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At a Regular Term of the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 24th of February, 2011 the following order was made and entered:

Lawyer Disciplinary Board, Petitioner

vs.) No. 35502

Rodney S. Justice, a member of The West Virginia State Bar,
Respondent

On a former day, to-wit, January 11, 2011, came the Hearing Panel Subcommittee of the Lawyer Disciplinary Board, by John R. Lukens, its chairperson, pursuant to Rule 3.20(e) of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, and presented to the Court its written recommended disposition in this reciprocal disciplinary action, recommending the same sanction as the State of Kentucky imposed for the ethical misconduct that: (1) the respondent be suspended from the practice of law for thirty days; and further (2) that respondent not be reinstated in West Virginia until he is reinstated in Kentucky.

Upon consideration whereof, the Court is of opinion to and doth hereby adopt the written recommended disposition of the Hearing Panel Subcommittee of the Lawyer Disciplinary Board. It is therefore ordered that the same sanction imposed by the State of Kentucky will be imposed for the ethical misconduct, hereto: (1) the respondent's license to practice law in the State of West Virginia be, and it hereby is, suspended for a period of thirty days; and further, (2) the respondent shall not be reinstated to the practice of law in West Virginia until he provides proof of his reinstatement and current good standing to practice in the State of Kentucky.

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

A True Copy

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

