

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 Jonathan Koffa on April 15, 2004 and filed in the offices of the North Carolina State Bar on April 16, 2000.

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

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

- 1. The tender of surrender of license of Jonathan Koffa is hereby accepted.
- 2. Jonathan Koffa is hereby DISBARRED from the practice of law in North Carolina.
- 3. Jonathan Koffa 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 Jonathan Koffa.

Done and ordered this 23rd day of April 2004.

Dudley Humphrey, President

The N.C. State Bar

TO: The Council of the North Garotine State Bar

AFFIDAVIT OF SURRENDER

JONATHAN KOFFA, being first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

- 1. I desire to resign and hereby tender my license to practice law in North Carolina pursuant to the provisions of 27 N.C. Admin. Code Chapter 1, Subchapter B, Section .0117 of the N.C. State Bar Discipline & Disability Rules.
- 2. My resignation is freely and voluntarily rendered, and is not the result of coercion or duress. I am fully aware of the implications of submitting my resignation.
- 3. I am aware that there is pending an investigation regarding allegations that I misappropriated \$272,418.95 to my own use.
- 4. I acknowledge that the material facts upon which the investigation is predicated are true.
- 5. I am submitting my resignation because I know that if disciplinary charges were predicated upon the misconduct under investigation, I could not successfully defend against them.

Jonathan Koffa

Sworn to and subscribed before me

his the 15 day of April

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My commission expires: June 10,2006