

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

Decided and Entered: December 15, 2022

PM-223-22

In the Matter of ATTORNEYS IN
VIOLATION OF JUDICIARY LAW
§ 468-a.

ATTORNEY GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE
FOR THE THIRD JUDICIAL
DEPARTMENT,

DECISION AND ORDER
ON MOTION

Petitioner;

KARLINE LOUISA LEE,
Respondent.

(Attorney Registration No. 4957072)

Calendar Date: October 3, 2022

Before: Lynch, J.P., Clark, Aarons, Pritzker and Reynolds
Fitzgerald, JJ.

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

Karline Louisa Lee, Sunrise, Florida, respondent pro se.

Motion by respondent for an order reinstating her to the
practice of law following her suspension by October 2021 order
of this Court (*Matter of Attorneys in Violation of Judiciary Law*
§ 468-a, 198 AD3d 1068, 1080 [3d Dept 2021]; see Rules for
Attorney Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.16; Rules of App
Div, 3d Dept [22 NYCRR] § 806.16).

Upon reading respondent's affidavit with exhibits sworn to August 31, 2022, the September 30, 2022 responsive correspondence from the Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department and respondent's reply correspondence with exhibit dated October 11, 2022, and having determined, by clear and convincing evidence, that (1) respondent has complied with the order of suspension and the Rules of this Court, (2) respondent has the requisite character and fitness to practice law, and (3) it would be in the public interest to reinstate respondent to the practice of law (*see Matter of Attorneys in Violation of Judiciary Law § 468-a [Toussaint]*, 196 AD3d 830, 830-831 [3d Dept 2021]), it is

ORDERED that respondent's motion for reinstatement is granted; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent is reinstated as an attorney and counselor-at-law, effective immediately.

Lynch, J.P., Clark, Aarons, Pritzker and Reynolds
Fitzgerald, JJ., concur.

ENTER:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert D. Mayberger". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Robert D. Mayberger
Clerk of the Court