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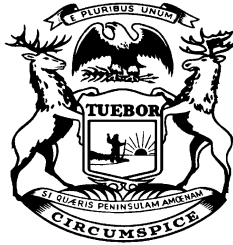
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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION WITH CONDITIONS

(By Consent)

Case No. 24-57-GA

Notice Issued: November 21, 2024

Kiana E. Franulic, P 73015, Southfield, Michigan

Suspension - 30 Days, Effective November 15, 2024

Respondent and the Grievance Administrator filed an Amended Stipulation for Consent Order of 30-Day Suspension With Conditions pursuant to MCR 9.115(F)(5), which was approved by the Attorney Grievance Commission and accepted by the hearing panel. The stipulation contained respondent's admission to being hired by a client to represent her in a medical malpractice and wrongful death suit, which respondent later neglected, but falsely claimed to her client that she was working on the case long after the suit had been dismissed by the court.

Based on respondent's admissions and the amended stipulation of the parties, the panel found that respondent neglected a legal matter entrusted to the lawyer, in violation of MRPC 1.1(c); failed to act with reasonable diligence and promptness in representing a client, in violation of MRPC 1.3; failed to keep the client reasonably informed about the status of her matter and comply promptly with reasonable requests for information, in violation of MRPC 1.4(a); failed to withdraw from the representation of a client when the lawyer's physical or mental condition materially impaired the lawyer's ability to represent the client, in violation of MRPC 1.16(a)(2); knowingly disobeyed an obligation under the rules of a tribunal, in violation of MRPC 3.4(c); engaged in conduct that exposes the legal profession or the courts to obloquy, contempt, censure, or reproach, in violation of MCR 9.104(2); engaged in conduct that is contrary to justice, ethics, honesty, or good morals, in violation of MCR 9.104(3); and engaged in conduct that violates the standards or rules of professional conduct, in violation of MRPC 8.4(a) and MCR 9.104(4).

In accordance with the amended stipulation of the parties, the hearing panel ordered that respondent's license to practice law in Michigan be suspended for 30 days, effective November 15, 2024 as agreed to by the parties, and that respondent be subject to conditions relevant to the established misconduct. Total costs were assessed in the amount of \$759.92.