STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF WAKE

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

FRANCIS O. CLARKSON, JR.

ORDER

This matter coming on to be heard and being heard before the Council of The North Carolina State Bar on July 13, 1984 pursuant to Section 17 of Article IX of the Rules of Discipline and Disbarment upon the tender of surrender of license of Francis O. Clarkson, Jr. sworn to and subscribed on April 25, 1984 and filed in the offices of the North Carolina State Bar on April 26, 1984 and the Supplemental Affidavit of Francis O. Clarkson, Jr. sworn to and subscribed on July 9, 1984 and filed in the offices of the North Carolina State Bar on July 11, 1984.

BASED UPON the facts contained in the Affidavits, the Council finds that Francis O. Clarkson, Jr. misappropriated clients' funds in violation of NCGS 84-28(b)(2) and Disciplinary Rules 1-102(A)(3) (4) & (6) and Disciplinary Rules 9-102(A) & (B)(4).

WHEREFORE, upon Motion being duly made and seconded, the Council enters the following ORDER:

- That the tender of surrender of license of Francis 0. Clarkson, Jr. be accepted.
- 2. That Francis O. Clarkson, Jr. be and hereby is DISBARRED from the practice of law in North Carolina.
- 3. That the costs of this action are taxed against Francis O. Clarkson, Jr.

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DONE AND ORDERED this the 13th day of July, 1984.

Clifton Everett, Sr.

President