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THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

In The Matter of)

File No. 4681

FRANCIS V. KERNAN.)

ORDER

The Alaska Bar Association having forwarded to this court, in accordance with Part II, Rule 23(h) of the Alaska Bar Rules, a certified copy of a judgment convicting Francis V. Kernan on the charge of sale of marijuana; a certified copy of a four-count information; and a certified copy of an order modifying probation; and it appearing to the court that Francis V. Kernan has been found guilty in the State of Florida, Sarasota County, of a serious crime, as that term is defined in Part II, Rule 23(b) of the Alaska Bar Rules, and the court being advised in the premises:

By direction of the court,

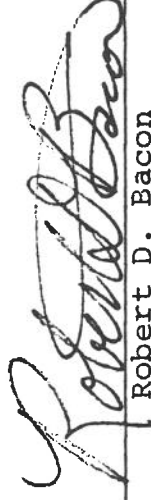
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Francis V. Kernan is suspended from the active practice of the law in the State of Alaska, pending final disposition of disciplinary proceedings in this matter.
2. Francis V. Kernan shall promptly comply with the provisions of Part II, Rules 26(a) and (b).
3. Within ten (10) days after the date of this Order, Francis V. Kernan shall file with this court an affidavit in accordance with Part II, Rule 26(d), showing that he has fully complied with the provisions of this order and with Part II of the Alaska Bar Rules.
4. Pursuant to Part II, Rule 23(d), this matter is referred to the Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar Association for institution of a formal proceeding before a hearing committee to determine the extent of the final discipline to be imposed upon Francis V. Kernan.

This Order shall be effective immediately.

Entered by direction of the court at Juneau, Alaska,
on June 18, 1979.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT



Robert D. Bacon

cc: Justices
Mr. Francis V. Kernan
Willie Jones
All Trial Court Clerks

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Robert D. Bacon, Clerk

By Corinne Stash Deputy

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