

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF HAMILTON D.
MOORE.

No. 48036

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ORDER OF DISBARMENT BY CONSENT

The Southern Nevada Disciplinary Board has filed, under SCR 112, a petition for attorney Hamilton D. Moore's disbarment by consent. The petition is supported by Moore's affidavit, stating that he freely and voluntarily consents to disbarment, after having had the opportunity to consult with counsel. Moore acknowledges in the affidavit that he misappropriated over \$300,000 in client and third-party lienholder funds in violation of Nevada Rule of Professional Conduct (NRPC) 1.15, that he failed to communicate with and made misrepresentations to these clients concerning their funds, in violation of NRPC 1.4 and NRPC 8.4(c), and that he could not successfully defend against a disciplinary complaint.

SCR 112 provides that an attorney who is the subject of a proceeding involving allegations of misconduct may consent to disbarment by delivering an affidavit to the appropriate disciplinary board, which must file it with this court. Moore's affidavit meets the requirements of SCR 112(1), and we conclude that the petition should be granted.

Accordingly, Moore is disbarred. The provisions of SCR 115 and SCR 121.1 governing notice and publication of orders of disbarment shall apply to this order.

It is so ORDERED.

Rose, C.J.
Rose

Becker, J.
Becker

Maupin, J.
Maupin

Gibbons, J.
Gibbons

Douglas, J.
Douglas

Hardesty, J.
Hardesty

Parraguirre, J.
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