The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

IN RE:	PETER	A. RYAN
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No. 2023-B-01687

IN RE: Office of Disciplinary Counsel - Applicant Other; Peter A. Ryan - Applicant Other; Joint Petition for Consent Discipline;

February 27, 2024

Joint petition for consent discipline accepted. See per curiam.

JLW

JDH

SJC

JTG

PDG

Crain, J., dissents and would reject the proposed discipline as too lenient. McCallum, J., dissents and would reject the proposed discipline as too lenient.

Supreme Court of Louisiana

February 27, 2024

Chief Deputy Clerk of Court

For the Court

02/27/24

SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

NO. 2023-B-1687

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ATTORNEY DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDING

PER CURIAM

The Office of Disciplinary Counsel ("ODC") commenced an investigation

into allegations that respondent neglected legal matters, failed to communicate with

clients, and failed to properly terminate representations. Following the filing of

formal charges, respondent and the ODC submitted a joint petition for consent

discipline. Having reviewed the petition,

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition for Consent Discipline be accepted and that

Peter A. Ryan, Louisiana Bar Roll number 32670, be suspended from the practice

of law for one year and one day. All but six months of this suspension shall be

deferred, followed by a one-year period of unsupervised probation.

probationary period shall commence from the date respondent and the ODC execute

a formal probation plan. Any misconduct during the active period of suspension or

the probationary period, or any failure of respondent to comply with the conditions

of probation, may be grounds for making the deferred portion of the suspension

executory, or imposing additional discipline, as appropriate.

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.