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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

File No. DP 127/84

Michael J. Pavkovich, P 31052, 1110 South Grand Traverse, Flint, MI 48502, by the Supreme Court of Michigan, denying Respondent's Application for Leave to Appeal from an Order of the Attorney Discipline suspending Respondent for 121 days.

- (1) Suspension of 121 days.
- (2) Effective 18 September 1985.

The Attorney Discipline Board found that Respondent failed adequately, competently or zealously to represent a client in litigation. Respondent failed to answer interrogatories despite an order to do so, and failed to object to a proposed order of dismissal of his client's case. Despite promises to his client, Respondent further failed to file a motion for reinstatement of the action after dismissal.

The Board considered Respondent's youth and relative inexperience in mitigation, but noted a prior fifteen (15) day suspension. The Board concluded that a 121 day suspension was appropriate since Respondent will be compelled to undergo rigorous reinstatement proceedings before practicing again.

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Dated: SEP 27 1985