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This is to inform the Courts of the State of Michigan of the following Order of Discipline:

NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

File No. DP-75/80

Related: DP-134/80

HERBERT H. SCHEBOR (P23988), 2841 Book Building, Detroit, MI 48226, by Attorney Discipline Board Wayne Circuit Hearing Panel "L".

- (1) Suspension;
- (2) For a period of 30 days;
- (3) Effective November 10, 1980.

The four-count Formal Complaint charged that Respondent received a retainer and agreed to institute divorce proceedings and failed to do so and misrepresented to his client that a Complaint had been filed; that Respondent, in a separate matter, failed to institute divorce proceedings for a second client after receiving a retainer; in the third matter, Respondent received a retainer to institute divorce proceedings, filed a Complaint but neglected the matter and filed no further pleadings; that, finally, Respondent, in his answer to the Grievance Administrator, made false representations regarding a purported publication of an Order to Answer a divorce Complaint in a legal news publication, said acts of alleged misconduct being in violation of the Code of Professional Responsibility, Canon 1, DR 1-102 (A) (4), Canon 6, DR 6-101 (A) (3), Canon 7, DR 7-101 (A) (1-3) and GCR 953 (1-4). A consolidated Complaint charged Respondent with additional neglect in yet another divorce matter wherein Respondent filed a Complaint for Divorce but failed to diligently pursue said matter; the consolidated Complaint charges that Respondent failed to respond to inquiries by the Friend of the Court requesting verification of service of process on the defendant named in the divorce action.

After a full hearing on the Formal Complaint, the Hearing Panel found that Respondent had violated Canons 6 and 7 (involving neglect and failure to carry out contract of employment) in relation to Count I, Count III and the consolidated single-count Complaint. The Panel dismissed Count II and IV of the Complaint due to insufficient evidence. Although dismissing Count IV, the Panel took note of an apparent forgery of an affidavit purportedly signed by Respondent's client and notarized by Respondent; no disciplinary action

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was taken but the matter was referred to the Grievance Administrator for further investigation. Respondent was taxed costs in the amount of \$312.70. Neither party appealed the Panel decision to the Discipline Board.

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David Baker Lewis, Secretary ATTORNEY DISCIPLINE BOARD

