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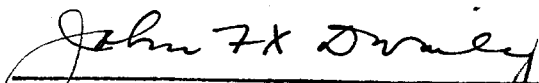
NOTICE OF REPRIMAND


DP-57/81

WILLIAM R. LESER (P 16570), 309 Davidson Bldg.,  
Bay City, MI 48706, by the Attorney Discipline Board ap-  
proving a stipulation for consent order of reprimand.

- (1) Reprimand;
- (2) Effective April 16, 1982.

Respondent in a stipulation for consent order of discipline, admitted a violation of Canon 5 of the Code of Professional Responsibility, DR5-101(b) which provides that a lawyer shall not accept employment in contemplated or pending litigation if he knows or it is obvious that he or a lawyer in his firm ought to be called as a witness. Respondent was charged in the formal complaint with representation of two corporate clients relative to common transactions, giving rise to a conflict of interest. Costs were assessed in the amount of \$81.34.

  
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