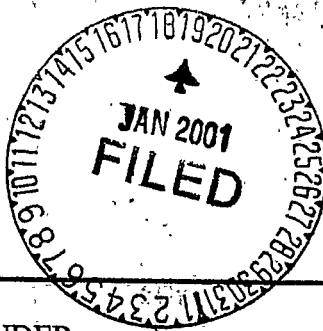


NORTH CAROLINA

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BEFORE THE COUNCIL
OF THE
NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR
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IN THE MATTER OF THE TENDER
OF SURRENDER OF LICENSE OF:

ORDER OF DISBARMENT

R. LEWIS ALEXANDER, JR.

THIS MATTER coming on to be heard and being heard by the Council of the North Carolina State Bar pursuant to 27 N.C. Admin. Code Chapter 1, Subchapter B, §.0117(a) of the State Bar Discipline & Disability Rules upon an affidavit of tender of surrender of license executed by R. Lewis Alexander, Jr. on January 11, 2001 and filed in the offices of the North Carolina State Bar on January 18, 2001.

Based upon the affidavit, the Council finds that R. Lewis Alexander, Jr.'s conduct of misappropriating client funds is grounds for discipline pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. §84-28(b)(2) in that R. Lewis Alexander, Jr. violated Rules 8.4(b) and (c) of the Revised Rules of Professional Conduct.

WHEREFORE, upon motion duly made and seconded, the Council enters the following Order:

1. The tender of surrender of license of R. Lewis Alexander, Jr. is hereby accepted.
2. R. Lewis Alexander, Jr. is hereby is DISBARRED from the practice of law in North Carolina.
3. R. Lewis Alexander, Jr. shall comply with the provisions of 27 N.C.A.C. Chapter 1, Subchapter B, §.0124 of the State Bar Discipline & Disbarment Rules and shall surrender his license and permanent membership card to the Secretary of the North Carolina State Bar along with the affidavit required by § .0124 of the State Bar Discipline & Disbarment Rules.
4. The costs of this action are taxed against R. Lewis Alexander, Jr.

Done and ordered this 19th day of January, 2001.

M. Ann Reed, President
North Carolina State Bar