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## NOTICE OF REPRIMAND

File No. DP 17/85

Carl H. Johnson, Jr., (P 15511), 955 Leonard Street, N.W., Grand Rapids, MI 49504, by the Attorney Discipline Board Grand Rapids Hearing Panel No. 2.

- (1) Reprimand.
- (2) Effective 3 September 1985.

The hearing panel found that Respondent was retained to handle bankruptcy matters, but failed to carry out his contract of employment, and further misrepresented to his clients that he was sufficiently handling such matters. Respondent violated MCR 9.104(1-4), and the Code of Professional Responsibility: Canon 1, DR 1-102(A)(4-6); Canon 6, DR 6-101(A)(1-3); and Canon 7, DR 7-101(A)(1-3).

In mitigation, the panel found that Respondent practiced for 25 years without a previous grievance, and was forthright in admitting his misconduct. Costs of \$265.18 were assessed.

Francis Helminski

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