

VIRGINIA:

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF NORFOLK

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IN THE MATTER OF

Case: VSB No. CL08-7118

VS COURT OFFICE

CURTIS TYRONE BROWN

**ORDER FIXING EFFECTIVE DATE OF SUSPENSION**

On May 26, 2009, a three-judge panel of this Court, appointed pursuant to Section 54.1-3935 of the Code of Virginia (1950) as amended, heard evidence in the above-captioned matter and ordered the Respondent's law license to be suspended for a period of twelve (12) months, effective the date of the hearing. On May 27, 2009, the Appellant petitioned the Supreme Court of Virginia to stay the suspension of his law license pending an appeal, and on May 28, 2009, the Court granted a stay of the suspension pending appeal. On September 9, 2009, this Court entered its memorandum Order of Suspension in this matter.

By Order, entered July 16, 2010, the Supreme Court of Virginia affirmed the Order of Suspension and certified the matter to this Court. The Respondent filed a Petition for Rehearing which the Supreme Court of Virginia denied by Order, entered September 23, 2010.

By Order, entered October 28, 2010, the Supreme Court of Virginia issued its mandate certifying the matter to this Court with instruction to enter an Order, after notice, fixing the effective date of the suspension and the date to comply with the provisions of Part Six, Section IV, Paragraph 13-29 of the Rules of Court.

Accordingly, it is **ORDERED** that the license of the Respondent, Curtis Tyrone Brown, to practice law in the Commonwealth of Virginia is hereby **SUSPENDED** for a period of twelve

(12) months, effective upon entry of this Order, with credit for the three (3) days that the

Respondent's law license was previously suspended.

It is further **ORDERED** that Respondent must comply with the requirements of Part Six,

Section IV, Paragraph 13-29 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia. The Respondent shall forthwith give notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, of the suspension of his license to practice law in the Commonwealth of Virginia, to all clients for whom he is currently handling matters and to all opposing attorneys and presiding judges in pending litigation. The Respondent shall also make appropriate arrangements for the disposition of matters then in his care in conformity with the wishes of his client. Respondent shall give such notice within 14 days of the effective date of the suspension, and make such arrangements as are required herein within 45 days of the effective date of the suspension. The Respondent shall also furnish proof to the Bar within 60 days of the effective day of the suspension that such notices have been timely given and such arrangements made for the disposition of matters.

It is further **ORDERED** that if the Respondent is not handling any client matters on the effective date of the suspension, he shall submit an affidavit to that effect to the Clerk of the Disciplinary System at the Virginia State Bar. All issues concerning the adequacy of the notice and arrangements required by Paragraph 13-29 shall be determined by the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board, unless the Respondent makes a timely request for hearing before a three-judge court.

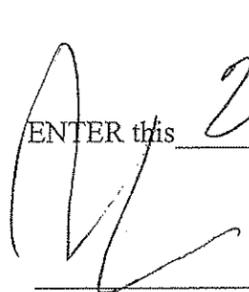
It is further **ORDERED** that costs shall be assessed by the Clerk of the Disciplinary System pursuant to the Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia, Part Six, Section IV, Paragraph 13-9.E.

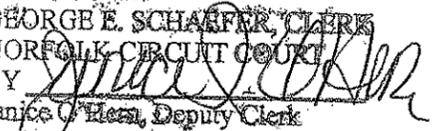
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Respondent's request for a hearing  
to determine effective date of suspension is DENIED by the three  
judge panel.

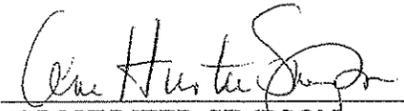
It is further **ORDERED** that a copy teste of this order shall be served upon the Respondent, Curtis Tyrone Brown, by certified mail, return receipt requested, at 306 Bald Cypress Court, Chesapeake, Virginia 23320, his address of record with the Virginia State Bar; and by regular mail to Edward L. Davis, Bar Counsel, and Barbara Sayers Lanier, Clerk of the Disciplinary System, Virginia State Bar, Eighth and Main Building, Suite 1500, 707 East Main Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219.

In Accordance with the Rule 1:13 of the Rules of Court, the Court dispenses with the Respondent's endorsement.

ENTER this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2011.

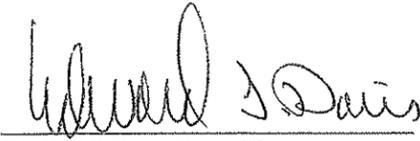
  
RICHARD D. TAYLOR, JR.  
Chief Judge, Three-Judge Court

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of George E. Scharfer  
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Retired Judge, Three-Judge Court

  
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