

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
ON
GRIEVANCES AND DISCIPLINE
OF
THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO**

JOSEPH G. STAFFORD,

Respondent,

vs.

DISCIPLINARY COUNSEL,

Relator.

)
) **SCO No. 2011-0408**
)
)

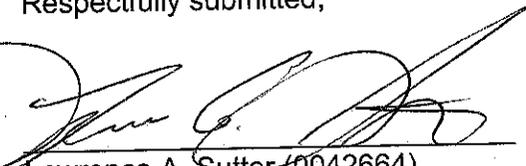
) **Case No. 2009-0028**
)
)

) **NOTICE OF WITHDRAW AS**
) **COUNSEL FOR THE RESPONDENT**
) **JOSEPH G. STAFFORD**
)
)
)

Now come Lawrence A. Sutter and Stephanie D. Adams of the law firm of Sutter O'Connell and hereby respectfully notices the Court and concerned parties of their formal withdrawal of Counsel for the Respondent, Joseph G. Stafford.

This notice is being submitted in accordance with Ohio Rules of Professional Conduct Rule 1.16 (b)(7) as the Respondent has provided informed written consent to this termination of representation.

Respectfully submitted,



Lawrence A. Sutter (0042664)
Stephanie D. Adams (0081822)
Sutter, O'Connell & Farchione
3600 Erievue Tower
1310 East 9th Street
Cleveland, Ohio 44114
(216) 928-2200
Fax: (216) 928-4400

Attorneys for Respondent

FILED
AUG 24 2011
CLERK OF COURT
SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

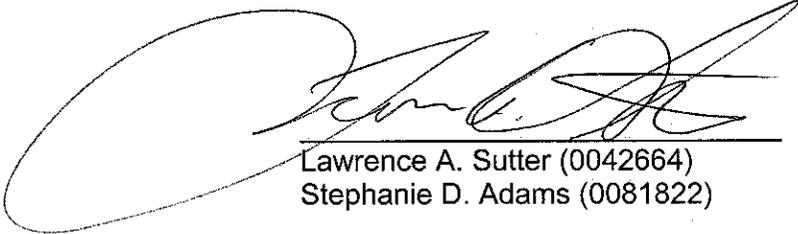
RECEIVED
AUG 24 2011
CLERK OF COURT
SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing Notice of Withdrawal as Counsel for the Respondent Joseph G. Stafford was mailed via regular, U.S. Mail to the following on this 23rd day of August, 2011.

Jonathan W. Marshall
The Supreme Court of Ohio
Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline
65 South Front Street, 5th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3431

Lori J. Brown
Jonathan E. Coughlan
First Assistant Disciplinary Counsel
250 Civic Center Drive, Suite 325
Columbus, Ohio 43215-7411



Lawrence A. Sutter (0042664)
Stephanie D. Adams (0081822)