

**IN**

**THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO**

Disciplinary Counsel, :

Relator, :

v. : **CASE NO. 2013-0611**

Thomas Jones, :

Respondent. :

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**Relator's Request for an Extension of Time UNTIL MAY 30, 2013,  
to File an Answer Brief to Respondent's Objections to the Final Report of the Board of  
Commissioners on the Unauthorized Practice of Law**

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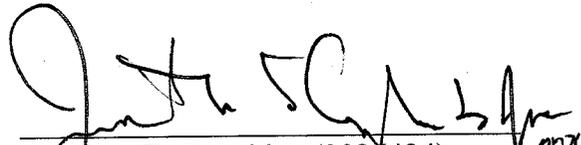
Pursuant to S.Ct. Prac. R. 3.03(B)(2)(b), relator, Disciplinary Counsel, requests a five-day extension of time until May 30, 2013, to file his answer to the Objection Brief filed on May 10, 2013, by respondent, Thomas Jones, to the Final Report of the Board of Commissioners on the Unauthorized Practice of Law.

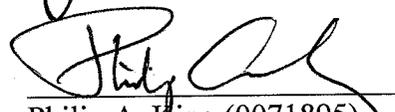
Despite the fact that respondent filed his Objection Brief on May 10, 2013, relator did not receive his service copy from respondent until May 15, 2013. *See* “Received” stamped copy attached as Exhibit A. Pursuant to this Court’s order, relator must file his answer brief within 15 days from the filing of respondent’s Objection Brief. However, relator has lost five days of this response time due to the delay in service. Therefore, relator needs five additional days to provide a proper response to respondent’s Objection Brief. Relator has not previously obtained an extension of time.

**CONCLUSION**

For the foregoing reason, relator respectfully requests that the Court grant him a five-day extension of time until May 30, 2013, to file his answer to respondent's Objection Brief in the instant case.

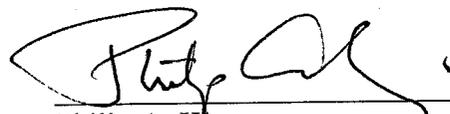
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that an accurate copy of *Relator's Request for an Extension of Time* was served via U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, upon respondent Mr. Thomas Jones at 2982 E. 59th Street, Cleveland, OH 44127 on May ~~23~~<sup>24</sup> 2013.

  
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Counsel of Record for Relator

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THOMAS JONES JR.

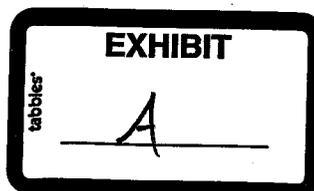
OBJECTION TO FINAL REPORT AND  
REQUEST FOR REHEARING AND RENEWED  
MOTION TO DISMISS (ORAL HEARING  
DEMANDED)

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Supreme Court of Ohio

I PROLOG

It is obvious that the board has throughout this matter sought to continue its attack against Disbarred Ohio attorney Michael Troy Watson. Nowhere within the final report does it identify any unauthorized actions by me the respondent Thomas Jones Jr. In some nation of all of the prohibited behavior it is alleged that for deeds printed from the Internet in a formed document that contained my name as a cold Grantee represented the unauthorized practice of law. How could anyone know that printing a formed document from the Internet represented the unauthorized practice of law. It didn't but the allegations against me are clearly because I was in a business partnership with Disbarred Ohio Attorney Michael Troy Watson. There is nothing illegal or unauthorized about purchasing vacant, vandalized and abandoned properties for the quote NOMINAL SUM unquote of \$100. The board and the most discourteous Phillip Klang has distorted the purchase of these vacant, vandalized and abandoned properties as some sort of scheme this is no scheme it is merely a purchase of abandoned properties for more than they are worth. The Internet does not contain any warning that the preparation of a deed transferring the ownership of these vacant, vandalized and abandoned properties by me to transfer the properties to me was any violation of any rule or law anywhere. The Supreme Court has not announced in any form that the fill-in the blank forms are unlawful when used by a layperson to transfer property to myself. This was not my fault and this entire practice has already been litigated on Disbarred Ohio Attorney Michael Troy Watson. This prosecution by Philip Klein was dispensable just unnecessary and was carried out in the most discourteous and unpleasant manner. WHY????



## II RENEWED MOTION TO THIS DISMISS

Now comes me the Respondent Thomas Jones Jr. and Moves this Honorable Court for an Order Dismissing this Complainant in the interest of justice and for the reason that the Ohio Supreme Court has Already ruled on the issues presented in this Complaint in the cases presented in the case of Disciplinary Counsel v. Watson case no.2005- 0398.

I am not Michael Troy Watson. I am not a lawyer but I am being persecuted by the Disciplinary Counsel because they tormented and hounded Mr. Watson as (he says was a Personal vendetta against him).

I have known him for many years and I know that these same issues were pursued against him unsuccessfully so they want to relitigate them against me. They should not be Allowed to do this they are wrong.

- 1). "...employed the following scheme..." The Supreme Court found no scheme.
- 2). ..."Defendant and/or Watson prepared a Quit Claim Deed" The forms used were only Internet prepared documents requiring fill in the blanks only.
- 3)..."Documents filed as Successors in Interests" The Ohio Supreme Court found no problem with this allegation.
- 4)..." purchased for \$ 100.00 a fraction of its value" Not only is this untrue this amount is common for vacant and vandalized property in Cleveland.
- 5) The same applies to all statements in this Complaint prepared in April 2011 and only Recently pursued once they were finished attacking Mr. Watson who at the time was Recovering in a nursing home after suffering congestive heart failure, kidney failure, and Amputation of most of his right foot. Disciplinary Counsel decided to take an aggressively nasty

Deposition IN THE NURSING HOME WITH A NURSE STANDING BY. I WAS PRESENT AND HIS UNPARRALLED BEHAVIOR ALMOST KILLED MR. WATSON MUCH TO HIS OBVIOUS DELIGHT!!! The nursing home personnel could not believe this obnoxious behavior was occurring in the Nursing Home to a very sick man. I didn't believe what I was seeing.

All of these issues were presented against Mr. Watson and the Ohio Supreme Court found that the "fill in the blanks" internet Deeds could no longer be used by Watson.

*Disciplinary Counsel v. Michael Troy Watson, Case no. 2005-0398*

*In addition to the oral argument cases listed above, the Court has ordered two attorneys to appear on Sept. 7 and show cause why further sanctions should not be imposed against them for failing to comply with earlier disciplinary orders of the Court.*

In Case No. 2005-0398, former Cleveland attorney Michael Troy Watson has been ordered to appear and show cause why he should not be required to serve a suspended 90-day jail sentence and pay the suspended portion of a \$10,000 civil penalty that were imposed against him in 2007 for continuing to practice law after he was disbarred by the Court in December 2005. The show-cause order was issued pursuant to a motion filed by the Office of Disciplinary Counsel asserting that Watson has violated the conditions under which his jail sentence and \$9,500 of his \$10,000 fine were suspended by continuing to engage in the practice of law after 2007.

### **2005-0398.Disciplinary Counsel v. Watson.**

On December 7, 2005, this court permanently disbarred respondent, Michael Troy Watson. On April 3, 2006, relator, Disciplinary Counsel, filed a motion for an Order to appear and show cause, requesting the court to issue an order directing Respondent to appear and show cause why he should not be found in contempt for continuing to practice law in violation of the court's December 7, 2005 order. On May 11, 2006, this court granted that motion and ordered respondent to file a written response on or before May 31, 2006. Respondent did not file a response. The court then ordered respondent to appear before the court on August 8, 2006. Respondent appeared as ordered.

On August 21, 2006, the court issued an order remanding this case to the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline to appoint a master Commissioner to hear the matter. On April 19, 2007, the board filed findings of fact with the court. Upon consideration thereof,

The court finds that respondent engaged in the practice of law after he was disbarred on December 7, 2005. The court further finds respondent in contempt of the court's order for engaging in this unauthorized practice of law after he was disbarred. It is ordered by the court that respondent is sentenced to 90 days in jail, with the jail time suspended on the condition that respondent commits no further contempt of the December 7, 2005, order of disbarment.

It is further ordered that respondent is fined \$10,000, with \$9,500 of that fine suspended on condition that respondent commit no further acts constituting the unauthorized practice of law. Respondent is ordered to pay the remaining \$500 of the fine by certified check or money order to the Clerk of this court on or before thirty days from the date of this order. If respondent fails to pay said fine on or

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before thirty days from the date of this order, the matter will be referred to the Office of the Attorney General for collection.

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On May 4, 2011, relator filed a motion for an order to appear and show

cause, asking the court to once again hold respondent in contempt for failing to comply with the court's December 7, 2005, and May 10, 2007 orders; requesting that the respondent be ordered to serve the stayed 90 day jail sentence; and requesting that respondent be ordered to pay the entire \$10,000 fine. Respondent was ordered to appear before the court on September 7, 2011, which he did. Upon consideration thereof, it is ordered by this court that respondent is found to be in contempt of this court and has engaged in the unauthorized practice of law. It is further ordered that respondent shall not engage in the practice of law in Ohio, which includes, but is not limited to, the preparation and signing of pleadings, deeds, motions, and any other documents on behalf of another. It is further ordered that if respondent fails to comply with this order and all other orders issued by the court in this case, the court may take further action against him..

This must be dismissed because the court has already ruled on its content and too much time has passed since the occurrences and since April 2011 for the service of the complaint.

A house for \$5000? That's what Katherine Chilcott paid for this fixer-upper. More than 100 local homes sold for only one dollar last year. Just don't expect these properties to be in move in condition.

**Author:** Shaheen Samavati Plain Dealer Reporter

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**How low can real estate prices go? In some cases, a buck.**

**Banks and mortgage companies that repossess homes are selling off the vacant, often neglected properties at unprecedented prices across Northeast Ohio.**

**The cheapest are in Cleveland and East Cleveland, where at least 1400 homes were snapped up for \$1000 or less in 2008-hundred 133 for only a dollar, according to county records. In some cases, banks will even pay investors to take properties off their hands.**

### III REQUESTS FOR REHEARING

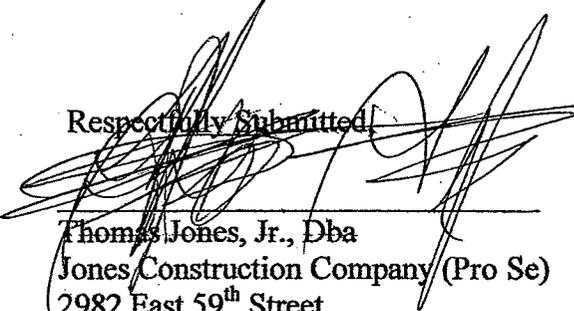
I was present during one of the most shameful exhibition that I could possibly have imagined. Phillip Kling came to a nursing home where disbarred attorney Michael Troy Watson was on his critical sick bed suffering from heart failure, kidney failure and amputation of most of his right foot. His behavior was abysmal to say the least. It was done in a manner that was disrespectful to any person let alone that the deponent, Mr. Watson was in a severe and life-threatening condition. While I was present, I could not help but be distraught at the life-threatening behavior of Philip Kling to disbarred attorney Michael Troy Watson. This was shameful abuses, wrong and evil hearted. In spite of witnessing this shameful behavior I was ready willing and able to be subjected to this abusive behavior by Philip Kling in his deposition of myself. I

received a notice of deposition and I contacted Philip Kleing and asked that the deposition be reset because I am an over the road trucker and he agreed but never rescheduled the deposition at any of the times that I suggested. Knowing this disingenuous behavior was not a refusal to be deposed but was a failure of Philip Kleing to reschedule the deposition. When he knows his document was false and that he was lying through his teeth. Most of the notices were sent, if at all, by certified mail that was unclaimed solely because I am over the road trucker. I live alone and there was no one else at my house to receive the certified mail. It is only Philip Kleing on cooperate intent that prohibited this deposition from occurring. I called Philip Kleing he could have simply call me to reschedule the deposition or scheduled the deposition by written notice at any of the dates that I suggested. He knows he is being unfair insincere and disingenuous.

All of this file behavior is simply to pursue my preparing formed documents by filling in the blanks and transferring for \$100 properties to myself. This is ridiculous it is reasonable and in the interest of justice that this matter received full hearing by an order of this Honorable Supreme Court of Ohio demanding that this case be remanded for a hearing before the board **IN CLEVELAND OHIO AND NOT COLUMBUS OHIO.**

**WHEREFORE,** I Thomas Jones Jr respectively demands that this Honorable Supreme Court of Ohio sustained my objection to the final report and order that this matter be returned for full hearing before the panel or in the alternative for a dismissal of this charge with prejudice at plaintiff cost and all other relief to which I am entitled in law, justice, equity and/or in my best interest.

Respectfully Submitted!

  
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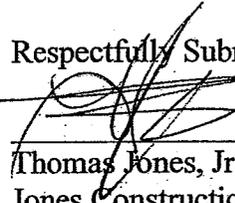
This is to certify that a copy of the foregoing was served by certified mail upon the following this day of April, 2013:

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Eugene Whetzel, Ohio State Bar Association, 1700 Lake Shore Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43216;

Heather Zirke ,Esq., Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association UPL Committee, 1301 E. Ninth Street ,Second Level, Cleveland, Ohio 44114.

Respectfully Submitted,



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