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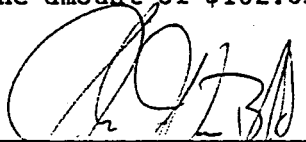
NOTICE OF REVOCATION

File Nos. DP 109/86; DP 156/86; DP 128/86; DP 172/86

Ralph S. Hatt, P 28381, 3005 Oakwood Boulevard,
Melvindale, MI 48122 by Attorney Discipline Board Wayne County
Hearing Panel #11.

- 1) Revocation;
- 2) Effective February 3, 1987.

The Respondent did not file answers to the four Formal Complaints consolidated for hearing and did not appear at the scheduled hearing on November 17, 1986. The Hearing Panel found that the allegations in those Complaints were established. The Report filed by the Hearing Panel contained its findings that the Respondent failed to properly account for the sum of \$37,000 entrusted to him on behalf of a decedent's estate and that he misappropriated a portion of those funds for his own use; that he accepted a retainer in a divorce matter but failed to institute suit on his client's behalf; that he misrepresented the status of that case by giving documents which were falsely represented to be copies of pleadings filed with the Court; that he failed to answer the Request for Investigation filed by the client and served by the Grievance Administrator; and that he failed to answer two Formal Complaints. The Panel concluded that Respondent had violated the provisions of MCR 9.104(1,2, 4-7), MCR 9.113.2 and Canons 1, 6, 7 & 9 of the Code of Professional Responsibility, to wit: DR 1-102(A)(4-6); DR 6-101(A)(1-3) and DR 7-101(A)(1-3) and DR 9-102(A)(B)(2-4). Costs were assessed in the amount of \$102.63.


John F. VanBolt

Dated: FEB 0 5 1987

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