

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

Decided and Entered: March 24, 2022

PM-62-22

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In the Matter of RITA KRANER,  
an Attorney.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER  
ON MOTION

(Attorney Registration No. 4872974)

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Calendar Date: March 21, 2022

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

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Rita Kraner, Belmont, Massachusetts, pro se.

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

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Per Curiam.

Rita Kraner was admitted to practice by this Court in 2010 and lists a business address in Belmont, Massachusetts with the Office of Court Administration. Kraner 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 Kraner's application.

Upon reading Kraner's affidavit sworn to February 14, 2022 and filed February 22, 2022, and upon reading the March 18, 2022 correspondence in response by the Chief Attorney for AGC, and having determined that Kraner is eligible to resign for

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

Egan Jr., J.P., Lynch, Aarons, Ceresia and McShan, JJ., concur.

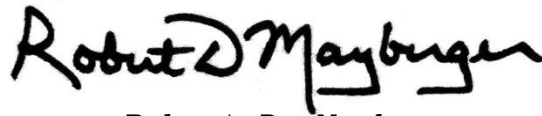
ORDERED that Rita Kraner's application for permission to resign is granted and her nondisciplinary resignation is accepted; and it is further

ORDERED that Rita Kraner'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 Rita Kraner 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 Kraner 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 herself out in any way as an attorney and counselor-at-law in this State; and it is further

ORDERED that Rita Kraner shall, within 30 days of the date of this decision, surrender to the Office of Court Administration any Attorney Secure Pass issued to her.

ENTER:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert D. Mayberger". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "R" and "M".

Robert D. Mayberger  
Clerk of the Court