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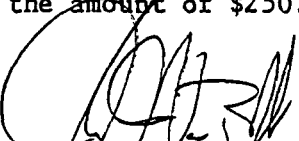
NOTICE OF REPRIMAND

File No. DP 10/85

Thomas Rosender, P 19641, 3505 Elizabeth Lake Road,
Pontiac, MI 48054, by Attorney Discipline Board Oakland County
Hearing Panel #7.

- 1) Reprimand;
- 2) Effective June 8, 1987.

The Hearing Panel considered a four Count Complaint filed by the Grievance Administrator alleging professional misconduct by the respondent in the handling of a collection matter. The Panel sustained the charges in Count I thereof, to wit: That upon receipt of funds on behalf of his client, Respondent failed to deposit those funds in an identifiable bank account separate from his own funds and commingled the funds belonging to his client with his own in violation of Canon 9 of the Code of Professional Responsibility, DR 9-102(A). In mitigation, the Hearing Panel noted that it believed that at about the time Respondent began to receive payments on the account, he purchased a bank certificate of deposit, captioned as an Escrow Account, with the intention of covering the amounts he anticipated collecting. However, the Panel found that, other than by the Respondent, it could not be determined that that certificate had some relation to the collection of the account. The Panel concluded Respondent's actions were negligent rather than intentional and that all other charges of misconduct set forth in the Complaint had not been established. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$250.47.


John F. VanBolt

Dated: JUN 26 1987