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

Decided and Entered: December 26, 2024 PM-264-24

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In the Matter of DONALD EDWARD LACEY JR., an Attorney.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER ON MOTION

(Attorney Registration No. 4263737)

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Calendar Date: December 23, 2024

Before: Garry, P.J., Egan Jr., Aarons, Pritzker and Powers, JJ.

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Donald Edward Lacey Jr., Belvedere, California, 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.

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Per Curiam.

Donald Edward Lacey Jr. was admitted to practice by this Court in 2004 and lists a business address in Belvedere, California with the Office of Court Administration. Lacey 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 Lacey's application.

Upon reading Lacey's affidavit sworn to November 8, 2024 and filed November 27, 2024, and upon reading the December 13, 2024 correspondence in response by the Deputy Chief Attorney for AGC, and having determined that Lacey is eligible to resign for nondisciplinary reasons, we grant his application and accept his resignation.

Garry, P.J., Egan Jr., Aarons, Pritzker and Powers, JJ., concur.

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

ORDERED that Donald Edward Lacey Jr.'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 Lacey Jr. 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 Lacey 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 Lacey Jr. 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