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## NOTICE OF SUSPENSION (By Consent)

ADB Case Nos. 11-87; 36-87

Wallace M. Wilkes, 16701 Greenview, Detroit, MI 48219 by Attorney Discipline Board Wayne County Hearing Panel #18.

- Suspension two years;
- 2) Effective August 6, 1987.

Respondent failed to file timely answers two Formal Complaints filed by the Grievance Administrator charging that he failed to commence suit within the applicable limitation period in a products liability case and failed to communicate with his client; failed to institute bankruptcy proceedings on behalf of two clients, failed to communicate with his clients and failed to return the unearned fees which had been paid; failed to appear on his client's behalf in a child support matter and failed to return the unearned fees which he had accepted in that case; failed to answer four Requests for Investigation; and failed to answer alformal Complaint. Respondent's conduct was alleged to be in violation of MCR 9.104(1-4,7), MCR 9.113(A), MCR 9.115(D), and Canons 1, 2, 6 & 7 of the Code of Professional Responsibility, DR 1-102(A)(1,3,4-6); DR 2-110(A)(3); DR 6-101(A)(3) and DR 7-101(A)(1-3).

At the commencement of the proceedings before the Panel, Respondent affirmed that he had failed to file timely answers to the Complaints, that the allegations were deemed to be proven, and that he had entered into a stipulation with the Grievance Administrator in accordance with MCR 9.115(F)(5) consenting to the entry of an Order suspending his license for a period of two years. The Stipulation submitted by the parties was accepted by the Panel and costs were assessed in the amount of \$219.89.

John F. VanBolt

Dated: AUG 1 4 1987