

The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

IN RE: VELEKA ESKINDE

No. 2021-B-00643

IN RE: Disciplinary Counsel - Applicant Other; Veleka Eskinde - Applicant Other;
Joint Petition for Consent Discipline;

August 06, 2021

Joint petition for consent discipline accepted. See per curiam.

JLW

JDH

SJC

JTG

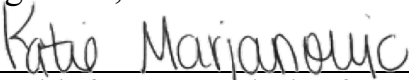
JBM

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Crain, J., dissents.

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Chief Deputy 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 mismanaged her client trust account. Following the filing of formal charges, respondent and the ODC submitted a joint petition for consent discipline. Having reviewed the petition,

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition for Consent Discipline be accepted and that Veleka Eskinde, Louisiana Bar Roll number 28305, be and she hereby is suspended from the practice of law for a period of one year and one day. All but sixty days of this suspension shall be deferred, followed by a two-year period of supervised probation governed by the conditions set forth in the Petition for Consent Discipline. The probationary period shall commence from the date respondent, the probation monitor, 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 portion of the 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.