

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

**In re: Judicial Campaign Complaint
Against Jeanette Moll,**

Case No. 2012-1186

Respondent.

**PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE FIVE
JUDGE COMMISSION APPOINTED
PURSUANT TO RULE II, SECTION
5(D)(1) OF THE SUPREME COURT
RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF
THE JUDICIARY OF OHIO, AND
SECTION 2701.11 OF THE OHIO
REVISED CODE**

**COMPLAINANT LYNN RIFE'S ITEMIZED AFFIDAVIT OF ATTORNEY EXPENSES
THROUGH AUGUST 13, 2012**

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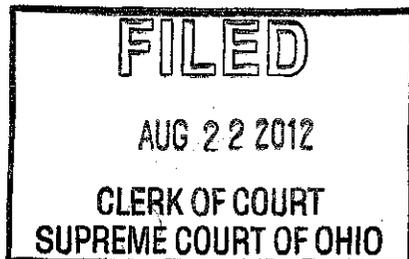
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THROUGH AUGUST 13, 2012**

STATE OF OHIO

ss:

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN

LYNN RIFE, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am the Complainant in the above-captioned matter. I make and submit this affidavit as directed in the August 16, 2012 Miscellaneous Orders issued by the Commission of Five Judges Appointed by the Supreme Court of Ohio.

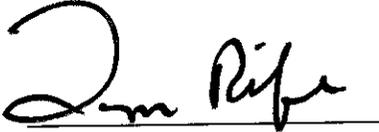
2. I attach as Exhibit A an invoice from my attorney, David Axelrod, which I understand to accurately represent the time and expenses of his firm in connection with this matter through August 13, 2012. The invoice reflects professional fees of \$20,990.00 and reimbursable expenses of \$151.51, for a total of \$21,141.51.

3. Mr. Axelrod has advised that some of the time spent by associates in his firm has been cut from the invoice. Additionally, the invoice does not include time spent by Sue Ann Ruelbach, another attorney who represents me in this matter but has not rendered a bill.

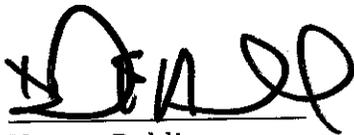
4. Near the end of the invoice, two expenses appear as having been charged on August 22, 2012. I understand those dates are entered as a function of Mr. Axelrod's billing system, but that, in fact, as shown elsewhere in those entries,

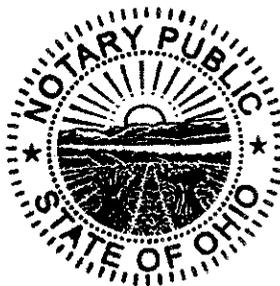
both expenses were incurred before August 13, 2012.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.


Lynn Rife

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of August, 2012.


Notary Public



DAVID FREEMAN AXELROD, Attorney At Law
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Has No Expiration Date
Section 147.03 R.C.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing Complainant Lynn Rife's Itemized Affidavit of Attorney Expenses Through August 13, 2012, has been served, this 22nd day of August, 2012, by regular United States Mail, on the following:

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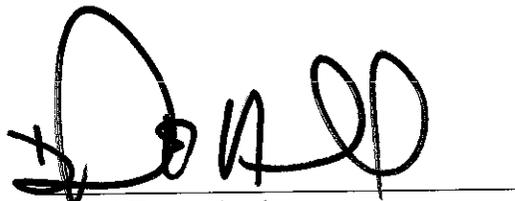
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Additionally, true and accurate copies of the foregoing have also been served this 22nd day of August, 2012, by facsimile on Respondent at 740.297.7782, and by email on Mr.

Asbury at a.asbury@sc.ohio.gov.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Axelrod', is written over a horizontal line.

David F. Axelrod

EXHIBIT A

August 22, 2012
Invoice 284
30 Days

Remittance Copy
(Please return with your payment)

Ms. Lynn Rife
5897 Dublin Road
Delaware, Ohio 43015

Re: *In Re: Judicial Campaign Complaint Against Jeanette Moll*
Axelrod Todd & Laliberte LLP Invoice Through August 13, 2012

Fees for Professional Services	\$20,990.00
Reimbursable Expenses	<u>\$151.51</u>
Total Fees and Expenses	\$21,141.51

TOTAL DUE THIS INVOICE	\$21,141.51
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Axelrod Todd & Laliberte LLP

INVOICE

137 East State Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Invoice # 284
Date: 08/22/2012
Due On: 09/22/2012

Ms Lynn Rife

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OEC Complaint

Type	Date	Description	Quantity	Rate	Total
Service	04/19/2012	DFA - Preparation of OEC complaint. Research in connection with same.	3.00	\$400.00	\$1,200.00
Service	04/20/2012	DFA - Investigation of OEC jurisdiction over judicial races. Telephone conference with OEC Staff Attorney Phil Richter regarding same.	1.20	\$400.00	\$480.00
Service	05/17/2012	DFA - Initial preparation of Grievance.	1.50	\$400.00	\$600.00
Service	05/21/2012	DFA - Conference with Ms. Rife. Revision of Grievance. Investigation of whether Ms. Rife has a duty of non-disclosure.	1.50	\$400.00	\$600.00
Service	05/22/2012	DFA - Further inquiry regarding duty of confidentiality. Email correspondence with Ms. Rife regarding same. Telephone conference regarding same.	0.60	\$400.00	\$240.00
Service	06/12/2012	DFA - Telephone conference with Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline regarding status and appearance of counsel. Preparation of appearance before the Board.	0.30	\$400.00	\$120.00
Service	06/19/2012	DFA - Telephone conference with Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline regarding certification of grievance. Telephone conference with Ms. Rife regarding same. File review in connection with same. Conference with associate regarding research assignments.	0.70	\$400.00	\$280.00
Service	06/22/2012	DFA - Review and consideration of Board complaint. Commence research and other hearing preparation.	1.00	\$400.00	\$400.00
Service	06/27/2012	DFA - Telephone conference with Richard Dove regarding Commission procedures. Telephone conference with panel chair and Mark Weaver. Email correspondence with Mr. Weaver regarding stipulations. Research regarding information and exhibits to be used at the hearing.	3.00	\$400.00	\$1,200.00

Service	06/27/2012	BC - Located, reviewed and submitted state and local laws, regulations and general orders concerning the authority of magistrates.	1.70	\$50.00	\$85.00
Service	06/28/2012	MWK - Issue subpoenas and obtain materials in preparation for board of commissioner's hearing on July 6th.	2.00	\$125.00	\$250.00
Service	06/28/2012	DFA - Continued preparation for hearing. Email correspondence with Mr. Weaver regarding stipulations and related matters.	2.00	\$400.00	\$800.00
Service	06/28/2012	BC - Researched general orders. Contacted the Guernsey County Clerk of Court to investigate general orders and matters concerning a public records request. Drafted and revised public records request.	2.90	\$50.00	\$145.00
Service	06/29/2012	DFA - Further investigation of procedural issues. Investigation of recent distribution of offending material. Telephone conference with Mr. Weaver regarding stipulations.	0.70	\$400.00	\$280.00
Service	06/29/2012	BC - Telephone call to Guernsey County Clerk of Court regarding availability and content of docket sheets. Finalized public records request.	0.50	\$50.00	\$25.00
Service	07/02/2012	MWK - Prepare for Board of Commissioners panel hearing.	4.00	\$125.00	\$500.00
Service	07/02/2012	DFA - Telephone conference with Ms. Rife regarding testimony, additional potential witnesses, and research regarding defense witnesses.	0.70	\$400.00	\$280.00
Service	07/05/2012	MWK - Assist Mr. Axelrod in preparing for panel hearing.	5.00	\$125.00	\$625.00
Service	07/05/2012	DFA - Hearing preparation.	10.00	\$400.00	\$4,000.00
Service	07/06/2012	DFA - Preparation for and participation in grievance hearing.	8.00	\$400.00	\$3,200.00
Service	07/20/2012	DFA - Review and consideration of panel announcement. Email correspondence concerning procedures. Telephone conference with potential new witness, Jamie Haidit.	0.50	\$400.00	\$200.00
Service	07/27/2012	MWK - Assist Mr. Axelrod with filing issue before Ohio Supreme Court.	1.90	\$125.00	\$237.50
Service	07/27/2012	DFA - Preparing and filing notice of intent to file objections. Research regarding Supreme Court rules for same.	1.70	\$400.00	\$680.00
Service	08/01/2012	MWK - File motion for enlargement of time with Clerk of Supreme Court.	1.30	\$125.00	\$162.50
Service	08/03/2012	DFA - Telephone conferences with Ms. Reulbach. Review and consideration of order granting extension,	1.00	\$400.00	\$400.00

and circulating same. Review and consideration of draft motion to supplement the record.

Service	08/09/2012	DFA - Response to sanctions motion. Commence preparation of response to objections.	3.50	\$400.00	\$1,400.00
Service	08/10/2012	DFA - Preparing and filing Supreme Court pleadings.	6.50	\$400.00	\$2,600.00
Expense	08/22/2012	07/12/12 - Profile Imaging - Duplication of Judicial Candidates Seminar Booklet.	1.00	\$63.51	\$63.51
Expense	08/22/2012	08/10/12 - Photocopies of Multiple Filings for the Ohio Supreme Court.	1.00	\$88.00	\$88.00
				Total	\$21,141.51

Detailed Statement of Account

Current Invoice

Invoice Number	Due On	Amount Due	Payments Received	Balance Due	
284	09/22/2012	\$21,141.51	\$0.00	\$21,141.51	
				Outstanding Balance	\$21,141.51
				Total Amount Outstanding	\$21,141.51

Please make all amounts payable to: Axelrod Todd & Laliberte LLP