

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

Disciplinary Counsel,
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Relator,

vs.

Bradley M. Kraemer,
4841A Rialto Road
West Chester, Ohio 45069

Respondent.

CASE NO. 2009-2336

**RELATOR'S REPORT REGARDING
RESPONDENT'S COMPLIANCE
WITH PROBATION**

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INTRODUCTION

By order filed July 21, 2010, this Court suspended respondent, Bradley M. Kraemer, from the practice of law for a period of two years, with one year stayed on the conditions that respondent continue to participate in mental-health counseling and that he complete a two-year term of probation monitored by relator in accordance with former Gov. Bar R. V(9)¹, following his return to the practice of law. The Court further ordered that one year of the interim suspension imposed upon respondent in *In re Bradley M. Kraemer*, Case No. 2008-1078,

¹ As a result of amendments to the Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio that became effective on January 1, 2015, the rules relating to probation are now set forth in Gov. Bar R. V(21). However, in light of the fact that respondent's probation in this proceeding was imposed under the former Rules, relator refers to those former rules in its report in this matter.

pursuant to Gov. Bar R. V(5) be credited against the one year of actual suspension imposed in the above-referenced matter. As a result, respondent was immediately eligible to seek reinstatement to the practice of law, contingent upon his compliance with the conditions for reinstatement specified by this Court in its July 21, 2010 order.

Thereafter, by order filed September 2, 2010, this Court reinstated respondent to the practice of law and placed him on probation for a period of two years. The Court further provided in its order that, at the end of the probationary period, respondent could apply for the termination of his probation. However, the Court stated that respondent's probation would not be terminated unless and until (1) respondent has filed an application for termination of probation in compliance with former Gov. Bar R. V(9)(D); (2) he has complied with the Court's September 2, 2010 order and with all other orders issued by the Court; (3) he has complied with the Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio; (4) relator has filed with the clerk of this Court a report indicating that respondent has complied with the terms of the probation; and (5) this Court orders that the probation be terminated.

Now comes relator, Disciplinary Counsel, and submits the following report regarding respondent's compliance with the terms of his probation.

RELATOR'S REPORT

Pursuant to this Court's September 2, 2010 order, relator supervised respondent's two-year probation. Under former Gov. Bar R. V(9), relator appointed Mervyn Auer Wolf, Esq. to monitor respondent's progress, including his continued participation in mental-health counseling, and to submit written reports regarding respondent's progress to relator.

Each of periodic reports submitted by Probation Monitor Wolf reflected that respondent was performing well on probation and that he was in full compliance with the terms of his probation. At no time during respondent's two-year probation did relator receive a report, either from Mr. Wolf or from any other source, demonstrating or alleging that respondent had violated the terms of his probation. Moreover, in his final probation report, Probation Monitor Wolf reported that respondent had fulfilled his contract with the Ohio Legal Assistance Program ("OLAP). Relator has independently confirmed with OLAP that respondent completed his OLAP contract and that he was in full compliance with its terms.

Finally, relator's review of the periodic reports submitted by Probation Monitor Wolf indicates that Mr. Wolf was in substantial compliance with his monitoring duties under former Gov. Bar R. V(9)(B).

Based upon the forgoing, relator concludes that respondent has fully complied with the terms of his probation.

Therefore, upon the submission of this Report, relator respectfully submits that this Court may now consider respondent's application to terminate his probation.

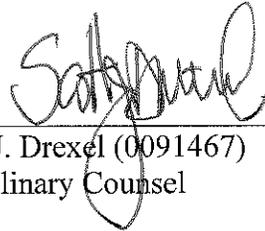
Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

A copy of the foregoing Relator's Report Regarding Respondent's Compliance with Probation has been served upon Bradley M. Kraemer, Esq., Caparella-Kraemer & Associates, LLC, 4841A Rialto Road, West Chester, Ohio 45069, via first-class mail and e-mail (bradley@caparellakraemer.com); and upon Richard A. Dove, Director, Board of Professional Conduct of The Supreme Court of Ohio, 65 S. Front Street, 5th Floor, Columbus, Ohio, 43215, by hand delivery, this 10th day of February 2015.



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