

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA
(Before a Referee)

THE FLORIDA BAR,

Complainant,

v.

SCOTT CHARLES MADDOX,

Respondent.

Supreme Court Case

No. SC19-1373

The Florida Bar File

No. 2020-00,070(2A) NFC

DISBARMENT ON CONSENT

Scott Charles Maddox, Respondent, having been fully advised of his procedural rights under the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar, hereby tenders this Disbarment on Consent pursuant to Rule 3-7.9(e), Rules of Discipline, and says:

1. Respondent is and was at all times material herein a member of The Florida Bar and subject to the jurisdiction and disciplinary rules of the Supreme Court of Florida.

2. Respondent is currently the subject of the above referenced Florida Bar disciplinary matter which have been assigned The Florida Bar File No. 2020-00,070(2A).

3. The pending disciplinary case alleges that pursuant to Rule 3-7.2(f), respondent is guilty of committing a felony.

4. On or about December 5, 2018, respondent was indicted on 44 Criminal Counts pursuant to an FBI Corruption Investigation.

5. Pursuant to Rule 3-7.1(a)(2) Determination of Guilt: For purposes of these rules, “determination of guilt” includes those cases in which the trial court in the criminal proceeding enters an order withholding adjudication of the respondent’s guilt of the offenses charged, those cases in which the convicted lawyer has entered a plea of guilty of criminal charges, those cases in which the lawyer has entered a no contest plea to criminal charges, those cases in which the jury has rendered a verdict of guilty of criminal charges, and those cases in which the trial judge in a bench trial has rendered a verdict of guilty charges.

6. On August 6, 2019, respondent pled guilty to three (3) Felonies to wit: Count Twenty (Honest Services Wire Fraud), Twenty-Three (Honest Services Mail Fraud) and Count Forty-One (Conspiracy to Defraud the United States Government).

7. Respondent admits that the foregoing convictions constitute a violation of the following Rules Regulating The Florida Bar. See Rule 4-8.4(b).

8. Pursuant to Rule 3-7.9(e) of the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar, respondent hereby tenders a Disbarment on Consent.

9. Respondent agrees to pay all costs reasonably incurred by The Florida Bar in the investigation of the aforesaid matter within thirty (30) days of the entry

of the Supreme Court's final order, plus interest at the prevailing statutory rate to accrue on all costs not paid within said time, unless time for payment is extended by the Board of Governors.

10. Respondent agrees that the costs indicated below have been incurred.

Investigative Costs	\$14.00
Court Reporters' Fees	\$170.00
Administrative Costs	\$1250.00

TOTAL	\$1,434.00
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11. Respondent agrees that he will not attempt to discharge the obligation for the payment of the Bar's costs in any future proceedings, including but not limited to, a Petition for Bankruptcy.

12. Respondent agrees to reimburse the Client Security Fund (CSF) for any and all funds CSF has paid or may pay out for claims resulting from Respondent's misconduct.

13. Respondent agrees to eliminate all indicia of respondent's status as an attorney on social media, telephone listings, stationery, checks, business cards office signs or any other indicia of respondent's status as an attorney, whatsoever. Respondent will no longer hold himself out as a licensed attorney.

14. Should this Disbarment on Consent not be approved by the Board of Governors of The Florida Bar and the Supreme Court of Florida, it and all the statements herein are void and of no effect whatsoever.

15. Respondent agrees to submit to a complete audit of his trust account(s) and any account in which he has placed client funds, when and if requested to do so by The Florida Bar.

16. Respondent further agrees to submit his sworn financial affidavit to The Florida Bar on a form to be provided by the Bar within thirty (30) days of the signing of the instant Disbarment on Consent.

17. Respondent further agrees to keep The Florida Bar informed of his current mailing and physical address for two (2) years subsequent to the date of any resulting order in this cause.

18. Respondent agrees that upon signing this consent judgment, he will immediately cease transacting any client funds, begin to close out his practice and protect his existing clients and will not accept any new clients. He shall cease practicing law within thirty (30) days of the date of executing this document.


19. Respondent is represented by counsel in these proceedings and tenders this document freely and voluntarily.

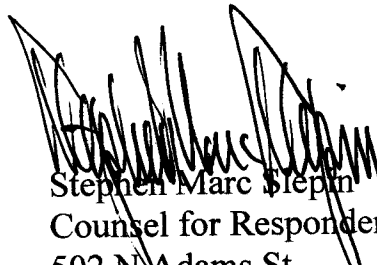
Dated this 14th day of ~~September~~^{October}, 2019.

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AFFIDAVIT

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, appeared SCOTT CHARLES MADDOX, who, under oath, attests as follows:

1. I have read and understood the DISBARMENT ON CONSENT in Supreme Court Case No.SC19-1373, The Florida Bar File N. 2020-00,070(2A) NFC, and I agree with and accept the allegations of said DISBARMENT ON CONSENT.
2. My Florida Bar Number is 65498.

Further, Affiant sayeth not.



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