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

Decided and Entered: October 31, 2024 PM-212-24

In the Matter of MICHAEL C. THOMPSON, an Attorney.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER ON MOTION

(Attorney Registration No. 1413038)

Calendar Date: October 28, 2024

Before: Egan Jr., J.P., Aarons, Ceresia, Fisher and Powers, JJ.

Michael C. Thompson, Keeseville, pro se.

Monica A. Duffy, Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department, Albany (Alison M. Coan of counsel), for Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department.

Per Curiam.

Michael C. Thompson was admitted to practice by this Court in 1977 and lists a business address in Keeseville, Clinton County with the Office of Court Administration. Thompson now seeks leave to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons (*see* Rules for Atty Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.22 [a]). The Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department (hereinafter AGC) advises that it does not oppose Thompson's application.

Upon reading Thompson's affidavit sworn to August 28, 2024 and filed September 10, 2024, and upon reading the October 22, 2024 correspondence in response by the Deputy Chief Attorney for AGC, and having determined that Thompson is eligible to resign for nondisciplinary reasons, we grant his application and accept his resignation.

Egan Jr., J.P., Aarons, Ceresia, Fisher and Powers, JJ., concur.

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

ORDERED that Michael C. Thompson'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 Atty Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.22 [b]); and it is further

ORDERED that Michael C. Thompson 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 Thompson 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 C. Thompson 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:

Robert D. Mayberger Clerk of the Court