

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

Disciplinary Counsel, : Case No. 08-37  
Relator, : (BCGD Case No. 07-036)  
v. :  
Thomas J. Manning, :  
Respondent. :

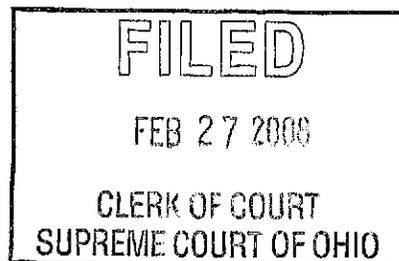
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**NOTICE BY RESPONDENT OF WITHDRAWAL OF OBJECTIONS  
AND CONSENT TO RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD**

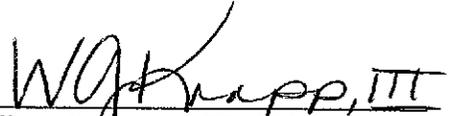
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Now comes Respondent, Thomas Joel Manning, by and through counsel, and does hereby give Notice to this Honorable Court of his withdrawal of his objections filed on January 30, 2008. Following the issuance of the Board's Order on January 4, 2008, Respondent's counsel attempted to discuss the matter with Relator's counsel. Unfortunately, this was delayed because Relator's counsel was out of the office for an extended period following surgery. Respondent's objections were filed during this interim period so as to preserve his rights following the Board's Order.

After discussion with counsel, and further reflection, Respondent takes no objection to the Board's report and sanction recommendation. In so doing, Respondent submits to this Court that he understands that this Court is not bound by the board's report and recommendation. Respondent further understands that by withdrawing his objections, he waives his right to present oral argument to the Court.



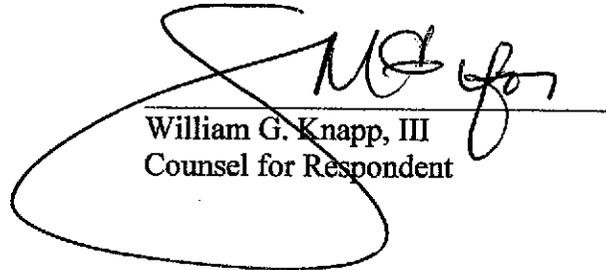
Respectfully submitted,



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing has been sent to Jonathan E. Coughlan, Esq./Joseph M. Caliguiri, Esq., Office of Disciplinary Counsel, 250 Civic Center Drive, Suite 325, Columbus, OH 43215, this 25 day of February, 2008.



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