4) and Canons 1, 6 and 7 of the Code of Professional Responsibility, DR 1-102(A)(1,4-6); DR 6-101(A)(3) and DR 7-101(A)(1-3).

In accordance with a Stipulation for Consent Order of Discipline pursuant to MCR 9.115(F)(5), Respondent's license was suspended for 120 days and until he has established his eligibility for reinstatement. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$ 53.63.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John F. VanBolt".

John F. VanBolt

Dated: APR 19 1988