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Respondent.

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ODC 11-024-8948

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and

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Pursuant to RSCH 2.3(a)(4), and DBR 27, ¹ this matter came before the DISCIPLINARY BOARD OF THE HAWAI'I SUPREME COURT ("Board") on February 28, 2013, and after hearing and deliberation, the Board DECIDED to accept and adopt the Stipulation of Facts, Conclusions of Law, and Recommendation for Discipline ("Stipulation"), filed herein on February 26, 2013, which was the result of a Voluntary Settlement Conference conducted by Board Member Jeffrey S. Portnoy, Esq., as Settlement Officer.

Pursuant to the Board's Decision, it is hereby ORDERED:

¹ Unless otherwise noted, "RSCH" indicates the Rules of the Supreme Court of Hawaii, and "DBR" indicates the Rules of the Disciplinary Board of the Hawaii Supreme Court.

- A. A PUPLIC REPRIMAND is the appropriate discipline to be imposed upon Respondent, and such a PUBLIC REPRIMAND was imposed upon Respondent by the Board on February 28, 2013.
- B. Respondent shall reimburse the Board for all costs related to this proceeding pursuant to RSCH 2.3(c).

This Decision and Order, pursuant to DBR 27(d) shall constitute a permanent record of the imposition of such a Public Reprimand upon Respondent and be served upon Respondent. Respondent shall also be provided with a copy of the text of the reprimand per DBR 27(b). Finally, pursuant to DBR 27(f), Petitioner shall issue the appropriate press release.

Dated: Kapa'a, Kauai, Hawai'i, MARCH 10, 2013,

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I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing documents was filed with the Clerk of the Disciplinary Board this date, and service was made by regular U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, as follows:

DAMON MASATOSHI SENAHA Law Offices of Damon M. Senaha 1188 Bishop St. Ste. 2002 Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

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and by hand-delivery to:

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Attorney for Petitioner.

Dated: Honolulu, Hawai'i, March 11_, 2013,

DISCIPLINARY BOARD OF THE HAWAI'I SUPREME COURT

By

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