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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

File No. DP 16/83

 $\underline{\textbf{David}}$ N. Walsh, (P 21941), 7130 Wing Lake Road, Birmingham, MI 48010, by the Supreme Court of Michigan denying Respondent's application for leave to appeal the decision of the Attorney Discipline Board.

- (1) 120 day suspension;
- (2) Effective 10 June 1985.

The Attorney Discipline Board, in an opinion filed 16 August 1984, affirmed hearing panel findings that Respondent failed to file a lawsuit for his client within the statute of limitations because he misplaced the file and had inadequately investigated the case; did not communicate with his client; and made false statements in answer to a request for investigation. In mitigation, Respondent made adequate restitution to the complainant; was remorseful for his misconduct; and has taken steps to improve his office procedures. The Board also noted Respondent's previous misconduct. Costs of \$877.53 were assessed.

Francis Helminski Interim Counsel

Date of Mailing: SEP 1 2 1985