

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

IN THE MATTER OF § § § MANFRED MAX STERNBERG,

STATE BAR CARD NO. 24125421

## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE ON PETITION FOR RECIPROCAL DISCIPLINE AND HEARING NOTICE

**CAUSE NO. 69413** 

Pursuant to Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure ("TRDP") Part IX, the Commission for Lawyer Discipline, Petitioner, filed its Petition for Reciprocal Discipline against Manfred Max Sternberg, Respondent, on May 10, 2024. The Petition states that on January 17, 2024, an Order Per Curium was entered by the Supreme Court of Louisiana in a matter styled, In Re: Manfred Max Sternberg, No. 2023-B-1345, in which the Court accepted a petition for consent discipline. Respondent was enjoined from seeking full admission to the Louisiana bar or seeking admission to practice in Louisiana on any temporary or limited basis for a period of one year. Respondent agreed that he violated Rule 5.5 of the Louisiana Rules of Professional Conduct. A true and correct copy of the Petition for Reciprocal Discipline, which includes the Order Per Curium, is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes as if set forth in full.

It is, therefore, **ORDERED** that Respondent Manfred Max Sternberg shall, within thirty (30) days from the date of service, show cause why the imposition of identical discipline, to the extent practicable, in Texas by the Board of Disciplinary Appeals pursuant to Texas Rule of Disciplinary Procedure 9.02, would be unwarranted. If Respondent is served by mail, Respondent shall show cause within thirty (30) days from the date of mailing of this Order to Show Cause. Respondent should consult Part IX of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure regarding the

failure to file an answer. Failure to file a timely answer may waive Respondent's right to raise the defenses set forth in Texas Rule of Disciplinary Procedure 9.04 and limit the scope of the hearing to exclude presentation of any such defenses. *See* TEX. RULES DISCIPLINARY P. R. 9.01–04; BODA INTERNAL PROCEDURAL RULES R. 7.03.

It is further **ORDERED** that this reciprocal discipline matter is set for hearing before the Board on Friday, July 26, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in the courtroom of the Supreme Court of Texas, Austin, Texas.

SIGNED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024.

**CHAIR PRESIDING**