

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

THE FLORIDA BAR,

Supreme Court Case
No.

IN RE:
THE PETITION FOR
DISCIPLINARY REVOCATION OF
MICHAEL JAY MEADORS

The Florida Bar File
No. 2022-00,345(8A)NDR

Petitioner.

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**PETITION FOR DISCIPLINARY REVOCATION WITHOUT
LEAVE TO APPLY FOR READMISSION**

COMES NOW Petitioner, Michael Jay Meadors, and submits this
Petition for Disciplinary Revocation Without Leave to Apply for
Readmission pursuant to Rule Regulating Fla. Bar 3-7.12 and states:

1. Petitioner knowingly and voluntarily submits this petition without leave to reapply for readmission with full knowledge of its effect.
2. Petitioner is 69 years old and has been a member of The Florida Bar since October 23, 2003, and is subject to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Florida and the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar.
3. Petitioner has no prior discipline history.
4. The following disciplinary charges are currently pending against the Petitioner:

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A. Petitioner acknowledges that on July 26, 2021, he was arrested and later charged by criminal information with 1 count of child sexual battery (Count I, Capital Felony), and 21 counts of promoting and possessing a sexual performance by a child (Counts II-X, First Degree Felonies, and XI-XXII, Second Degree Felonies).

B. Petitioner further acknowledges that these allegations are pending.

C. By reason of the foregoing, if convicted, Petitioner faces violations of the following Rules Regulating The Florida Bar: 3-4.4 Criminal Misconduct and 4-8.4(b) commit a criminal act that reflects adversely on the lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer in other respects.

5. Petitioner contends that granting this Petition will not adversely affect the public interest, the integrity of the courts, or the confidence of the public in the legal profession. Further, Petitioner contends that granting this Petition will not hinder the administration of justice.

6. Petitioner agrees to reimburse the Client Security Fund (CSF) for any and all funds CSF has paid or may pay out for claims resulting from Petitioner's misconduct.

7. Petitioner agrees to reimburse The Florida Bar for the costs incurred in his disciplinary cases.

8. Petitioner agrees to submit to a complete audit of any trust account(s) and any other account(s) in which Petitioner has placed client funds, if requested to do so by The Florida Bar.

9. Petitioner further agrees to submit a sworn financial affidavit to The Florida Bar attesting to Petitioner's current personal and professional financial circumstances on a form to be provided by The Florida Bar within thirty (30) days, if requested.

10. Petitioner further agrees to maintain a current mailing address with The Florida Bar for a period of five (5) years after the disciplinary revocation becomes final. Further, Petitioner shall keep the bar advised as to the physical address of Petitioner's home and/or business in the event Petitioner should utilize a post office box or other type of mail drop service during the five (5) year period after the disciplinary revocation becomes final.

11. Petitioner agrees to eliminate all indicia of petitioner's status as an attorney on email, social media, telephone listings, stationery, checks, business cards office signs or any other indicia of petitioner's status as an attorney, whatsoever.

12. Petitioner understands that the granting of this petition by the Supreme Court of Florida shall serve to dismiss all pending disciplinary cases.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that this Court grant this Petition and order that Petitioner's membership in The Florida Bar be revoked without leave to seek readmission.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that this document has been E-filed with The Honorable John A. Tomasino, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Florida, with a copies provided via email to Joshua E. Doyle, Executive Director, The Florida Bar, at jdoyle@floridabar.org; to Michael Jay Meadors, Petitioner, at his alternate address of c/o Shoemaker Law, 200 Malaga Street, Suite 1, St. Augustine, FL 32084; and to Patricia Ann Toro Savitz, Staff Counsel, at psavitz@floridabar.org, on this 22nd day of February, 2022.



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