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BEFORE THE
DISCIPLINARY BOARD
OF THE
WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

In re
CARLENE M. PLACIDE,
Lawyer (WSBA No. 28824)

Proceeding No. 13#00097
DISCIPLINARY BOARD ORDER
ADOPTING HEARING OFFICER'S
DECISION

This matter came before the Disciplinary Board at its March 3, 2017, meeting, on appeal of Hearing Officer Carl Carlson's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and Recommendation, recommending disbarment following a hearing.

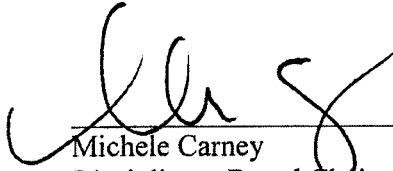
The Board reviews the hearing officer's finding of fact for substantial evidence. The Board reviews conclusions of law and sanction recommendations de novo. Evidence not presented to the hearing officer or panel cannot be considered by the Board. ELC 11.12(b).

Having reviewed the materials submitted, and considered the applicable case law and rules, and heard oral argument from the parties;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the Hearing Officer's decision is adopted, however, the existence of a contractual or fiduciary duty between Placide and the partners at Dorsey and/or Ogletree is not necessary to establish the violations and to the Board's

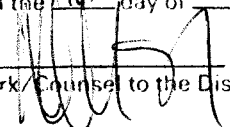
1 decision¹.

2 Dated this 9th day of March, 2017.

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4 Michele Carney
Disciplinary Board Chair

7 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

8 I certify that I caused a copy of the DB order Adopting HO's Decision
to be delivered to the Office of Disciplinary Counsel and to be mailed
to Kurt Bullmer Respondent/Disciplinable Person's Counsel
at 740 Belmont St. # 3 Seattle WA 98101 certified/first class mail
postage prepaid on the 16th day of March, 2017

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Clerk/Counsel to the Disciplinary Board

16 ¹ The vote on this matter was unanimous. Those voting were Andeen, Byerly, Carney, Cornelius, Cottrell, Denton,
17 Graber, Louvier, Myers, Patneau and Startzel. Silverman, Smith and Rawlings did not participate.