STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

At a Regular Term of the Supreme Court of Appeals continued and held at Charleston, Kanawha County, on the 5th of April, 2007, the following order was made and entered:

Lawyer Disciplinary Board, Petitioner

vs.) No. 33330

Lafe P. Ward, Jr., a suspended member of The West Virginia State Bar, Respondent

On a former day, to-wit, March 9, 2007, came the Lawyer Disciplinary Board, by Rachael L. Fletcher Cipoletti, its attorney, pursuant to Rule 3.25 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, and presented to the Court its petition seeking the annulment of the license to practice law in the State of West Virginia of the respondent, Lafe P. Ward, Jr., and the formal affidavit of the respondent consenting to voluntary disbarment.

Upon consideration whereof, the Court doth hereby grant the aforesaid petition. It is therefore ordered that, pursuant to Rule 3.25 of the Rules of Lawyer Disciplinary Procedure, the license to practice law in the State of West Virginia of the respondent, Lafe P. Ward, Jr., be, and it hereby is, annulled by voluntary consent.

A True Copy

Attest:

Clerk, Supreme Court of Appeals