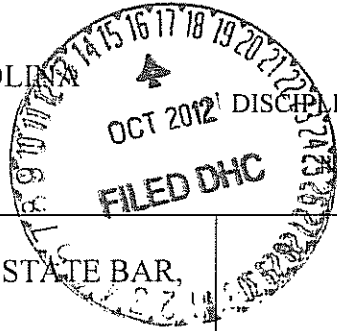


STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

WAKE COUNTY



BEFORE THE  
DISCIPLINARY HEARING COMMISSION  
OF THE  
NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR  
12 DHC 21

THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR,

Plaintiff

v.

GREGORY T. RILEY, Attorney,

Defendant

ORDER

This matter was heard on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of October, 2012, before a hearing panel of the Disciplinary Hearing Commission composed of the Chair, Fred M. Morelock, and members Harriett Smalls and Joseph Barlow Herget. Jennifer A. Porter represented Plaintiff, the North Carolina State Bar. Christopher C. Fialko represented Defendant, Gregory T. Riley. Based upon the pleadings and the evidence introduced at the hearing, the hearing panel finds that the North Carolina State Bar failed to meet its burden to prove the allegations that Defendant violated the Rules of Professional Conduct by clear, cogent, and convincing evidence and this case is accordingly dismissed.

16<sup>th</sup> Signed by the Chair with the consent of the other hearing panel members, this the day of October 2012.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Fred Morelock".

Fred Mr. Morelock, Chair  
Disciplinary Hearing Panel