

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA
(Before a Referee)

72,516

THE FLORIDA BAR,
Complainant,

The Florida Bar
No. 88-70,299-11E

v.

ARTHUR N. SHEPPARD,
Respondent.

FILED
SID J. WHITE
JUN 5 1988

CLERK, SUPREME COURT
By _____

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF CONSENT JUDGMENT FOR DISCIPLINE

THE FLORIDA BAR, Complainant, pursuant to Rule 3-7.8(a), Rules of Discipline, hereby files this Petition for Approval of Consent Judgment for Discipline and states as follows:

1. ARTHUR N. SHEPPARD, Respondent, is, and at all times hereinafter mentioned was, a member of The Florida Bar, subject to the jurisdiction and disciplinary rules of the Supreme Court of Florida.

2. Respondent has tendered to THE FLORIDA BAR, Complainant, a Stipulation as to Probable Cause, Conditional Guilty Plea and Consent Judgment for Discipline (hereinafter referred to as "consent judgment") prior to the filing of a formal complaint with this Court.

3. Respondent's consent judgment is attached to the instant petition for filing with the Supreme Court.

4. Respondent's consent judgment has been reviewed by John T. Berry (Staff Counsel) and the Board of Governors of The Florida Bar at its meeting held May 18 through 21, 1988.

5. Based upon the aforementioned review and pursuant to Rule 3-7.8(a), Rules of Discipline, Bar Counsel is authorized to recommend approval of Respondent's consent judgment and the imposition of the following disciplinary measures:

a) Public reprimand to be published in the Southern Reporter upon entry of the final order of discipline by the Supreme Court of Florida.

b) Taxation of costs of the disciplinary proceedings assessed against Respondent, with execution to issue at a rate of

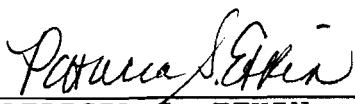
12% to accrue on all costs not paid within thirty (30) days of entry of the Supreme Court's final order, unless the time for payment is extended by the Board of Governors.

An itemization of the costs of of this proceeding, to date, is as follows:

<u>Administrative Costs:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Rule 3-7.5(k)(1), Rules of Discipline	\$ 150.00
<u>TOTAL</u>	\$ 150.00

WHEREFORE, The Florida Bar, Complainant, respectfully petitions this Court to approve Respondent's Consent Judgment for Discipline and order Respondent publicly reprimanded and to pay costs of the disciplinary proceedings.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the original of the foregoing Petition for Approval of Consent Judgment for Discipline was mailed to Sid White, Clerk, The Supreme Court of Florida, Supreme Court Building, Tallahassee, FL 32301 and that a true and correct copy was mailed to Arthur N. Sheppard, Respondent, 350 Lincoln Road, Suite 501, Miami Beach, FL 33139 this 1st day of June 1988.



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