

The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

IN RE: APPEAL OF THE DECISION OF
THE DISCIPLINARY BOARD NO.
22PDB-034

No. 2022-OB-01328

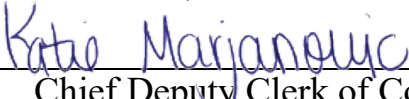
IN RE: Confidential Party - Applicant Other; Appeal of the Decision of the
Disciplinary Board;

November 22, 2022

Remanded for further investigation. See order.

WJC
JDH
JTG
JBM
PDG

Weimer, C.J., dissents and would deny the appeal.
Crichton, J., dissents and would deny the appeal.

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Chief Deputy Clerk of Court
For the Court

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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

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ORDER

On the showing made, we are unable to determine whether the disciplinary board acted arbitrarily, capriciously, or unreasonably in approving the dismissal of the complaint against respondent. Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 30(C). However, given the allegations made by the complainant, we believe the disciplinary board erred in not directing that the matter be investigated further pursuant to Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 30(A), particularly as relates to respondent's obligations under Rules 1.3, 1.4, and 1.15 of the Rules of Professional Conduct. Accordingly, this matter is remanded to the Office of Disciplinary Counsel to conduct further investigation pursuant to Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 11(B).

NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, this _____ day of _____, 2022.

FOR THE COURT:

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA