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DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION OF THE
SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

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

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3 IN THE MATTER OF A MEMBER) No. 02-1506
4 OF THE STATE BAR OF ARIZONA,)
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6 **RAYMOND J. SLOMSKI,**)
7 **Bar No. 007223**) **DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION**
8) **REPORT**
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RESPONDENT.)

8 This matter came before the Disciplinary Commission of the Supreme Court of
9 Arizona on December 11, 2004, pursuant to Rule 58(e), Ariz. R. S. Ct., for consideration of
10 the Hearing Officer's Report filed October 14, 2004 recommending acceptance of the
11 Tender of Admissions and Agreement for Discipline by Consent (Agreement) and Joint
12 Memorandum in Support of Agreement for Discipline by Consent (Joint Memorandum)
13 providing for a censure and costs of these disciplinary proceedings.

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15 **Decision**

16 The nine¹ members of the Commission unanimously recommend accepting and
17 incorporating by reference the Hearing Officers' findings of fact, conclusions of law and
18 recommendation² for a censure and costs. The Commission noted however, that evidence of
19 mitigating factors 9.32(g) character or reputation³ and (l) remorse⁴ was insufficient;

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23 ¹ One lawyer member seat remains vacant. C. Alan Bowman, a former Commissioner from
Yuma, participated as an ad hoc member.

24 ² The Hearing Officer's Report is attached as Exhibit A.

25 ³ Something more than the mention of an AV rating in Martindale-Hubble would be helpful
to support this factor, i.e., letters from judges or other attorneys attesting to Respondent's
good character or reputation.

26 ⁴ The Commission would have accepted a written personal statement or declaration from
Respondent to support this factor.

1 therefore, little weight was given to these factors. The Commission determined however,
2 that the overall outcome would not be affected.

3 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 10th day of January, 2005.

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7 Craig B. Mehrens, Chair
8 Disciplinary Commission

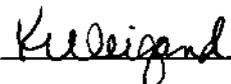
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