

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

Decided and Entered: January 26, 2023

PM-09-23

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In the Matter of JOHN A. ARETAKIS,  
a Suspended Attorney.

COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL  
STANDARDS, Now Known As  
ATTORNEY GRIEVANCE  
COMMITTEE FOR THE  
THIRD JUDICIAL  
DEPARTMENT,

DECISION AND ORDER  
ON MOTION

Petitioner;

JOHN A. ARETAKIS,

Respondent.

(Attorney Registration No. 2056968)

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Calendar Date: March 21, 2022

Before: Garry, P.J., Aarons, Pritzker, Reynolds Fitzgerald, and McShan, JJ.

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*Monica A. Duffy, Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department, Albany (Anna E. Remet of counsel), for Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department.*

*John A. Aretakis, Troy, respondent pro se.*

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Motion by respondent, returnable March 21, 2022, for an order seeking vacatur (*see* CPLR 2221; 5015 [a]) of this Court's prior order suspending respondent from the practice of law for a one-year term (*Matter of Aretakis*, 57 AD3d 1160 [2008], *appeal dismissed & lv denied* 11 NY3d 919 [2009]), an order granting respondent review of files

and other documents held by petitioner or, in the alternative, for this Court to undertake an in camera inspection of said files and other documents, and other sundry relief. Cross motion by petitioner, returnable March 21, 2022, for an order enjoining respondent from filing any new motions or applications in this Court without first obtaining leave of the Court.

Upon reading and filing the papers filed in support of the motion and the papers filed by petitioner in opposition thereto and in support of its cross-motion, and the supplemental papers filed by respondent on March 11, 2022 and March 21, 2022, it is

ORDERED that respondent's motion is denied; and it is further

ORDERED that petitioner's cross-motion is denied.

Garry, P.J., Aarons, Pritzker, Reynolds Fitzgerald and McShan, 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