

The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

IN RE: RICHARD C. DALTON

No. 2023-B-00772

IN RE: Office of Disciplinary Counsel - Applicant Other; Richard Collins Dalton -
Applicant Other; Joint Petition for Consent Discipline;

June 26, 2023

Joint petition for consent discipline accepted. See per curiam.

WJC

JLW

JDH

SJC

JTG

JBM

PDG

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Chief Deputy Clerk of Court
For the Court

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ATTORNEY DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDING

PER CURIAM

The Office of Disciplinary Counsel (“ODC”) commenced an investigation into allegations that respondent settled his clients’ legal matter without their knowledge or consent. Following the filing of formal charges, respondent and the ODC submitted a joint petition for consent discipline wherein respondent admitted to violating Rules 1.2(a), 1.8(k), and 8.4(a) of the Rules of Professional Conduct. Having reviewed the petition,

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition for Consent Discipline be accepted and that Richard C. Dalton, Louisiana Bar Roll number 23017, be publicly reprimanded. It is further ordered that respondent shall attend the next-scheduled session of the Louisiana State Bar Association’s Ethics School.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all costs and expenses in the matter are assessed against respondent in accordance with Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 10.1, with legal interest to commence thirty days from the date of finality of this court’s judgment until paid.