

**SUPREME COURT MINUTES  
MONDAY, MARCH 22, 2021  
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

**S267041****SINGH (DAVID LOUIS) ON  
H.C.**

The petition for writ of habeas corpus is denied.

This denial is without prejudice to petitioner filing in the Fresno County Superior Court a petition for writ of habeas corpus challenging his current conditions of confinement in light of the COVID-19 pandemic.

If such a petition is filed, the superior court is hereby reminded that, as set forth in prior orders of this court, it is to engage all available procedural tools to ensure the timely and fair resolution of the issues that may be presented. (See *Marshall v. Superior Court*, S263043, Supreme Ct. Mins., July 15, 2020, p. 908; *National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers v. Newsom*, S261827, Supreme Ct. Mins., May 4, 2020, pp. 592-593.)

**S267727**

D076917 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1

**PEOPLE v. RODRIGUEZ  
(JUAN ROMERO)**

Time for ordering review extended on the court's own motion

The time for ordering review on the court's own motion is hereby extended to June 16, 2021. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.512(c).)

**S267742**

A158637 First Appellate District, Div. 3

**PEOPLE v. CARR (MARC)**

Time for ordering review extended on the court's own motion

The time for ordering review on the court's own motion is hereby extended to May 19, 2021. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.512(c).)

**S208209****PEOPLE v. BURRIS  
(NATHAN)**

Order filed

The order filed on March 19, 2021, extending the time to file appellant's reply brief is hereby amended to read as follows:

Based upon Supervising Deputy State Public Defender Elias Batchelder's representation that the appellant's reply brief is anticipated to be filed by May 21, 2021, an extension of time in which to serve and file that brief is granted to May 21, 2021. After that date, no further extension is contemplated.

An application to file an overlength brief must be served and filed no later than 60 days before the anticipated filing date. (See Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.631(d)(1)(A)(ii) & (B)(ii).).

**S267727**      D076917 Fourth Appellate District, Div. 1      **PEOPLE v. RODRIGUEZ  
(JUAN ROMERO)**

Order filed

The application of the District Attorney of San Bernardino County for permission to file an oversized depublication request filed on March 19, 2021, is hereby granted.

**S266682**      **ABDULLAH ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that MACE ABDULLAH (Respondent), State Bar Number 146027, is suspended from the practice of law in California for three years, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and Respondent is placed on probation for three years subject to the following conditions:

1. Respondent is suspended from the practice of law for the first year of probation;
2. Respondent must also comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 24, 2020; and
3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if Respondent has complied with all conditions of probation, the period of stayed suspension will be satisfied, and that suspension will be terminated.

Respondent must provide to the State Bar's Office of Probation proof of taking and passing the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination as recommended by the Hearing Department in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 24, 2020. Failure to do so may result in suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Respondent must also comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order. Failure to do so may result in disbarment or suspension.

Respondent must also maintain the records of compliance as required by the conditions of probation.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S266684****AVILES ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed: disbarred

The court orders that MOISES ALCIDES AVILES (Respondent), State Bar Number 226569, is disbarred from the practice of law in California and that Respondent's name is stricken from the roll of attorneys.

Respondent must comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S266687****BUDKA ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed: disbarred

The court orders that GRACE CHARLOTTE BUDKA (Respondent), State Bar Number 244102, is disbarred from the practice of law in California and that Respondent's name is stricken from the roll of attorneys.

Respondent must make restitution to Cesar Valdez, or such other recipient as may be designated by the Office of Probation or the State Bar Court, in the amount of \$175,478.33 plus 10 percent interest per year from December 1, 2018, (or reimburse the Client Security Fund, to the extent of any payment from the Fund to such payee, in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6140.5). Reimbursement to the Fund is enforceable as a money judgment and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

Respondent must also comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S266688****COGHLAN ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that STEPHEN JOHN COGHLAN (Respondent), State Bar Number 203376, is suspended from the practice of law in California for two years, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and Respondent is placed on probation for two years subject to the following conditions:

1. Respondent is suspended from the practice of law for the first 60 days of probation;

2. Respondent must comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on September 23, 2020; and
3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if Respondent has complied with all conditions of probation, the period of stayed suspension will be satisfied, and that suspension will be terminated.

Respondent must provide to the State Bar's Office of Probation proof of taking and passing the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination as recommended by the Hearing Department in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on September 23, 2020. Failure to do so may result in suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

**S266689****CORNELIUS ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed: disbarred

The court orders that BYRON GRANT CORNELIUS (Respondent), State Bar Number 108248, is disbarred from the practice of law in California and that Respondent's name is stricken from the roll of attorneys.

Respondent must comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S266690****HOWINGTON ON  
DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that JOSEPH WALLACE HOWINGTON (Respondent), State Bar Number 87429, is suspended from the practice of law in California for three years, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and Respondent is placed on probation for three years subject to the following conditions:

1. Respondent is suspended from the practice of law for a minimum of the first two years of probation, and Respondent will remain suspended until the following requirements are satisfied:
  - i. Respondent makes restitution to Kandice Attridge, or such other recipient as may be designated by the Office of Probation or the State Bar Court, in the amount of \$46,154.42 plus 10 percent interest per year from June 29, 2018 (or reimburses the

Client Security Fund, to the extent of any payment from the Fund to such payee, in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6140.5) and furnishes satisfactory proof to the State Bar's Office of Probation in Los Angeles.

Reimbursement to the Fund is enforceable as a money judgment and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law; and

- ii. Respondent provides proof to the State Bar Court of rehabilitation, fitness to practice and present learning and ability in the general law. (Rules Proc. of State Bar, tit. IV, Stds. for Atty. Sanctions for Prof. Misconduct, std. 1.2(c)(1).)
2. Respondent must also comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 19, 2020.
3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if Respondent has complied with all conditions of probation, the period of stayed suspension will be satisfied, and that suspension will be terminated.

Respondent must provide to the State Bar's Office of Probation proof of taking and passing the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination as recommended by the Hearing Department in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 19, 2020. Failure to do so may result in suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Respondent must also comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order. Failure to do so may result in disbarment or suspension.

Respondent must also maintain the records of compliance as required by the conditions of probation.

Respondent must pay monetary sanctions to the State Bar of California Client Security Fund in the amount of \$1,875 in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.13 and rule 5.137 of the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar. Monetary sanctions are enforceable as a money judgment and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law. One-half of the costs must be paid with Respondent's annual fees for each of the years 2022 and 2023. If Respondent fails to pay any installment as described above, or as may be modified in writing by the State Bar or the State Bar Court, the remaining balance is due and payable immediately.

## **S266691**

## **PALIK ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed: disbarred

The court orders that ANTHONY JAMES PALIK (Respondent), State Bar Number 190971, is disbarred from the practice of law in California and that Respondent's name is stricken from the roll of attorneys.

Respondent must comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the

effective date of this order.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S267141****ORCHON ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that EDWARD STEPHEN ORCHON (Respondent), State Bar Number 67039, is suspended from the practice of law in California for one year, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and Respondent is placed on probation for one year subject to the following conditions:

1. Respondent is suspended from the practice of law for the first 30 days of probation;
2. Respondent must comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Review Department of the State Bar Court in its Opinion filed on December 11, 2020; and
3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if Respondent has complied with all conditions of probation, the period of stayed suspension will be satisfied, and that suspension will be terminated.

Respondent must provide to the State Bar's Office of Probation proof of taking and passing the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination as recommended by the Review Department in its Opinion filed on December 11, 2020. Failure to do so may result in suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S267142****HARRIS ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that WENDY MARIE HARRIS (Respondent), State Bar Number 170632, is suspended from the practice of law in California for one year, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and Respondent is placed on probation for one year subject to the following conditions:

1. Respondent is suspended from the practice of law for the first 30 days of probation;
2. Respondent must comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on December 3, 2020; and
3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if Respondent has complied with all conditions of probation, the period of stayed suspension will be satisfied, and that suspension will be terminated.

Respondent must provide to the State Bar's Office of Probation proof of taking and passing the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination as recommended by the Hearing Department in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on December 3, 2020. Failure to do so may result in suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment, and may be collected by the State Bar through any means permitted by law.

**S267144****LUBARSKY ON DISCIPLINE**

Recommended discipline imposed

The court orders that ALEXANDER H. LUBARSKY (Respondent), State Bar Number 182691, is suspended from the practice of law in California for two years, execution of that period of suspension is stayed, and Respondent is placed on probation for two years subject to the following conditions:

1. Respondent is suspended from the practice of law for the first 90 days of probation;
2. Respondent must comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 2, 2020; and
3. At the expiration of the period of probation, if Respondent has complied with all conditions of probation, the period of stayed suspension will be satisfied, and that suspension will be terminated.

Respondent must provide to the State Bar's Office of Probation proof of taking and passing the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination as recommended by the Hearing Department in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on November 2, 2020. Failure to do so may result in suspension. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.10(b).)

Respondent must also comply with California Rules of Court, rule 9.20, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order. Failure to do so may result in disbarment or suspension.

Respondent must also maintain the records of compliance as required by the conditions of probation.

Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

**S266677****ALEMANSOUR ON  
RESIGNATION**

Resignation declined

This court, having considered the request, declines to accept the voluntary resignation with charges pending of SOUSAN ALEMANSOUR (Attorney), State Bar Number 180216, as an attorney of the State Bar of California. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.21(d).) Attorney remains on inactive status. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.21(a).) Attorney may move the State Bar Court to be restored to active status, at which time the Office of Chief Trial Counsel may demonstrate any basis for Attorney's continued ineligibility to practice law. The State Bar Court will expedite the resolution of any request by Attorney to be restored to active status. Any return to active status will be conditioned on Attorney's payment of any fees, penalty payments, and restitution owed by Attorney. The underlying disciplinary matter should proceed promptly.

**S267143****FREIDBERG ON  
RSIGNATION**

Resignation declined

This court, having considered the request, declines to accept the voluntary resignation with charges pending of EDWARD P. FREIDBERG (Attorney), State Bar Number 31279, as an attorney of the State Bar of California. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.21(d).) Attorney remains on inactive status. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 9.21(a).) Attorney may move the State Bar Court to be restored to active status, at which time the Office of Chief Trial Counsel may demonstrate any basis for Attorney's continued ineligibility to practice law. The State Bar Court will expedite the resolution of any request by Attorney to be restored to active status. Any return to active status will be conditioned on Attorney's payment of any fees, penalty payments, and restitution owed by Attorney. The underlying disciplinary matter should proceed promptly.

**S267581****DAUNT ON RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of JACQUELINE ANN DAUNT, State Bar Number 84790, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267582****FLEISCHMAN ON  
RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of MARC E. FLEISCHMAN, State Bar Number 123073, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267584****HEALY ON RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of MARY ANN HEALY, State Bar Number 97614, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267585****LANGLOTZ ON  
RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of ANGELA VALBERG LANGLOTZ, State Bar Number 231886, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267587****PFEIFFER ON  
RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of CLARENCE RICHARD PFEIFFER, State Bar Number 54318, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267605****POYNER ON RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of JOHN RICHARD POYNER, State Bar Number 87540, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267609****ROBINSON, JR., ON  
RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of OLIVER ULMONT ROBINSON, JR., State Bar Number 37662, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267610****TOWNE ON RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of ROBERT EDWIN TOWNE, State Bar Number 137665, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267611**

**WOLFF ON RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of JOAN WOLFF, State Bar Number 54836, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**S267612**

**ZAENTZ ON RESIGNATION**

Voluntary resignation accepted

The court orders that the voluntary resignation of PAUL FRED ZAENTZ, State Bar Number 78680, as an attorney of the State Bar of California is accepted.

**BAR MISC. 4186    IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE COMMITTEE  
OF BAR EXAMINERS OF THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA  
FOR ADMISSION OF ATTORNEYS (MOTION NO. 1510)**

The written motion of the Committee of Bar Examiners that the following named applicants, who have fulfilled the requirements for admission to practice law in the State of California, be admitted to the practice of law in this state is hereby granted, with permission to the applicants to take the oath before a competent officer at another time and place:  
(SEE ORIGINAL APPLICATION FOR THE LIST OF NAMES ATTACHED.)