IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

THE FLORIDA BAR,

Supreme Court Case

No.

IN RE:

The Florida Bar File

THE PETITION FOR DISCIPLINARY REVOCATION OF

No. 2020-50,076(15F-FDR)

BRIAN JAY GLICK

Petitioner.

PETITION FOR DISCIPLINARY REVOCATION WITH LEAVE TO APPLY FOR READMISSION

COMES NOW Petitioner, Brian Jay Glick, and submits this Petition for Disciplinary Revocation pursuant to Rule Regulating Fla. Bar 3-7.12 and states:

- 1. Petitioner knowingly and voluntarily submits this petition with full knowledge of its effect.
- 2. Petitioner is 63 years old and has been a member of The Florida Bar since October 29,1981 and is subject to the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Florida and the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar.
 - 3. Petitioner has the following discipline history:
 - a. Petitioner is currently under Emergency Suspension in Case No. SC19-1014 by Order dated July 2, 2019, for the charges set forth in Paragraph 4. A. below.

- Petitioner is currently under suspension pursuant to a finding of contempt by Order dated May 31, 2019 in Case No. SC19-331.
- c. Petitioner received a 10-day suspension by Florida Supreme Court Order dated May 8, 1997, in Case No. 87,463, for lack of diligence and failure to communicate with clients regarding a personal injury matter.
- 4. The following disciplinary charges are currently pending against the Petitioner:

A. In The Florida Bar File No. 2019-50,320(15F), Petitioner misappropriated settlement funds held in trust; used unrelated funds to satisfy a trust fund liability; made misrepresentations to The Florida Bar in response to the Bar's investigation; and failed to produce and maintain required trust accounting documents and other required records. These allegations became the subject of a Petition for Emergency Suspension filed by The Florida Bar on June 19, 2019.

In response to the pending disciplinary charges, Petitioner alleges that the misuse of trust funds was based upon his negligence caused by: the physical move of his office with resultant difficulty in locating records; the loss of support staff who managed his trust accounts for him; and his

unfamiliarity with the required accounting procedures and records for trust accounts.

- B. In The Florida Bar File No. 2019-50,782(15F), The Florida Bar received, on May 14, 2019, an overdraft notice from the bank where Petitioner held his trust account. This matter is pending.
- 5. In mitigation of his actions, Petitioner asserts the following:
 - a. 9.32(a) Physical disability or impairment: Petitioner has a neurological disability resulting from lumbar and cervical surgery performed in 2013.
 - b. 9.32(c): Petitioner has had difficulty locating client and trust account records since mid-2018 after moving his office and downsizing his support staff.
 - c. 9.32(g): Character and reputation. Petitioner submits that he has had an outstanding 36-year career as a trial lawyer in Florida; has been board certified since 1993; a member of the most honored invitation only trial lawyer associations; and admired by peers and clients.
- 6. Petitioner contends that granting this Petition will not adversely affect the public interest, the integrity of the courts, or the confidence of the public in the legal profession. Further, Petitioner contends that granting this Petition will not hinder the administration of justice.

- 7. Petitioner agrees to reimburse the Client Security Fund (CSF) for any and all payments imposed as a result of his defalcations.
- 8. Petitioner agrees to reimburse The Florida Bar for the costs incurred in his disciplinary cases:

Administrative Fee in SC19-1014 [Rule 3-7.6(q)(1)(I)]: \$ 1,250.00 Investigative Costs [Rule 3-7.6 (q)(1)(A)]: \$ 455.75 Audit Costs [Rules 3-7.6(q)(1)(A) and 5-1.2(h)]: \$ 6,954.77 Court Reporter Fees [Rule 3-7.6(q)(1)(B)]: \$ 3,142.50 TFB Travel Costs [Rule3-7.6(q)(1)(H)]: 82.83

TOTAL COSTS: \$ 11,885.85

- 9. Petitioner agrees to submit to a complete audit of any trust account(s) and any other account(s) in which Petitioner has placed client funds, if requested to do so by The Florida Bar.
- 10. Petitioner further agrees to submit a sworn financial affidavit to The Florida Bar attesting to Petitioner's current personal and professional financial circumstances on a form to be provided by The Florida Bar within thirty (30) days, if requested.
- 11. Petitioner further agrees to maintain a current mailing address with

 The Florida Bar for a period of five (5) years after the disciplinary revocation

 becomes final. Further, Petitioner shall keep the bar advised as to the physical

 address of Petitioner's home and/or business in the event Petitioner should utilize a

post office box or other type of mail drop service during the five (5) year period after the disciplinary revocation becomes final.

- 12. Petitioner agrees to eliminate all indicia of petitioner's status as an attorney on social media, telephone listings, stationery, checks, business cards office signs or any other indicia of his status as an attorney, whatsoever. Petitioner will no longer hold himself out as a licensed attorney.
- 13. Petitioner understands that the granting of this petition by the Supreme Court of Florida shall serve to dismiss all pending disciplinary cases.
- 14. Petitioner respectfully requests that the revocation be granted with leave for him to apply for readmission in five years. Petitioner understands that should this petition be granted, his admission to The Florida Bar shall be revoked for a minimum of five (5) years. No Application for readmission may be tendered until the later of five (5) years after the Court's order granting the petition, or such other period of time in excess of five (5) years as may be contained in said order. Any application for readmission shall proceed under the Rules of the Supreme Court Relating to Admission to the Bar.

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WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that this Court grant this Petition and order that Petitioner's membership in The Florida Bar be revoked with leave to seek readmission.

Dated this ____ day of ____

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Jay Glick, Petitioner

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that this Petition for Disciplinary Revocation With Leave to Apply for Readmission has been E-filed with The Honorable John A. Tomasino, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Florida using the E-filing portal, with a copy provided via email using the E-filing portal to Joshua E. Doyle, Executive Director, The Florida Bar, at jdoyle@floridabar.org; to Brian Jay Glick, Petitioner, via email using the Efiling portal at bigpleadings@floridainjuryattorneys.com and lawboca@aol.com; and to Allison Carden Sackett, Interim Staff Counsel, The Florida Bar, via email using the E-filing portal at asackett@flroidabar.org, on this /2 day of August, 2019.

Michael David Soifer, Bar Counsel