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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At a Regular Term of the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 27th day of June 2005, the following order was made and entered:

Lawyer Disciplinary Board, Complainant

vs.) No. 31613

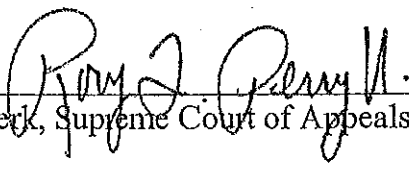
Kevin A. Wade, a member of The West Virginia
State Bar

The Court, having maturely considered the record, the written recommended disposition filed by the Hearing Panel Subcommittee of the Lawyer Disciplinary Board, and the brief of counsel thereon, doth hereby annul the license to practice law in the State of West Virginia of the respondent, Kevin A. Wade, for violating Rules 1.3; 1.4(a); 1.8(h); 1.15(b) and 8.1(b) of the Rules of Professional Conduct. In order to reinstate his license to practice law in the State of West Virginia, the respondent shall petition for reinstatement pursuant to Rule 3.32 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure. As a mandatory condition for reinstatement, the respondent must: (1) establish by medical evidence that he is mentally and emotionally fit to engage in the practice of law prior to any reinstatement proceedings; and (2) to refund complainant McGuire in the amount of Three Hundred Ninety-Five dollars (\$395.00). The Court, in agreement with the Hearing Panel Subcommittee, recommends that the respondent work with the Family Court of McDowell County to insure that any and all third parties are identified and paid in full. Finally, it is hereby ordered that the respondent reimburse the Lawyer Disciplinary Board for the costs and expenses involved in this matter in the amount of Seven Hundred Forty-Five dollars and Seventy Cents (\$745.70).

The syllabus of points adjudicated, prefixed to the written opinion aforesaid, prepared
Per Curiam, was concurred in by Chief Justice Albright and Justices Davis, Starcher, Maynard
and Benjamin.

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Clerk, Supreme Court of Appeals