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BEFORE THE  
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DISCIPLINARY BOARD

In re

**THOMAS F. McGRATH, JR,**

Lawyer (WSBA No. 1313)

Proceeding No. 10#00055

DISCIPLINARY BOARD ORDER  
ADOPTING HEARING OFFICER'S  
DECISION

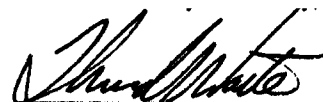
This matter came before the Disciplinary Board at its September 7, 2012 meeting, on automatic review of Hearing Officer Scott M. Ellerby's April 12, 2012 decision recommending disbarment.

The Board reviews the hearing officer's finding of fact for substantial evidence. The Board reviews conclusions of law and sanction recommendations de novo. Evidence not presented to the hearing officer or panel cannot be considered by the Board. ELC 11.12(b).

Having reviewed the materials submitted by the parties, and considered the applicable case law and rules;

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT** the Hearing Officer's decision is adopted<sup>1</sup>:

Dated this 19th day of September, 2012

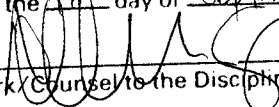


Thomas A. Waite  
Disciplinary Board Chair

<sup>1</sup> The vote on this matter was 13-0. Those voting were: Bray, Broom, Butterworth, Carrington, Coy, Evans, Ivarinen, Kaba, Neiland, Ogura, Trippett, Waite and Wilson. Lombardi recused himself from participation in this matter. He did not vote or participate in deliberations.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I caused a copy of the DO order adopting HD's Decision  
to be delivered to the Office of Disciplinary Counsel and to be mailed  
to KURT DILLMAN, Respondent/Respondent's Counsel  
at 710 WINDY HILL RD SCARLETT, GA 30132, by Certified/first class mail  
postage prepaid on the 14th day of SEPTEMBER, 2012

  
Clerk/Counsel to the Disciplinary Board