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In the Supreme Court of the State of Alaska

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In the Disciplinary Matter Involving)

KEVIN G. BRADY, Attorney.)

Supreme Court No. S-16342

ABA File No. 2015D060

Alaska Bar Association
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Order

Order No. 97 – October 28, 2016

Before: Stowers, Chief Justice, Winfree, Maassen, and Bolger,
Justices. [Carney, Justice, not participating.]

Bar Counsel for the Alaska Bar Association and attorney Kevin G. Brady entered into a stipulation for discipline by consent that would result in Brady's six-month suspension from the practice of law in Alaska. The Bar Association's Disciplinary Board approved the stipulation and now recommends that we do so, as well, and so suspend Brady. The facts of Brady's misconduct are set forth in the stipulation, which is attached as an appendix. We take these facts as true,¹ and we apply our independent judgment to the sanction's appropriateness.²

¹ Cf. *In re Miles*, 339 P.3d 1009, 1018 (Alaska 2014) (stating we independently review entire disciplinary proceeding record while affording great weight to Disciplinary Board's findings of fact).

² *Id.*

Based on the uncontested facts we agree with the legal analysis — set out in the stipulation — that a six-month suspension is an appropriate sanction for Brady's misconduct. Accordingly:

Kevin G. Brady is **SUSPENDED** from the practice of law in Alaska for a period of six months, effective November 28, 2016. In addition:

1. Although no claims presently are pending, Brady shall make full restitution of any amounts owed to the Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection, to the Alaska Bar Association, and for client fee arbitration awards should such matters subsequently arise;

2. Brady shall pay \$2,500 to the Alaska Bar Association within 30 days from entry of this order for disciplinary costs and fees incurred in this case; and

3. As a condition of reinstatement to practice, Brady shall be supervised for a period of six months by a supervising attorney acceptable to Bar Counsel.

Entered by direction of the court.

Clerk of the Appellate Courts


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