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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF GUAM

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GUAM BAR ETHICS COMMITTEE)

Petitioner,)

vs.)

RICHARD A. PIPES,)

Respondent.)

SUPREME COURT CASE NO. ADC 98-005

**STIPULATION AND ORDER FOR
 DISCIPLINE BY CONSENT**

Petitioner Guam Bar Ethics Committee, by and through its Prosecuting Counsel, and Respondent Richard A. Pipes, together with his counsel Richard Arens, hereby stipulate as follows:

1. This court has jurisdiction under Title 7 G.C.A. Sections 9101, 9104 and 9201 and Rule One of the Supreme Court's Rule Governing Disciplinary Proceedings.
2. Respondent Richard A. Pipes is a resident of Guam and an attorney licensed to practice law on Guam.
3. The actions described herein occurred between 1994 and the present. Respondent has committed the following violations of the Model Rules of Professional Conduct:
 - a. Respondent has pled guilty in the District Court of Guam to one count of violating Title 21 U.S.C. Section 841 (a) (1) in CR 98-00055.
 - b. Respondent has pled guilty in the District Court of Guam to one count of violating Title 26 U.S.C. Section 7203 as made applicable to Guam by Title 48 U.S.C. Section 1421i in CR 97-00085.
 - c. Respondent violated Model Rules of Professional Conduct 3.4(c) and (d) in Superior Court Case CV1495-94, Western Sales Trading Co. v. Kyowa Shipping Co., Ltd., in that he failed to comply with reasonable requests for discovery.

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4. Respondent and the Guam Bar Ethics Committee have agreed upon the following disciplinary measures in regard to these violations:

a. Respondent shall be suspended from the practice of law effective immediately for a period of two years.

b. All but six months of the aforementioned term of suspension shall be stayed so long as Respondent complies with the terms and conditions of this order.

c. Respondent shall comply with all the terms of his pre-sentencing release conditions and probation in the aforementioned criminal cases in the District Court of Guam; any final determination by the District Court of Guam of a violation thereof shall be a violation of this order.

d. If the District Court of Guam makes a finding that Respondent has violated the terms of release or probation by further criminal conduct, failing a drug test or other serious transgressions Respondent shall serve the remainder of his suspension hereunder. This Court will not be bound by the disposition of the District Court after such a finding. Respondent waives any and all rights to notice and hearing should such a violation occur.

e. Respondent shall take on no new clients and no new engagements with existing clients during the remaining time of his practice before suspension;

f. Respondent shall notify all his existing clients and any other jurisdictions in which he is licensed to practice law that he has been suspended from the practice of law for disciplinary reasons and immediately comply with Rule 18 of the Supreme Court Rules Governing Disciplinary Proceedings; Respondent represents that he has read said rule and understands its contents.

g. Respondent shall pay any filing fee if any is imposed by the Supreme Court;

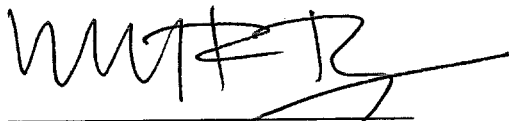
h. Respondent shall notify all courts on Guam of his being disciplined.

i. Respondent shall obey all the Model Rules of Professional Conduct as they are in effect on Guam and all the laws of Guam.

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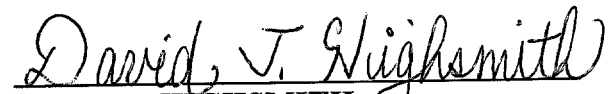
5. This stipulation is a conditional agreement which is entered into pursuant to Rule 17 of the Supreme Court's Rules governing Discipline Proceedings.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner and Respondent pray that the Supreme Court accept this stipulation and enter an order in accordance with its terms.




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ACTING CHAIRPERSON
GUAM BAR ETHICS COMMITTEE

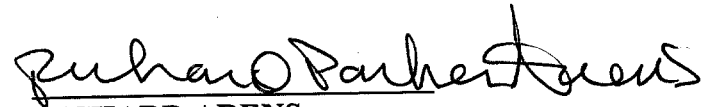
SO STIPULATED:



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PROSECUTING COUNSEL
GUAM BAR ETHICS COMMITTEE



RICHARD A. PIPES
RESPONDENT



RICHARD ARENS
RESPONDENT'S ATTORNEY

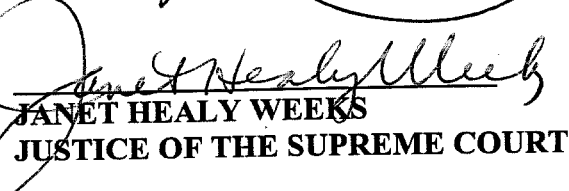
SO ORDERED:



PETER C. SIGUENZA, JR., CHIEF JUSTICE
SUPREME COURT OF GUAM



BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ
JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT



JANET HEALY WEEKS
JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT