

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
WAKE COUNTY

BEFORE THE  
DISCIPLINARY HEARING COMMISSION  
OF THE  
NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR  
08 DHC 22

In re: **Grey Holland McCormick,**  
Attorney at Law

Consent Order of  
Interim Suspension

THIS CAUSE came before the undersigned Chair of the Disciplinary Hearing Commission pursuant to 27 N.C. Admin. Code Chapter 1, Subchapter B, Rule .0115(d) of the Discipline & Disability Rules of the North Carolina State Bar on petition for an order of interim suspension of the license to practice law in North Carolina of Grey Holland McCormick based upon her conviction of crimes showing professional unfitness in Carteret County Superior Court, North Carolina. Ms. McCormick, represented by Alan M. Schneider, consents to the entry of this Order of Interim Suspension. Based upon the certified copy of the judgment against Ms. McCormick attached hereto and the consent of the parties, the undersigned hereby makes the following

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Grey Holland McCormick (hereinafter "McCormick") was licensed to practice law in North Carolina on August 19, 1988 and is and was at all times referred to herein, an attorney at law, subject to the rules, regulations and Rules of Professional Conduct of the North Carolina State Bar and the laws of North Carolina.

2. The current address of record for McCormick with the North Carolina State Bar is 600 North 35<sup>th</sup> Street, Unit 404, Morehead City, NC 28557.

3. On June 4, 2008, judgment was entered against McCormick, convicting her of the felony of manufacturing, selling, delivering or possessing with intent to manufacture, sell, or deliver, a Schedule I controlled substance, in violation of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-95 and of the misdemeanor of maintaining a place for use, keeping, or sale of a controlled substance, in violation of N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-108. A certified copy of the judgment is attached as Exhibit 1.

4. McCormick freely and voluntarily consents to the entry of this Order of Interim Suspension.

Based upon the foregoing FINDINGS OF FACT, the undersigned makes the following

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The offenses for which Grey Holland McCormick was convicted are serious criminal offenses showing professional unfitness to practice as defined by Rule .0103(17) of the State Bar Discipline & Disability Rules and N.C. Gen. Stat. § 84-28(b).

2. Rule .0115(d) of Subchapter B of the Discipline & Disability Rules of the State Bar authorizes the Chair of the Disciplinary Hearing Commission to enter an order suspending an attorney's license upon receipt of a certified copy of a conviction of a criminal offense showing professional unfitness to practice law.

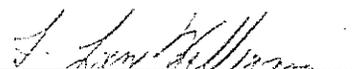
Based upon the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the undersigned Chair of the Disciplinary Hearing Commission enters the following

#### ORDER

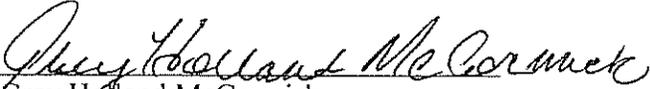
1. The license to practice law in North Carolina of Grey Holland McCormick is hereby SUSPENDED until the conclusion of all disciplinary matters pending before the North Carolina State Bar relating to her conviction in Carteret County Superior Court, North Carolina, for the felony of manufacturing, selling, delivering or possessing with intent to manufacture, sell, or deliver, a Schedule I controlled substance, in violation of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-95 and for the misdemeanor of maintaining a place for use, keeping, or sale of a controlled substance, in violation of N.C. Gen. Stat. 90-108, criminal offenses showing professional unfitness to practice law.

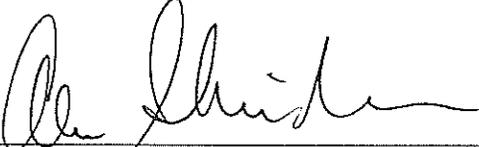
2. McCormick will comply with all requirements of 27 N.C. Admin. Code Chapter 1, Subchapter B, § .0124 of the North Carolina State Bar Discipline & Disability Rules for winding down her law practice.

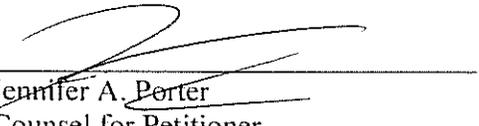
This the 4<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008.

  
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F. Lane Williamson, Chair  
Disciplinary Hearing Commission

Consent Order of Interim Suspension  
CONSENTED TO BY:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Grey Holland McCormick  
Respondent

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Alan M. Schneider  
Counsel for Respondent

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Jennifer A. Porter  
Counsel for Petitioner  
The North Carolina State Bar

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

CARTERET County

BEAUFORT Seat of Court

File No

07CRS055735

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NOTE: This form is to be used for (1) felony offense(s), and (2) misdemeanor offense(s), which are consolidated for judgment with any felony offense(s) Use AOC-CR-310 for DWI offense(s)

In The General Court Of Justice
District Superior Court Division

STATE VERSUS

JUDGMENT SUSPENDING SENTENCE - FELONY
IMPOSING AN INTERMEDIATE PUNISHMENT
IMPOSING A COMMUNITY PUNISHMENT (STRUCTURED SENTENCING)

G.S. 15A-1341, -1342, -1343, -1343.2, -1346

Name Of Defendant

MCCORMACK GREY, HOLLAND

Race

W

Sex

F

DOB

01/09/1947

Attorney For/Of Late

FINNEY, RENE

Def. Found Not Indigent

Def. Waived Attorney

Attorney For Defendant

MCFADYEN, DAVID

Appointed Retained

The defendant pled guilty to was found guilty by a jury of pled no contest to

Table with columns: File No.(s), Off., Offense Description, Offense Date, G.S. No., F/M, CL.
Rows: 07CRS05 573, 51, SELL/DELIVER SCH I CS, 11/8/2007, 90-95(A)(1), F, G
07CRS05-572, 51, MAINTN VEH/DWELL/PLACE CS (M), 11/8/2007, 90-108(A)(7), M, 1

The Court:

- 1. has determined, pursuant to G.S. 15A-1340.14, the prior record points of the defendant to be 1. Any prior record level point under G.S. 15A-1340.14(b)(7) is based on the jury's determination of this issue beyond a reasonable doubt or the defendant's admission to this issue.
2. makes no prior record level finding because none is required.

PRIOR RECORD LEVEL: I III V II IV VI

The Court (NOTE: Block 1 or 2 MUST be checked):

- 1. makes no written findings because the prison term imposed is within the presumptive range of sentences authorized under G.S. 15A-1340.17(c).
2. makes the aggravating and mitigating factors Determination as set forth on the attached AOC-CR-605.
3. makes the Findings of Extraordinary Mitigation set forth on the attached AOC-CR-605.
4. finds the defendant has provided substantial assistance pursuant to G.S. 90-95(h)(5).
5. finds enhanced punishment pursuant to: G.S. 90-95(e)(3) (drugs), G.S. 14-3(c) (hate crime), G.S. 50B-4.1 (domestic violence), Other: This finding is based on the jury's determination of this issue beyond a reasonable doubt or the defendant's admission to this issue.
6. imposes the punishment pursuant to a plea arrangement as to sentence under Article 58 of G.S. Chapter 15A.
7. finds the above designated offense(s) is a reportable conviction. G.S. 14-208.6.
a. and finds the defendant has has not been classified as a sexually violent predator. G.S. 14-208.6.
b. and finds the defendant is is not a recidivist. G.S. 14-208.6.
c. and finds the above designated offense(s) is is not an aggravated offense. G.S. 14-208.6.
d. and finds the above designated offense(s) is is not an offense against a minor. G.S. 14-208.6.
8. finds that a motor vehicle commercial motor vehicle was used in the commission of the offense and this conviction shall be reported to DMV.
9. finds this is an offense involving assault or communicating a threat, and the defendant had a personal relationship as defined by GS 50B-1(b) with the victim.

The Court, having considered evidence, arguments of counsel and statement of defendant, Orders that the above offenses, if more than one, be consolidated for judgment and the defendant be imprisoned

for a minimum term of 12 months for a maximum term of 15 months in the custody of N.C. DOC.

This sentence shall run at the expiration of sentence imposed in file number

The defendant shall be given credit for 28 days spent in confinement prior to the date of this Judgment as a result of this charge(s) to be applied toward the sentence imposed above. Imprisonment required for special probation set forth on AOC-CF-603, Page Two.

SUSPENSION OF SENTENCE

Subject to the conditions set out below, the execution of this sentence is suspended and the defendant is placed on supervised probation for 36 months.

- 1. The Court finds that a longer shorter period of probation is necessary than that which is specified in G.S. 15A-1343.2(d).
2. The Court finds that it is NOT appropriate to delegate to the Division of Community Corrections in the Department of Correction the authority to impose any of the requirements in G.S. 15A-1343.2(e) if the offender is sentenced to a community punishment, or G.S. 15A-1343.2(f) if the offender is sentenced to an intermediate punishment.
3. The above period of probation shall begin when the defendant is released from incarceration in the case referred to below.
4. The above period of probation shall begin at the expiration of the sentence in the case referred to below.

A TRUE COPY
CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT
CARTERET COUNTY
BY Assistant Deputy Clerk Superior Court

Table with columns: File Number, Offense, County, Court

- 5. The defendant shall comply with the conditions set forth in file number
6. The defendant shall provide a DNA sample pursuant to G.S. 15A-266.4. (AOC-CR-319 required)
7. The defendant is not required to submit to satellite-based monitoring shall submit to satellite-based monitoring as indicated on the attached AOC-CR-611

MONETARY CONDITIONS

The defendant shall pay to the Clerk of Superior Court the "Total Amount Due" shown below, plus the probation supervision fee, pursuant to a schedule determined by the probation officer. set out by the court as follows:

Table with columns: Court Costs, Miscellaneous, Fine, Restitution, Attorney's Fee, Comm Service Fee, EHA Fee, GPS Fee, Total Amount Due
Values: \$ 380.50, \$ 0.00, \$ 300.00, \$ 0.00, \$ 0.00, \$ 0.00, \$ 0.00, 0.00, \$ 680.50

\*See attached "Restitution Worksheet, Notice And Order (Initial Sentencing)" AOC-CR-611, which is incorporated by reference.

- All payments received by the Clerk shall be distributed pro rata among the persons entitled to restitution in this priority, first priorities and before payment of community service and probation supervision fees.
Upon payment of the "Total Amount Due", the probation officer may transfer the defendant to unsupervised probation.

AOC-CR-603, Rev 12/07

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EXHIBIT

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**REGULAR CONDITIONS OF PROBATION - G.S. 15A-1343(b)**

**NOTE** An probationary judgment may be extended pursuant to G.S. 15A-1342. The defendant shall: (1) Commit no criminal offense in any jurisdiction (2) Possess a firearm, explosive device or other deadly weapon listed in G.S. 14-269. (3) Remain gainfully and suitably employed or faithfully pursue a course of study or vocational training, that will equip the defendant for suitable employment, and abide by all rules of the institution. (4) Satisfy child support and family obligations, as required by the Court.

If the defendant is on supervised probation, the defendant shall also: (5) Remain within the jurisdiction of the Court unless granted written permission to leave by the Court or the probation officer. (6) Report as directed by the Court or the probation officer to the officer at reasonable times and places and in a reasonable manner, permit the officer to visit at reasonable times, answer all reasonable inquiries by the officer and obtain prior approval from the officer for, and notify the officer of, any change in address or employment. (7) Notify the probation officer if the defendant fails to obtain or retain satisfactory employment. (8) At a time to be designated by the probation officer, visit with the probation officer a facility maintained by the Division of Prisons.

If the defendant is to serve an active sentence as a condition of special probation, the defendant shall also: (9) Obey the rules and regulations of the Department of Correction governing the conduct of inmates while imprisoned. (10) Report to a probation officer in the State of North Carolina within seventy-two (72) hours of the defendant's discharge from the active term of imprisonment.

11. The Court finds that the defendant is responsible for acts of domestic violence and  there is an abuser treatment program, approved by the Domestic Violence Commission, reasonably available to the defendant, and the defendant shall attend and complete that program.  there is not an approved abuser treatment program reasonably available.  it would not be in the best interests of justice to order the defendant to complete an abuser treatment program because \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** See Page Two, Side Two, for Additional Conditions For Persons Convicted Of Domestic Violence.

**SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF PROBATION - G.S. 15A-1343(b1), 143B-262(c)**

The defendant shall also comply with the following special conditions which the Court finds are reasonably related to the defendant's rehabilitation:

- 12. Surrender the defendant's drivers license to the Clerk of Superior Court for transmittal/notification to the Division of Motor Vehicles and not operate a motor vehicle for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ or until relicensed by the Division of Motor Vehicles, whichever is later.
- 13. Submit at reasonable times to warrantless searches by a probation officer of the defendant's person, and of the defendant's vehicle and premises while the defendant is present, for the following purposes which are reasonably related to the defendant's probation supervision:
  - stolen goods  controlled substances  contraband  child pornography  **WEAPONS AND ALCOHOL**
- 14. Not use, possess or control any illegal drug or controlled substance unless it has been prescribed for the defendant by a licensed physician and is in the original container with the prescription number affixed on it; not knowingly associate with any known or previously convicted users, possessors or sellers of any illegal drugs or controlled substances; and not knowingly be present at or frequent any place where illegal drugs or controlled substances are sold, kept or used.
- 15. Supply a breath, urine and/or blood specimen for analysis of the possible presence of a prohibited drug or alcohol, when instructed by the defendant's probation officer.
- 16. Successfully pass the General Education Development Test (G.E.D.) during the first \_\_\_\_\_ months of the period of probation
- 17. Complete \_\_\_\_\_ hours of community or reparation service during the first \_\_\_\_\_ days of the period of probation, as directed by the community service coordinator and pay the fee prescribed by G.S. 143B-262 4(b).  pursuant to the schedule set out under monetary conditions above.  within \_\_\_\_\_ days of this Judgment and before beginning service.
- 18. Report for initial evaluation by \_\_\_\_\_ participate in all further evaluation, counseling, treatment or education programs recommended as a result of that evaluation, and comply with all other therapeutic requirements of those programs until discharged.
- 19. Not assault, threaten, harass, be found in or on the premises or workplace of, or have any contact with \_\_\_\_\_ "Contact" includes any defendant-initiated contact, direct or indirect, by any means including but not limited to telephone, personal contact, e-mail, pager, gift-giving, telefacsimile machine or through any other person, except \_\_\_\_\_
- 20. Other: DEFENDANT'S LAW LICENSE TO BE SUSPENDED, for a period of 1 year.

21. Comply with the Special Conditions Of Probation - Intermediate Punishments - Contempt which are set forth on AOC-CR-603, Page Two.

A hearing was held in open court in the presence of the defendant at which time a fee, including expenses, was awarded the defendant's appointed counsel or assigned public defender.

**ORDER OF COMMITMENT/APPEAL ENTRIES**

- 1. It is ORDERED that the Clerk deliver two certified copies of this Judgment and Commitment to the sheriff or other qualified officer and that the officer cause the defendant to be delivered with these copies to the custody of the agency named on the reverse to serve the sentence imposed or until the defendant shall have complied with the conditions of release pending appeal.
- 2. The defendant gives notice of appeal from the judgment of the trial court to the appellate division. Appeal entries and any conditions of post conviction release are set forth on form AOC-CR-350.

**SIGNATURE OF JUDGE**

Date	Name Of Presiding Judge (Type Or Print)	Signature Of Presiding Judge
6/4/2008	RUSSELL J. LANIER, JR	

**CERTIFICATION**

- I certify that this Judgment and the attachment(s) marked below is a true and complete copy of the original which is on file in this case.
- 1. Appellate Entries (AOC-CR-350)
  - 2. Judgment Suspending Sentence, Page Two (Special Conditions Of Probation) (AOC-CR-603, Page Two)
  - 3. Felony Judgment Findings Of Aggravating And Mitigating Factors (AOC-CR-605)
  - 4. Extraordinary Mitigation Findings (AOC-CR-606)
  - 5. Restitution Worksheet, Notice And Order (Initial Sentencing) (AOC-CR-611)
  - 6. Judicial Findings As To Required DNA Sample (AOC-CR-319)
  - 7. Judicial Findings And Order As To Satellite-Based Monitoring For Sex Offenders - Lifetime Monitoring/Judicial Findings And Order As To Satellite-Based Monitoring For Sex Offenders - Court-Determined Monitoring Period (AOC-CR-615)

Date Of Certification	Signature
6/4/2008	
Date Certified Copies Delivered To Sheriff	SEAL
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