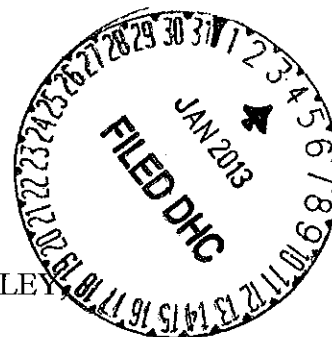


BEFORE THE  
NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR



In Re: THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR v. MICHAEL F. EASLEY

13 BSR 1, 10 DHC 43

PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

MICHAEL F. EASLEY, the petitioner, by and through his undersigned counsel, hereby petitions the North Carolina State Bar for reinstatement of his license to practice law in the state of North Carolina. In support of this petition, the petitioner shows the following:

On January 12, 2012, the petitioner, Michael Easley entered into a consent order of discipline with the North Carolina State Bar in which he was suspended from the practice of law for a period of two (2) years. The Order of Discipline provided that Easley shall receive credit toward satisfaction of the two year suspension for the time during which his law license has been subject to interim suspension. The Interim Suspension Order was entered on December 8, 2010 and served on the Petitioner on December 9, 2010.

The petitioner is eligible to have his license reinstated and has fulfilled the requirements of 27 Admin. Code Chapter 1 Subchapter B Section .0125(B) of the Rules and Regulations of the North Carolina State Bar. In support of this petition, the petitioner shows the following:

(a). He complied with all provisions of 27 NCAC 1B  .0124 of the North Carolina State Bar Discipline & Disability Rules.

(b). He paid the costs and administrative fees of this proceeding as assessed by the Secretary as required by the Order of Discipline.

(c) He has not engaged in the practice of law during the period of his suspension.

(d) He has not violated any provision of the North Carolina State Bar Discipline & Disability Rules or the Revised Rules of Professional Conduct during the period of the suspension

(e) He has not violated the laws of the United States or of any state during the period of suspension.

(f) He has paid any and all applicable membership fees and Client Security Fund assessments and complied with all Continuing Legal Education (CLE) requirements as a condition of his reinstatement.

WHEREFORE, Michael F. Easley, by and through his undersigned counsel, petitions the North Carolina State Bar to reinstate his license to practice law in the state of North Carolina.

THIS the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2013.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Alan M. Schneider", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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VERIFICATION

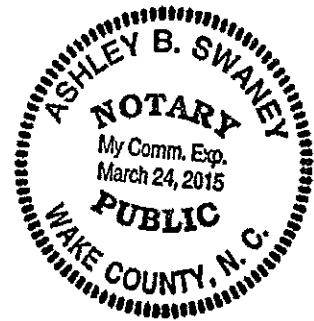
Michael F. Easley, first being duly sworn, deposes and says that I am the Petitioner in the matter of the North Carolina State Bar v. Michael F. Easley, 10DHC43, 12 BSR 6; that I have read the Petition for Reinstatement and know the contents thereof, that the same are true of my own knowledge except as to those matters and things stated therein upon information and belief, and as to those, I believe them to be true.

Michael F. Easley

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2012.

Ashley B. Swaney  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
Ashley B. Swaney

My Commission Expires: March 24, 2015



**Certificate of Service**

This is to certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing PETITION has been duly served on counsel for the North Carolina State Bar by hand-delivery to the following:

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This the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2013



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