

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

In the Matter of)
) Arizona Supreme Court
) No. SB-06-0012-D
MATTHEW C. BOWER,)
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Attorney No. 20385) State Bar of Arizona
) No. 06-0171
Respondent.)
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_____)

ORDER OF INTERIM SUSPENSION

On Motion of the State Bar of Arizona,

IT IS ORDERED that pursuant to Rules 53(h)(2)(B) and 61, Rules of the Supreme Court, **Matthew C. Bower** is hereby suspended from the practice of law, effective this date.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the suspension shall continue in effect until final disposition of all pending proceedings against **Matthew C. Bower**, unless earlier vacated or modified.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **Matthew C. Bower**, from this date, shall not accept for representation any new cases; nor shall their agree to represent any existing client after the effective date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that **Matthew C. Bower** is precluded from distributing funds from any trust account to anyone except with the written approval of bar counsel or this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to Rule 72(a), Rules of the Supreme Court, **Matthew C. Bower** shall notify all his clients within ten (10) days from the date hereof of his inability to continue to represent them and that they should promptly retain new counsel, and shall promptly inform this Court of his compliance with this Order as provided by Rule 72(e), Rules of the Supreme Court.

DATED this _____ day of March, 2006.

Ruth V. McGregor
Chief Justice

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