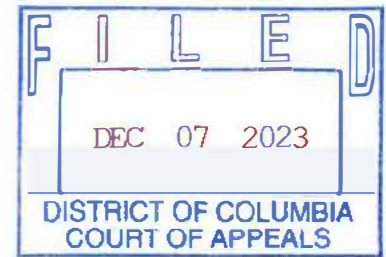


**District of Columbia
Court of Appeals**



No. 23-BS-0918

In re BRUCE E. GARDNER, ESQUIRE,
A Member of the Bar of the
District of Columbia Court of Appeals
Bar Registration Number: 422962

BDN: 23-PD-017
DDNs.: 2018-D078, *et al.*

BEFORE: McLeese and Howard, Associate Judges, and Thompson, Senior Judge.

O R D E R

On consideration of the petition of Disciplinary Counsel, on behalf of the Board on Professional Responsibility, to suspend respondent pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 13(c) and (e), and it that appearing no opposition was filed thereto, it is

ORDERED that the petition is granted and respondent is indefinitely suspended from the practice of law in the District of Columbia, effective immediately, and any pending disciplinary matters are held in abeyance pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 13(g). It is

FURTHER ORDERED that respondent's attention is drawn to the requirements of D.C. Bar R. XI, §§ 14 and 16, relating to suspended attorneys. It is

FURTHER ORDERED that respondent shall file an affidavit in compliance with D.C. Bar R. XI, § 14(g) with the court and the Board and shall serve a copy of the affidavit on Disciplinary Counsel.

PER CURIAM

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