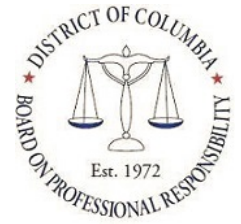


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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COURT OF APPEALS
BOARD ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY



**Issued
October 27, 2023**

In the Matter of: :
: :
JAMES C. BAILEY, :
: :
Respondent. : Board Docket No. 22-BD-037
: Disciplinary Docket No. 2020-D006
: :
A Member of the Bar of the :
District of Columbia Court of Appeals :
(Bar Registration No. 462391) :

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE
BOARD ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY

This matter is before the Board on Professional Responsibility (“Board”) on Disciplinary Counsel’s Motion to Accept Respondent’s Consent to Disbarment filed pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 12(a) and Board Rule 16.1. Respondent’s affidavit of consent to disbarment, executed on October 13, 2023, is attached to Disciplinary Counsel’s motion.

The Board, acting through its Chair, and pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 12(b) and Board Rule 16.2, has reviewed Respondent’s affidavit of consent to disbarment and finds that it conforms to the requirements of D.C. Bar R. XI, § 12(a). Accordingly, the Board recommends that the Court enter an order disbarring Respondent on consent pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 12(b). As discussed in the

* Consult the ‘Disciplinary Decisions’ tab on the Board on Professional Responsibility’s website (www.dccattorneydiscipline.org) to view any subsequent decisions in this case.

Confidential Appendix¹, *infra*, the Board recommends that Respondent's attention be drawn to the requirement to demonstrate compliance with the provisions of D.C. Bar R. XI, §§ 14 and 16, including the filing of the affidavit pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 14(g) (which must be served on Disciplinary Counsel and the Board), and to the fact that the period of disbarment will not be deemed to run for purposes of reinstatement until he files a compliant affidavit after the Court's disbarment order. *See In re Slosberg*, 650 A.2d 1329, 1331-33 (D.C. 1994).

BOARD ON PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY

By: Bernadette C. Sargeant
Bernadette C. Sargeant
Chair

¹ The Confidential Appendix discusses the substance of Respondent's affidavit consenting to disbarment, which is confidential pursuant to D.C. Bar R. XI, § 12(c).