

Supreme Court of Florida

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2022

CASE NO.: SC20-844

Lower Tribunal No(s).:

2019-70,685(11C)

THE FLORIDA BAR

vs. GREGORY SALDAMANDO

Complainant(s)

Respondent(s)

Upon consideration of the report of referee, motion to assess costs, and briefs filed in this case, the Court hereby disapproves the report of referee in part and finds that the respondent violated Rules Regulating the Florida Bar 4-1.2 and 4-1.7 in addition to Rule Regulating the Florida Bar 4-1.4. The Court also disapproves the referee's recommendation as to discipline, and instead imposes a ninety-one day suspension from the practice of law, effective thirty days from the date of this order so that respondent can close out his practice and protect the interests of existing clients. If respondent notifies this Court in writing that he is no longer practicing and does not need the thirty days to protect existing clients, this Court will enter an order making the suspension effective immediately. Respondent shall fully comply with Rule Regulating the Florida Bar 3-5.1(h). Respondent shall also fully comply with Rule Regulating the Florida Bar 3-6.1, if applicable. In addition, respondent shall accept no new business from the date this order is filed until he is reinstated. Respondent is further directed to comply with all other terms and conditions of the report.

Judgment is entered for The Florida Bar, 651 East Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2300, for recovery of costs from Gregory Saldamando in the amount of \$8,168.90, for which sum let execution issue.

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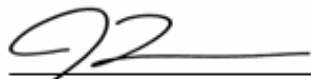
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Not final until time expires to file motion for rehearing, and if filed, determined. The filing of a motion for rehearing shall not alter the effective date of this suspension.

CANADY, C.J., and POLSTON, LABARGA, LAWSON, MUÑIZ, COURIEL, and GROSSHANS, JJ., concur.

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