

The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

IN RE: SHANE M. MOUTON

No.2020-B-01096

IN RE: Shane Michael Mouton - Applicant Other; Disciplinary Counsel - Applicant
Other; Joint Petition for Consent Discipline;

October 20, 2020

Joint petition for consent discipline accepted. See per curiam.

SJC

BJJ

JLW

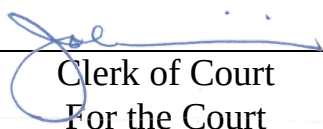
JDH

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Clerk of Court
For the Court

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ATTORNEY DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDING

PER CURIAM

The Office of Disciplinary Counsel (“ODC”) commenced an investigation into allegations that respondent engaged in a conflict of interest by representing both a private client and the State of Louisiana in a child support collection matter. Prior to the filing of formal charges, respondent and the ODC submitted a joint petition for consent discipline in which respondent admitted that his conduct violated Rules 1.7(a), 1.9(a), and 1.11(d) of the Rules of Professional Conduct. Having reviewed the petition,

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition for Consent Discipline be accepted and that Shane M. Mouton, Louisiana Bar Roll number 23537, be suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months. This suspension shall be deferred in its entirety, subject to a six-month period of probation governed by the conditions set forth in the petition for consent discipline. The probationary period shall commence from the date respondent and the ODC execute a formal probation plan. Any failure of respondent to comply with the conditions of probation, or any misconduct during the probationary period, may be grounds for making the deferred suspension executory, or imposing additional discipline, as appropriate.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all costs and expenses in the matter are assessed against respondent in accordance with Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 10.1,

with legal interest to commence thirty days from the date of finality of this court's judgment until paid.