

State of New York
Supreme Court, Appellate Division
Third Judicial Department

Decided and Entered: November 23, 2022

PM-199-22

In the Matter of MICHAEL MOWLA,
an Attorney.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER
ON MOTION

(Attorney Registration No. 4197505)

Calendar Date: November 14, 2022

Before: Lynch, J.P., Aarons, Pritzker, Ceresia and McShan, JJ.

Michael Mowla, Cedar Hill, Texas, pro se.

Monica A. Duffy, Attorney Grievance Committee for the
Third Judicial Department, Albany, for Attorney Grievance
Committee for the Third Judicial Department.

Per Curiam.

Michael Mowla was admitted to practice by this Court in 2004 and lists a business address in Cedar Hill, Texas with the Office of Court Administration. Mowla now seeks leave to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons (*see* Rules for Attorney Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.22 [a]). The Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department (hereinafter AGC) advises that it does not oppose Mowla's application.

Upon reading Mowla's affidavit sworn to July 8, 2022 and filed August 1, 2022, and upon reading the November 14, 2022 correspondence in response by the Chief Attorney for AGC, and having determined that Mowla is eligible to resign for

nondisciplinary reasons, we grant his application and accept his resignation.

Lynch, J.P., Aarons, Pritzker, Ceresia and McShan, JJ.,
concur.

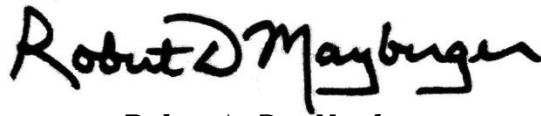
ORDERED that Michael Mowla's application for permission to resign is granted and his nondisciplinary resignation is accepted; and it is further

ORDERED that Michael Mowla's name is hereby stricken from the roll of attorneys and counselors-at-law of the State of New York, effective immediately, and until further order of this Court (*see generally* Rules for Attorney Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.22 [b]); and it is further

ORDERED that Michael Mowla is commanded to desist and refrain from the practice of law in any form in the State of New York, either as principal or as agent, clerk or employee of another; and Mowla is hereby forbidden to appear as an attorney or counselor-at-law before any court, judge, justice, board, commission or other public authority, or to give to another an opinion as to the law or its application, or any advice in relation thereto, or to hold himself out in any way as an attorney and counselor-at-law in this State; and it is further

ORDERED that Michael Mowla shall, within 30 days of the date of this decision, surrender to the Office of Court Administration any Attorney Secure Pass issued to him.

ENTER:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert D. Mayberger". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, stylized "R" and "M".

Robert D. Mayberger
Clerk of the Court