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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF WAKE

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BEFORE THE DISCIPLINARY HEARING COMMISSION OF THE

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IN RE:

ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT

FRANCIS C. CLARK

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This matter coming on to be heard and being heard by the Council of The North Carolina State Bar pursuant to Section (A)(4) of Article IX of the Rules of Discipline and Disbarment of The North Carolina State Bar; and

It appearing to the Clouncil of The North Carolina State Bar that Francis C. Clark was suspended from the practice of law by Order dated April 28, 1983;

And it further appearing to the Council that Francis C. Clark filed a Petition for Reinstatement of License to Practice license on December 19, 1983;

And the Council finds from the Petition, from affidavits presented in support of the Petition, and from representations of Counsel for Francis C. Clark, Henry A. Mitchell, that:

- 1. Francis C. Clark's suspension became effective upon his acceptance the Order, said acceptance being dated May 4, 1983.
- 2. Francis C. Clark has been employed in the Legal Division of First Union Corporation under the supervision of Marion A. Cowell, Jr., Senior Vice President and General Counsel of First Union Corporation since July 25, 1983.

- 3. For each thirty days Francis C. Clark was so employed with First Union Corporation, Francis C. Clark was entitled to a thirty day reduction in his one year suspension.
- 4. Francis C. Clark met all of the other conditions which would entitle him to the reduction in his suspension.
- 5. The period of suspension is now passed and Francis C. Clark is eligible for reinstatement under the terms of the April 28, 1983 Order.
- 6. Francis C. Clark paid the \$337.50 in costs taxed in 83 DHC 1 by check mailed November 15, 1983.
- 7. Francis C. Clark complied with the provisions of Section 24 of
 Article IX of the Rules of Discipline and Disbarment of The North Carolina
 State Bar.
- 8. Francis C. Clark has otherwise complied with the Order dated April 28, 1983.

Based upon the above Findings, the Council concludes that Francis C. Clark is entitled to be reinstated to the practice of law.

NOW, THEREFORE, upon Motion duly made and seconded, it is Ordered that Francis C. Clark, previously suspended from the practice of law by the Disciplinary Hearing Commission of The North Carolina State Bar, be reinstated as an attorney at law with the rights and privileges to practice law in North Carolina;

The Secretary is hereby directed to restore and deliver to the Petitioner the certificate of license now in the possession of the Secretary:

The Secretary is further directed to forward a copy of this Order of Reinstatement to the Supreme Court of North Carolina, the Court of Appeals of North Carolina, the Clerk of Superior Court of Forsyth County, and all other Courts of law notified previously of Francis C. Clark's suspension.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Francis C. Clark is taxed with the costs of this proceeding as certified by the Secretary, not to exceed \$500.00.

By Order of the Council, this 13th day of January, 1984.

Clifton W. Everett, Sr., President