2025PR00050

BEFORE THE HEARING BOARD OF THE ILLINOIS ATTORNEY REGISRATION AND DISCIPLINARY COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)
David Michael Dolendi)
Attorney-Respondent,) Comm. No. 2025PR00050
No. 6277384)
)

ANSWER TO COMPLAINT

NOW COMES Attorney-Respondent, David Dolendi ("Respondent"), and hereby sets forth its Answer and Response to the Administrator's Complaint. In support of thereof, states as follows:

COUNT I

- 1. Admitted.
- 2. Denied.
- 3. Admit that officers pulled over the vehicle. Admit that officers conducted a search of the vehicle but only upon full and voluntary consent of the Respondent. Deny officers observed a white powdery substance from outside the vehicle. Admit that upon the Respondent's consent to search the vehicle certain contraband was found in a closed backpack in the rear of the vehicle.
 - 4. Admitted.
 - 5. Admitted.
 - 6. Admitted.

7. Admitted.

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9. Admitted.

10. Admitted.

11. Denied that between July 15, 2024 and December 7, 2024, Respondent did not contact

Commission probation officer. Admit remaining statements in paragraph 11.

12. Admitted.

13. Admit to speaking to Commission probation officer on January 24, 2025. Deny ever being

informed that drug testing facility agreed to provide testing at a reduced fee.

14. Respondent has insufficient information at this time to either admit or deny the allegations

in paragraph 14.

15. Admitted.

16. Denied.

17. Admitted.

18. Denied.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 26, 2025

By: s/David M. Dolendi
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The undersigned certifies that on September 26, 2025, a copy of the foregoing Answer was served on all counsel of record via e-mail to:

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