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**BEFORE THE DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION
OF THE SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA**

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SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA
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3 IN THE MATTER OF A MEMBER)
4 OF THE STATE BAR OF ARIZONA,)
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6 **ROSVAL A. PATTERSON,**)
7 **Bar No. 018872**)
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RESPONDENT.

No. 06-0741

**DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION
REPORT**

This matter came before the Disciplinary Commission of the Supreme Court of Arizona on November 17, 2007, pursuant to Rule 58, Ariz.R.Sup.Ct., for consideration of the Hearing Officer's Report filed October 3, 2007, recommending acceptance of the Tender of Admissions and the Agreement for Discipline by Consent (Tender) and the Joint Memorandum (Joint Memorandum) in Support of Agreement for Discipline by Consent providing for censure, one year of probation with the State Bar's Trust Account Ethics Enhancement Program (TAEHP), Law Office Management Assistance Program (LOMAP) and costs.

Decision

Having found no facts clearly erroneous, the eight members¹ of the Disciplinary Commission unanimously recommend accepting and incorporating the Hearing Officer's findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation for censure, one year of probation (TAEHP and (LOMAP) and costs of these disciplinary proceedings.² The terms of probation are as follows:

¹ Commissioner Katzenberg did not participate in these proceedings.

Terms of Probation

1 1. Respondent shall be placed on one year of probation effective upon the
2 issuance of the final Judgment and Order and will continue from the date Respondent signs
3 the probation contract.

4 2. During the period of probation, Respondent shall complete TAEEP and
5 shall participate in LOMAP to assure Respondent has adequate internal processes relating
6 to his client trust account and that he is properly maintaining records and properly
7 administering his client trust account.
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9 3. Within 30-days from the date of the final Judgment and Order, Respondent
10 shall contact the State Bar and enroll in TAEEP.

11 4. Within 30-days from the date of the final Judgment and Order, Respondent
12 shall contact the LOMAP director to schedule an assessment of Respondent's office
13 procedures relating to the maintenance and use of his client trust account and records of
14 such account. Respondent shall cooperate with LOMAP staff and will participate for the
15 duration of the probation period as outlined in the probation contract.
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17 5. Respondent shall pay all costs associated with these proceedings including
18 costs associated with probation.

19 6. In the event that Respondent fails to comply with any of the foregoing
20 conditions, and the State Bar receives information, bar counsel shall file with the imposing
21 entity a Notice of Non-Compliance, pursuant to Rule 60(a)(5), Ariz.R.Sup.Ct. The
22 Hearing Officer shall conduct a hearing within 30-days after receipt of said notice, to
23 determine whether the terms of probation have been violated and if an additional sanction
24 should be imposed. In the event there is an allegation that any of these terms have been
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² A copy of the Hearing Officer's Report is attached as Exhibit A.

violated, the burden of proof shall be on the State Bar of Arizona to prove non-compliance by clear and convincing evidence.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 12th day of December, 2007.



J. Conrad Baran, Chair
Disciplinary Commission

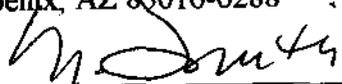
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