

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At a Regular Term of the Supreme Court of Appeals, continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on April 15, 2021, the following order was made and entered:

Office of Disciplinary Counsel,  
Petitioner

OFFICE OF DISCIPLINARY COUNSEL

vs.) No. 21-0145

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William M. Lester, Jr., a suspended member of  
The West Virginia State Bar,  
Respondent

CHAIRMAN

**ORDER**

On February 25, 2021, the Office of Disciplinary Counsel, by Rachael L. Fletcher Cipoletti, Chief Lawyer Disciplinary Counsel, in accordance with Rule 3.25 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, filed a petition for annulment of law license requesting that the Court accept the annulment of the license to practice law in the State of West Virginia of the respondent, William M. Lester, Jr., and the formal affidavit, under seal, of the respondent consenting to voluntary disbarment.

Upon consideration, the Court does grant the petition. It is ordered that the license to practice law in the State of West Virginia of the respondent, William B. Lester, Jr., is annulled by voluntary consent under Rule 3.25 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure. Justice Armstead did not participate in the consideration or decision of this matter.

Service of an attested copy of this order constitutes sufficient notice of the contents.

A True Copy

Attest: /s/ Edythe Nash Gaiser  
Clerk of Court

