BEFORE THE BOARD OF DISCIPLINARY APPEALS APPOINTED BY THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

IN THE MATTER OF §
ROBIN JEFFREY GORDON, § CAUSE NO. 59478
STATE BAR CARD NO. 08206200 §

AGREED JUDGMENT OF PUBLIC REPRIMAND

On this day, the above-styled and numbered reciprocal disciplinary action was called for hearing before the Board of Disciplinary Appeals. Petitioner appeared by attorney and Respondent appeared in person as indicated by their respective signatures below and announced that they agree to the findings of fact, conclusions of law and orders set forth below. The Board of Disciplinary Appeals, having reviewed the file and in consideration of the agreement of the parties, is of the opinion that Petitioner is entitled to entry of the following findings and orders:

Findings of Fact. The Board of Disciplinary Appeals finds that:

- (!) Respondent, Robin Jeffrey Gordon, whose State Bar Card number is 08206200, is an attorney licensed by the Supreme Court of Texas, but not currently authorized to practice law in the State of Texas;
- (2) On or about April 4, 2017, a Public Censure was entered in the Disciplinary District V of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee in a matter styled, *In Re: Robin Jeffrey Gordon*, #14618, Respondent, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee (Davidson County), File NO. 40240c-5-ES, that states in pertinent part as follows:
 - ...Mr. Gordon is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations...
- (3) The Public Censure established that Respondent's law firm was hired to represent a client in modifying a parenting plan in April 2013. An associate attorney at Respondent's firm handled the matter, and the parties signed an agreed modified parenting plan on August 2, 2014. The associate attorney filed a proposed agreed order entering the signed agreed parenting plan, but

then left employment of the firm in September 2014. In mid-November 2014, a legal assistant discovered that there was a problem with the proposed agreed order and notified Mr. Gordon. On December 18, 2014, Mr. Gordon re-filed the proposed agreed order, but failed to file the child support worksheet. On January 28, 2015, Respondent filed a child support worksheet, but did not send it to the judge's chambers. The court ultimately signed the agreed order on April 23, 2015.

Mr. Gordon's failure to ensure that the proposed agreed order was timely signed by the Judge, after he became aware of the problem in November 2014, is in violation of Rule 1.3 (diligence) and 3.2 (expediting litigation).

- (4) Respondent, Robin Jeffrey Gordon, is the same person as the Robin Jeffrey Gordon, who is the subject of the Public Censure entered by the Disciplinary District V of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee; and
- (5) The Public Censure entered by the Disciplinary District V of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee is final.

Conclusions of Law. Based upon the foregoing findings of facts the Board of Disciplinary

Appeals makes the following conclusions of law:

- (1) This Board has jurisdiction to hear and determine this matter. Rule 7.08(H), Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure;
- (2) Reciprocal discipline identical to that imposed by the Disciplinary District V of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee is warranted in this case.

It is, accordingly, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Respondent, Robin Jeffrey Gordon, State Bar Card No. 08206200, is hereby PUBLICLY REPRIMANDED as an attorney at law in the State of Texas.

Signed this 21 day of Mauch 2018

CHAIRMAN PRESIDING

BOARD OF DISCIPLINARY APPEALS

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Amanda M. Kates State Bar No. 24075987 Attorney for Petitioner

Robin Jeffrey Gordon State Bay No. 08206200 Respondent