

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At a Regular Term of the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 14th of October, 2015, the following order was made and entered:

IN RE: PETITION FOR VOLUNTARY RESIGNATION FROM THE WEST
 VIRGINIA STATE BAR OF HEATHER M. HUGHES

No. 15-0880

ORDER

On September 11, 2015, came the petitioner, Heather M. Hughes, pursuant to Rule 3.26(a) of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, and presented to the Court her petition seeking to voluntarily resign as a member of The West Virginia State Bar and to have her name stricken from the rolls thereof. Thereafter, on October 1, 2015, came the Investigative Panel of the Lawyer Disciplinary Board, by Robert J. Aliff, its chairperson, pursuant to Rule 3.26(c) of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, and presented to the Court its written recommendation thereto. A copy of the recommendation was provided to Madeleine Nibert, Bar Admissions Administrator.

There having been heard neither consent nor objection from either the Office of Disciplinary Counsel, the Board of Law Examiners, or the petitioner, pursuant to Rule 3.26(d) of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, the Court is of the opinion to and does hereby grant the petition to voluntarily resign from The West Virginia State Bar.

It is therefore ordered that the petitioner, Heather M. Hughes, has leave to voluntarily resign from The West Virginia State Bar and her name shall be stricken from the rolls thereof. A copy of this order is being provided to the Board of Law Examiners. It is finally ordered that the petitioner shall comply with the client notification requirements of Rule 3.28 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure if applicable.

Service of an attested copy of this order shall constitute sufficient notice of the contents herein.

A True Copy

Attest: //s// Rory L. Perry II
Clerk of Court

