Attorney Discipline Board



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NOTICE OF REPRIMAND

DP-138/83

ROBERT E. HELM (P 14855), 110 City Hall, Saginaw, MI 48601, by the Attorney Discipline Board Saginaw Hearing Panel approving a stipulation for discipline by consent.

(1) Reprimand;

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(2) Effective February 1, 1984.

Respondent, as part of stipulation to discipline of a reprimand, admitted in full to the allegations contained in the formal complaint, to-wit: Respondent was appointed by the Washtenaw County Circuit Court to represent a criminal appellant; Respondent failed to timely file a claim of appeal on his client's behalf; Respondent had not sought the permission of the court to be relieved of any further obligation in the appeal nor had he filed a motion to withdraw as counsel for defendant, in violation of GCR 953 (1-4) and Canons 1, 6 and 7 of the Code of Professional Responsibility, to-wit: DR1-102 (A) (5) (6), DR6-101 (A) (1-3) and DR7-101 (A) (1-3). Costs were assessed in the amount of \$63.65.

JOHN F. X. DWAIHY, Executive Director

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Dated: February 1, 1984