

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At the Supreme Court of Appeals, continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2021, the following order was made and entered **in vacation**:

Lawyer Disciplinary Board,  
Petitioner

vs.) No. 20-0252

Joshua C. Cain,  
Respondent

**MANDATE**

Pursuant to Rule 26 of the Rules of Appellate Procedure, the opinion previously issued in the above-captioned case is now final and is hereby certified to the Lawyer Disciplinary Board (I.D. No. 18-03-527) and to the respondent, Joshua C. Cain. By its opinion, the Court ordered the following: (1) The respondent is suspended from the practice of law for a period of one hundred eighty days and respondent must petition for reinstatement to the practice of law in accordance with the provisions of Rule 3.32 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure; (2) respondent must comply with the provisions of Rule 3.28 of the Rules Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, which sets out his duties as a suspended lawyer; (3) respondent shall reimburse the Office of Disciplinary Counsel for the costs of these proceedings in the amount of \$225.15 pursuant to Rule 3.15 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure; (4) respondent shall remain compliant with the monitoring agreement he entered with West Virginia Judicial and Lawyer Assistance Program on December 2, 2020; (5) prior to filing a petition for reinstatement, respondent shall complete six hours of continuing legal education in the area of law practice management; and, (6) if respondent

should be reinstated, he shall be placed on two years of supervised practice by an active attorney in his geographic area who is in good standing. The Clerk is directed to remove this action from the docket of this Court.

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Attest: /s/ Edythe Nash Gaiser  
Clerk of Court

