

JAN 30 2020

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Shirley A. Johnson-Legal
Clerk

In Re:
RENA M. HYMANS

RESIGNATION

#29244

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

COUNTY OF MEADE

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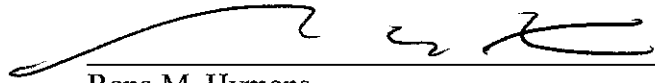
I, Rena M. Hymans, being duly sworn on oath, depose and say that my business address is [REDACTED] that my residence address [REDACTED] [REDACTED] South Dakota, [REDACTED] and that I hereby tender my resignation from membership in the State Bar of South Dakota and request and consent to my removal from the roster of those admitted to practice before the courts of this state and from membership in the State Bar.

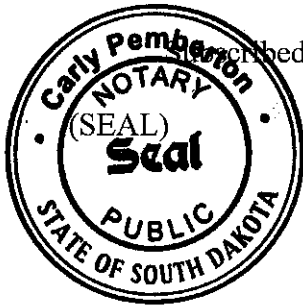
I am aware that there is pending against me a formal complaint concerning alleged misconduct and/or that complaints, allegations or instances of alleged misconduct by me are under investigation by the State Bar Disciplinary Board and that such complaints, allegations and/or instances include: alleged misconduct in violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct, Rule 1.15, Rule 8.4 and SDCL 16-18-20. A copy of the complaint under investigation by the Disciplinary Board is attached and incorporated herein.

I do not desire to contest or defend against the above-described complaint, allegations or instances of alleged misconduct. I am aware of the rules of the Supreme Court and of the bylaws and rules of procedure of the State Bar of South Dakota with respect to admission, discipline, resignation and reinstatement of members of the State Bar, including SDCL § 16-19-80. I


understand that I shall not be permitted to practice law or act as a legal assistant within the State of South Dakota except as provided by §§ 16-18-34.4 to 16-18-34.7, inclusive. I understand that any future application by me for reinstatement will be treated as an application by one who has been disbarred for misconduct, and that, on such application, I shall not be entitled to a reconsideration or reexamination of the facts, complaints, allegations or instances of alleged misconduct upon which this resignation is predicated. I am aware that the Supreme Court may impose judgment for costs pursuant to SDCL § 16-19-70.1.

Dated at Sturgis, South Dakota, this 22nd day of January, 2020.


Rena M. Hymans



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of January, 2020.


Notary Public
My Commission Expires: May 16, 2022

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In the Matter of
The Discipline of
RENA M. HYMANS,
as an Attorney at Law.

JUDGMENT OF DISBARMENT

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The Disciplinary Board of the State Bar having filed with the Court a resignation executed by respondent Rena M. Hymans, consenting to disbarment pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 16-19-65, now, therefore, in compliance with the provisions of SDCL 16-19-66, it is

ORDERED that Rena M. Hymans be and he is hereby disbarred from practicing as an attorney and counselor at law in all of the courts of this state, and the license to practice law heretofore granted by this Court to said attorney is hereby canceled and revoked and the Clerk of the Court is authorized and directed to strike the name of Rena M. Hymans from the roll of licensed attorneys and counselors at law on file in the office of the Clerk.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that respondent shall comply with the provisions of SDCL 16-19-77 through 16-19-81 and that noncompliance shall constitute contempt. SDCL 16-19-82.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to SDCL 16-19-77, the disbarment of respondent shall become effective as of the date of this judgment.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota, this 24th day of February, 2020.

BY THE COURT:

ATTEST:

David Gilbertson
David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

[Signature]
Clerk of the Supreme Court
(SEAL)

PARTICIPATING: Chief Justice David Gilbertson, Justices Janine M. Kern, Steven R. Jensen, Mark E. Salter and Patricia J. DeVaney.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINE OF

RENA M. HYMANS

AS AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

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PROOF OF COSTS

Comes now the State Bar of South Dakota, pursuant to SDCL 16-19-70.2 and 16-19-70.3(a) and on behalf of the Disciplinary Board and the State Bar of South Dakota, the undersigned does hereby state and affirm that the costs in the above referenced matter are as follows:

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| Board counsel - preparation, research, travel/attendance time | |
| Preparation, Research, etc. | \$5,000.00 |
| Postage/Shipping | \$40.97 |
| TOTAL | \$5,040.97 |

The undersigned does hereby swear and affirm that the foregoing costs were actually expended by the State Bar of South Dakota in the above referenced matter and that such costs are allowable pursuant to the aforementioned rules.

Dated this 26th day of February, 2020.

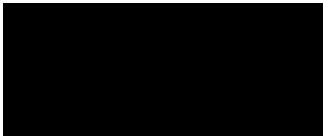
Robert B. Frieberg
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Counsel and Board Secretary

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that he mailed a true and correct copy of the foregoing
Proof of Cost first class mail to the following:



and



postage prepaid thereon by depositing same in the U.S. Mail, all on this 26th day of February,
2020.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Robert B. Frieberg", written over a horizontal line.

Robert B. Frieberg
Counsel and Board Secretary
Disciplinary Board
The State Bar of South Dakota

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Clerk

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RENA M. HYMANS,
as an Attorney at Law.

ORDER FOR COSTS

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A judgment of disbarment having been entered by this Court on February 24, 2020, in the above entitled matter and on February 26, 2020, proof of costs in the amount of \$5,040.97 were served and filed by the Disciplinary Board of the State Bar of South Dakota pursuant to SDCL 16-19-70.2 and 16-19-70.3 and the Court having thoroughly considered said proof of costs, now, therefore, it is

ORDERED that Rena M. Hymans shall on or before March 30, 2020, pay to the State Bar of South Dakota \$5,040.97 as reimbursement of its itemized costs and expenses allowed under SDCL 16-19-70.2, proof of said payment to be filed with the Clerk of this Court on or before April 29, 2020.

DATED at Pierre, South Dakota this 27th day of February, 2020.

BY THE COURT:

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Clerk of the Supreme Court
(SEAL)

[Signature]
David Gilbertson, Chief Justice

PARTICIPATING: Chief Justice David Gilbertson and Justices Janine M. Kern, Steven R. Jensen, Mark E. Salter and Patricia J. DeVaney.