

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

Decided and Entered: December 5, 2024

PM-241-24

In the Matter of DONALD EDWARD
FRECHETTE, an Attorney.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER
ON MOTION

(Attorney Registration No. 5147202)

Calendar Date: December 2, 2024

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

Donald Edward Frechette, East Wakefield, New Hampshire, 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.

Donald Edward Frechette was admitted to practice by this Court in 2013 and lists a business address in Boston, Massachusetts with the Office of Court Administration. Frechette 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 Frechette's application.

Upon reading Frechette's affidavit sworn to October 10, 2024 and filed October 21, 2024, and upon reading the November 21, 2024 correspondence in response by the Deputy Chief Attorney for AGC, and having determined that Frechette is eligible to resign for nondisciplinary reasons, we grant his application and accept his resignation.

Egan Jr., J.P., Aarons, Pritzker, Reynolds Fitzgerald and McShan, JJ., concur.

ORDERED that Donald Edward Frechette's application for permission to resign is granted and his nondisciplinary resignation is accepted; and it is further

ORDERED that Donald Edward Frechette'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 Donald Edward Frechette 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 Frechette 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 Donald Edward Frechette 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 that reads "Robert D. Mayberger". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Robert D. Mayberger
Clerk of the Court