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11	In the Matter of:) Case No.SBC-20-O-00001
12	ALLEN CLARENCE HASSAN,) NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES
13	No. 104024,	OCTC Case Nos. 18-O-15134; 19-O-15428)
14	An Attorney of the State Bar	
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16		RE TO RESPOND!
17 18	IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A WRITTEN ANSWER TO THIS NOTICE WITHIN 20 DAYS AFTER SERVICE, OR IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT THE STATE BAR COURT TRIAL:	
19	(1) YOUR DEFAULT WILL BE EN	ΓERED;
20	(2) YOUR STATUS WILL BE CHANGED TO INACTIVE AND YOU WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW;	PRACTICE LAW;
21	THESE PROCEEDINGS UNLES	ED TO PARTICIPÁTE FURTHER IN SS YOU MAKE A TIMELY MOTION
22	AND THE DEFAULT IS SET ASIDE, AND;	TO ADDITIONAL DISCIPLINE
23	SPECIFICALLY, IF YOU FAIL OR VACATE YOUR DEFAUL	TO TIMELY MOVE TO SET ASIDE T, THIS COURT WILL ENTER AN
24	ORDER RECOMMENDING YOUR DISBARMENT WITHOUT FURTHER HEARING OR PROCEEDING. SEE RULE 5.80 ET SEO.,	CEEDING. SEE RULE 5.80 ET SEQ.,
25	RULES OF PROCEDURE OF T	HE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA.
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-1-NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES – (OCTC Case Nos. 18-O-15134; 19-O-15428) The State Bar of California alleges:

JURISDICTION

1. Allen Clarence Hassan ("respondent") was admitted to the practice of law in the State of California on September 14, 1982. Respondent was a licensed attorney at all times pertinent to these charges, and is currently a licensed attorney of the State Bar of California.

COUNT ONE

OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134
Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 3-110(A)
[Failure to Perform Competently]

- 2. On or about August 21, 2012, Jerry Littleton retained respondent to perform legal services, namely to represent him in an action against his employer, *Jerry Littleton v. Pacific Gas & Electric Company, et al.*, Eastern District of California, case no. 2:12-cv-02236, in which respondent intentionally, recklessly, or repeatedly failed to perform with competence, in willful violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 3-110(A), as follows:
 - A. By failing to serve defendants with the Complaint, as ordered by the court on or about August 28, 2012;
 - B. By failing to serve defendants with the Order Setting Status (Pretrial Scheduling)
 Conference, as ordered by the court on or about August 28, 2012;
 - C. By failing to file a status report, as ordered by the court on or about August 28, 2012;
 - D. By failing to oppose Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, in accordance with Local Rule230, as ordered by the court, on or about April 11, 2013;
 - E. By failing to respond to an Order to Show Cause as ordered by the court on or about June 28, 2013;
 - F. By failing to file a timely opposition to defendant South Feather Water and Power Agency's August 16, 2013 Motion for Partial Judgment on the Pleadings;

1	G. By failing to respond to an Order to Show Cause as ordered by the court on or about
2	September 30, 2013;
3	H. By failing to respond to an Order to Show Cause as ordered by the court on or about
4	October 10, 2013;
5	I. By failing to file a status report as ordered by the court on or about December 17,
6	2013;
7	J. By failing to respond to an Order to Show Cause as ordered by the court on or about
8	January 17, 2014; and
9	K. By failing to competently oppose dismissal of the case after dismissal was ordered or
10	February 11, 2014.
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12	<u>COUNT TWO</u>
13 14	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134 Business and Professions Code section 6068(m) [Failure to Communicate Significant Development]
15	3. On or about February 2, 2014, and thereafter, respondent failed to keep his client,
16	Jerry Littleton, reasonably informed of significant developments regarding <i>Jerry Littleton v</i> .
17	Pacific Gas & Electric Company, Eastern District of California, case no. 2:12-cv-02236 in
18	willful violation of section 6068(m) of the Business and Professions Code, by failing to inform
19	his client that the case was dismissed on February 11, 2014.
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21	<u>COUNT THREE</u>
22	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134 Business and Professions Code section 6103
23	[Failure to Comply with Court Orders]
24	4. Respondent disobeyed or violated an order or orders of the court requiring responder
25	to do or forbear an act connected with or in the course of respondent's profession which
26	respondent ought in good faith to do or forbear, in Jerry Littleton v. Pacific Gas & Electric
27	Company et al., Eastern District of California, case no. 2:12-cv-02236, as follows:

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- A. Failing to comply with the August 28, 2012 Order Setting Status (Pretrial Scheduling)

 Conference, which required respondent (concurrently with the service of process or as soon as possible thereafter) to serve upon each of the parties a copy of the order, and to file with the clerk of the court a certificate reflecting such service; to confer and develop a discovery plan at least twenty-one calendar days before the scheduling conference; to file a joint status report with the court not later than fourteen days prior to the scheduling conference; and to file opposition papers in accordance with Local Rule 230(c);
- B. Failing to comply with the April 11, 2013 Order which required respondent to file briefing in accordance with Local Rule 230, which required respondent to file an opposition or non-opposition not less than fourteen days preceding the noticed (or continued) hearing date;
- C. Failing to comply with the June 28, 2013 Order which required respondent to show cause in writing within ten days as to why certain defendants should not be dismissed with prejudice;
- D. Failing to comply with the September 30, 2013 Order which required plaintiff to show cause in writing within ten days as to why defendant South Feather Water and Power Agency's Motion for Partial Judgment should not be granted;
- E. Failing to comply with the October 16, 2013 Order which required respondent to show cause in writing within ten days as to why he should not be fined \$500 for failing to respond to the September 30, 2013 Order;
- F. Failing to comply with the December 17, 2013 Order which required respondent to file a joint status report within 30 days; and
- G. Failing to comply with the January 17, 2014 Order which required respondent to show cause in writing within ten days as to why he should not be fined \$500 for failing to comply with the court's December 17, 2013 Order.

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NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES - (OCTC Case Nos. 18-O-15134; 19-O-15428)

- 6. On or about December 1, 2015, Victoria Littleton retained respondent to perform legal services, namely to represent her in a lawsuit, *Victoria Littleton et al. v. South Feather Water and Power Agency, et al.*, Butte County, case no. 16-cv-01637, in which respondent intentionally, recklessly, or repeatedly failed to perform with competence, in willful violation of the Former Rules of Professional Conduct, rule 3-110(A), as follows:
 - A. Failing to act diligently in investigating the status of South Feather Water and Power Agency and in ascertaining his obligation to petition for permission to sue under Government Code sections 911.2 and 945.4, *inter alia*;
 - B. Failing to present the claim against defendants within six months of the accrual of the claim as required by Government Code section 911.2;
 - C. Failing to apply for leave to present a late claim within one year under Government Code section 911.4(a);
 - D. Failing to competently petition the court for relief from the requirements of Government Code section 911.2 under Government Code section 946.6; and
 - E. Failing to perfect an appeal of the dismissal of the case.

COUNT SIX

OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134
Business and Professions Code section 6068(m)
[Failure to Communicate Significant Development]

- 7. On or about December 1, 2015, Victoria Littleton retained respondent to perform legal services, namely to represent her in a lawsuit, *Victoria Littleton et al. v. South Feather Water and Power Agency, et al.*, Butte County, case no. 16-cv-01637.
- 8. On or about March 12, 2018, and thereafter, respondent failed to keep Ms. Littleton, reasonably informed of significant developments regarding the appeal of *Victoria Littleton et al.* v. South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no C085740, in willful violation of section 6068(m) of the Business and Professions Code, by failing to inform his client that the appeal had been finally dismissed.

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4	<u>COUNT SEVEN</u>
56	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134 Business and Professions Code section 6068(m) [Failure to Communicate Significant Development]
7	9. On or about December 1, 2015, Victoria Littleton retained respondent to perform
8	legal services, namely to represent her and the estate of her late father, Jerry Littleton, in a
9	lawsuit, Jerry Littleton v. South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Butte County Superior
10	Court, case no. 165489.
11	10. On or about March 9, 2018, and thereafter, respondent failed to keep Ms. Littleton,
12	reasonably informed of significant developments regarding the appeal of Jerry Littleton v. South
13	Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no C085702, in willful
۱4	violation of section 6068(m) of the Business and Professions Code, by failing to inform his clie
15	that the appeal had been finally dismissed.
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7	<u>COUNT EIGHT</u>
18	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134 Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 4-100(A) [Failure to Deposit Client Funds Into A Client Trust Account]
9	11. On or about November 2, 2017 respondent received from his client, Victoria
20	Littleton, in connection with the appeal of Jerry Littleton v. South Feather Water and Power
21	Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no C085702, and the appeal of Littleton et al. v.
22	South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no C085740,
23	\$1,550 in advanced costs for filling fees.
24	12. On or about November 2, 2017, Respondent caused the \$1,550 to be deposited into
25	his personal bank account, Bank of America account number 32506064XXXX, that was not
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1	labeled as "Trust Account," "Client's Funds Account," or with words of similar import, in
2	willful violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 4-100(A).
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7	<u>COUNT NINE</u>
8	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134 Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 1-311(D) [Employment of Disbarred, Suspended, Resigned, or Involuntarily Inactive Member]
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10	13. Respondent failed to serve upon the State Bar from on or about September 28, 2012
11	to on or about November 8, 2012, notice of his employment of John Edmund Wolfgram,
12	Member No. 78966, who was then an involuntarily inactive member of the State Bar, in willful
13	violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 1-311(D).
14	COUNT TEN
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16 17	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134 Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 1-311(D) [Employment of Disbarred, Suspended, Resigned, or Involuntarily Inactive Member]
18	14. Respondent failed to serve upon the State Bar from on or about August 14, 2015 to on
-	or about March 26, 2018 notice of his employment of respondent employed Thomas J. Dixon,
19	Member No. 146405, who was then a disbarred member of the State Bar, in willful violation of
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21	the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 1-311(D).
22	COUNT ELEVEN
23	OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134
24	Business and Professions Code section 6068(o)(6) [Failure to Report Imposition of Professional Discipline]
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26	15. On or about January 15, 1968, the Medical Board of California (the "Board") issued
27	Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. C 29816 to respondent.
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16. On or about December 27, 2013, the Board filed a disciplinary action entitled "In the Matter of the Accusation against Allen C. Hassan, M.D." Case Number 02-2011-218969, against respondent alleging fourteen causes for discipline.

17. On or about January 15, 2015, in a Decision and Order effective February 12, 2015, the Board adopted a Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order. In its Decision and Order, the board revoked respondent's Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate, but stayed revocation and placed respondent's certificate on probation for five years on certain terms and conditions of probation that included Probation Conditions 4 and 7 relating to requirements that respondent successfully complete the Physician Assessment and Clinical Education (PACE) program and provide a certification of completion of the prescribing practices course.

- 18. On or about November 17, 2016, Judge Nye-Perkins found by a preponderance of the evidence that respondent failed to comply with Probation Condition 4 and Probation Condition 7 of the Board's Decision and Order. The Board found that respondent failed to successfully complete the PACE program and failed to provide a certification of completion of the prescribing practices course. Judge Nye-Perkins found that each of these violations constituted a separate cause for discipline. Judge Nye-Perkins issued a Proposed Decision and Order vacating the stay revocation and imposing a revocation of respondent's certificate.
- 19. On or about November 17, 2016, the Board adopted the Proposed Decision and Order as its own Decision and Order.
 - 20. The Order became effective at 5:00 pm on December 16, 2016.
- 21. Respondent failed to report the January 15, 2015 Decision and Order, which was the imposition of discipline against respondent by a professional or occupational disciplinary or licensing board, in willful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6068(o)(6).
- 22. Respondent failed to report the November 17, 2016 Decision and Order, which was the imposition of discipline against respondent by a professional or occupational disciplinary or licensing board, in willful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6068(o)(6).

COUNT TWELVE

OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134
Business and Professions Code section 6068(k)
[Failure to Comply with Conditions of Discipline]

23. On or about January 20, 2016, respondent was disciplined in case number S230653,
State Bar Case No. 13-O-13004, with an effective date of February 19, 2016.
24. Conditions attached to respondent's disciplinary probation in State Bar Case No. 13-

O-13004 include the requirement to comply with all provisions of the State Bar Act and Rules of Professional Conduct.

25. Respondent willfully violated Business and Professions Code section 6068(k), by failing to comply with conditions attached to Respondent's disciplinary probation by failing to comply with all provisions of the State Bar Act and Rules of Professional Conduct, as follows:

- A. Respondent failed to serve upon the State Bar from on or about August 14, 2015 to on or about March 26, 2018 notice of his employment of respondent employed Thomas
 J. Dixon, Member No. 146405, who was then a disbarred member of the State Bar, in willful violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 1-311(D).
- B. On or about November 17, 2016, the Medical Board of California issued its Decision and Order, which revoked respondent's Physician and Surgeon's Certificate, effective 5:00 pm on December 16, 2016. Respondent failed to report the November 17, 2016 Decision and Order, which was the imposition of discipline against respondent by a professional or occupational disciplinary or licensing board, in willful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6068(o)(6).
- C. On or about November 2, 2017 respondent received from his client, Victoria

 Littleton, in connection with the appeal of Jerry Littleton v. South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no C085702, and the appeal of Littleton et al. v. South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate

 District, case no. C085740, \$1,550 in advanced costs for filling fees. On or about November 2, 2017, Respondent caused the \$1,550 to be deposited into his personal

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bank account, Bank of America account number 32506064XXXX, that was not labeled as "Trust Account," "Client's Funds Account," or with words of similar import, in willful violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 4-100(A).

COUNT THIRTEEN

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Business and Professions Code section 6106
[Moral Turpitude - Misrepresentation]

- 26. On or about April 14, 2016; May 26, 2016; July 8, 2016; October 5, 2016; January 19, 2017; April 3, 2017; July 7, 2017; October 10, 2017; November 9, 2017; and March 1, 2017, respondent filed quarterly reports with the Office of Probation.
- 27. On each form, respondent swore, under penalty of perjury, that during the compliance period in question, he was in compliance with the State Bar Act and Rules of Professional Conduct.
- 28. In fact, respondent was violation of the State Bar Act and the Rules of Professional Conduct as follows:
 - A. Respondent failed to serve upon the State Bar from on or about August 14, 2015 to on or about March 26, 2018 notice of his employment of respondent employed Thomas
 J. Dixon, Member No. 146405, who was then a disbarred member of the State Bar, in

willful violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 1-311(D).

- B. On or about November 17, 2016, the Medical Board of California issued its Decision and Order, which revoked respondent's Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate, effective 5:00 pm on December 16, 2016. Respondent failed to report the November 17, 2016 Decision and Order, which was the imposition of discipline against
 - respondent by a professional or occupational disciplinary or licensing board, in
 - willful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6068(o)(6).

- C. On or about November 2, 2017, respondent received from his client, Victoria Littleton, in connection with the appeal of Jerry Littleton v. South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no. C085702, and the appeal of Littleton et al. v. South Feather Water and Power Agency et al., Third Appellate District, case no. C085740, \$1,550 in advanced costs for filling fees. On or about November 2, 2017, Respondent caused the \$1,550 to be deposited into his personal bank account, Bank of America account number 32506064XXXX, that was not labeled as "Trust Account," "Client's Funds Account," or with words of similar import, in willful violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 4-100(A).
- 29. Respondent knew that he was not in compliance with the State Bar Act or Rules of Professional Responsibility when he submitted each quarterly report to the Office of Probation. Respondent thereby committed an act involving moral turpitude, dishonesty, or corruption in willful violation of Business and Professions Code section 6106.
- 30. A violation of section 6106 may result from intentional conduct or grossly negligent conduct. Respondent is charged with committing intentional misrepresentation. However, should the evidence at trial demonstrate that respondent committed misrepresentation as a result of gross negligence, respondent must still be found culpable of violating section 6106 because misrepresentation through gross negligence is a lesser included offense of intentional misrepresentation.

COUNT FOURTEEN

OCTC Case No. 19-O-15428
Rules of Professional Conduct, former rule 3-110(A)
[Failure to Perform with Competence]

31. On or about September 3, 2017, Marcos Jiminez retained respondent to perform legal services, namely to represent him in *Marcos Jiminez v. Patrick J. Keenan, et al.*, Placer County Superior Court, case no. SCV-003833, in which respondent intentionally, recklessly, or

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1	1 repeatedly failed to perform with competence, in willfu	l violation of the Rules of Professional
2	2 Conduct, former rule 3-110(A), as follows:	
3	A. Failing to file a substitution of attorney form	ı;
4	B. Failing to participate in mediation, as ordere	d by the court on or about January 26,
5	5 2018;	
6	6 C. Failing to respond to an Order to Show Caus	se issued by the court on or about April
7	7 2018; and	
8	8 D. Failing to take action after the court dismisse	ed the case on or about May 1, 2018.
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12	[Failure to Perform with C 32. On or about September 3, 2017, and continu	
13	Jiminez retained respondent to perform legal services, n	
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17		provide work of any value.
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20	Business and Professions Code [Failure to Communicate Signification of the Profession of the Professio	
21	33. On or about May 1, 2018, and thereafter, res	nondent failed to keen his client. Marcos
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1	B. On October 3, 2017, the court ordered the parties to meet and confer to choose a
2	mediator;
3	C. On January 26, 2017, the court ordered the parties to participate in mediation;
4	D. The court issued an April 4, 2018 Order to Show Cause Re: Dismissal; and
5	E. On or about May 1, 2018, the court dismissed the case.
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8	<u>COUNT SEVENTEEN</u>
9	OCTC Case No. 19-O-15428 Business and Professions Code section 6103 [Failure to Comply with Court Orders]
11	34. Respondent disobeyed or violated an order or orders of the court requiring respondent
12	to do or forbear an act connected with or in the course of respondent's profession which
13	respondent ought in good faith to do or forbear, in Marcos Jiminez v. Patrick J. Keenan, et al.,
14	Placer County Superior Court, case no. SCV-003833, as follows:
15	A. Failing to comply with the October 3, 2017 Order requiring Respondent to meet and
16	confer with opposing counsel to choose a mediator;
17	B. Failing to comply with the January 26, 2018 Order requiring Respondent to
18	participate in mediation and attempt to settle the case; and
19	C. Failing to comply with the April 4, 2018 Order to Show Cause Re: Dismissal.
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21	<u>COUNT EIGHTEEN</u>
22	OCTC Case No. 19-O-15428 Rules of Professional Conduct, rule 1.16(e)
23	[Failure to Refund Unearned Fees]
24	35. On or about September 4, 2017, Marcos Jiminez paid respondent \$6,500 to perform
25	legal services, namely to represent him in Marcos Jiminez v. Patrick J. Keenan, et al., Placer
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1	County Superior Court, case no. SCV-003833, and in a child visitation matter, in connection	
2	with both of which respondent failed to perform work of any value.	
3	36. On or about March 20, 2019, Mr. Jiminez requested a full refund.	
4	37. On or about March 26, 2019 Respondent agreed to provide a full refund.	
5	38. Respondent failed to provide a full or partial refund, in willful violation of the Rules	
6	of Professional Conduct, rule 1.16.(e).	
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10	NOTICE - INACTIVE ENROLLMENT!	
11	YOU ARE HEREBY FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT IF THE STATE BAR	
12	COURT FINDS, PURSUANT TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE SECTION 6007(c), THAT YOUR CONDUCT POSES A SUBSTANTIAL	
13	THREAT OF HARM TO THE INTERESTS OF YOUR CLIENTS OR TO THE PUBLIC, YOU MAY BE INVOLUNTARILY ENROLLED AS AN INACTIVE MEMBER OF THE STATE BAR. YOUR INACTIVE	
14	INACTIVE MEMBER OF THE STATE BAR. YOUR INACTIVE ENROLLMENT WOULD BE IN ADDITION TO ANY DISCIPLINE RECOMMENDED BY THE COURT.	
15	RECOMMENDED BY THE COURT.	
16	NOTICE - COST ASSESSMENT!	
17	IN THE EVENT THESE PROCEDURES RESULT IN PUBLIC DISCIPLINE, YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF COSTS	
18	INCURRED BY THE STATE BAR IN THE INVESTIGATION, HEARING AND REVIEW OF THIS MATTER PURSUANT TO BUSINESS AND	
19	PROFESSIONS CODE SECTION 6086.10.	
20	Respectfully submitted,	
21	THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA OFFICE OF CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL	
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24	DATED: January 2, 2020 By: Alex Binder	
25	Deputy Trial Counsel	
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-15-NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES – (OCTC Case Nos. 18-O-15134; 19-O-15428)

DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY FIRST CLASS MAIL AND CERTIFIED MAIL

CASE NUMBER: (OCTC Case No. 18-O-15134; 19-O-15428)

I, the undersigned, over the age of eighteen (18) years, whose business address and place of employment is the State Bar of California, 180 Howard Street, San Francisco, California, declare that I am not a party to the within action; that I am readily familiar with the State Bar of California's practice for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service; that in the ordinary course of the State Bar of California's practice, correspondence collected and processed by the State Bar of California would be deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day; that I am aware that on motion of party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date or postage meter date on the envelope or package is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing contained in the affidavit; and that in accordance with the practice of the State Bar of California for collection and processing of mail, I deposited or placed for collection and mailing in the City and County of San Francisco, on the date shown below, a true copy of the within

NOTICE OF DISCIPLINARY CHARGES

in a sealed envelope placed for collection and as first class mailing and as certified mail, return receipt requested at 180 Howard Street, San Francisco, California, on the date shown below, addressed to:

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Allen Clarence Hassan Allen Hassan Law Office 2929 El Camino Real Sacramento, CA 95821-6012 Michael Emery Dietrick Law Offices of Michael Dietrick 765 Baywood Dr Ste 227 Petaluma, CA 94954

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed at San Francisco, California, on the date shown below.

DATED: January 2, 2020 SIGNED: Francia Linguishing

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