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**STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
HEARING DEPARTMENT – SAN FRANCISCO**

In the Matter of)	Case No.: 10-J-03762-PEM
)	
STEVEN JAMES FOSTER,)	ORDER RE DISCIPLINARY COSTS
)	
Member No. 130975,)	
)	
<u>A Member of the State Bar.</u>)	

On October 28, 2014, respondent Steven James Foster filed a motion for relief from payment of disciplinary costs (motion), based on financial hardship in the above-captioned matter.

On October 30, 2014, the State Bar of California, Office of the Chief Trial Counsel (State Bar), by and through Supervising Senior Trial Counsel Donald R. Steedman, filed a response to respondent's motion, opposing respondent's request for relief from costs.

Having carefully considered respondent's motion and the State Bar's response, the court finds that respondent's financial condition does not warrant that he be granted relief from payment of disciplinary costs. However, the court finds that respondent has made a sufficient showing to warrant relief in the form of an extension of time in which to pay the balance of the costs owing in the above-captioned matter.

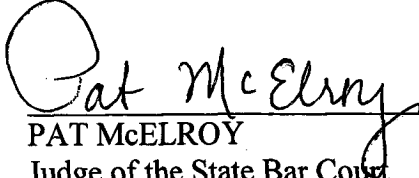
Accordingly, respondent's motion for relief in whole from payment of costs is DENIED. However, good cause having been shown, the court Orders that respondent is hereby GRANTED

an extension of time in which to pay the costs in the instant matter as follows: Respondent must pay the disciplinary costs still owing in the above-captioned matter in three equal installments with his annual State Bar membership fees for the years 2016, 2017, and 2018.

It is further ORDERED that if respondent fails to pay any installment of disciplinary costs within the time provided herein or as may be modified by the State Bar Court pursuant to section 6086.10, subdivision (c), the remaining balance of the costs is due and payable immediately unless relief has been granted under the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California. (Rules Proc. of State Bar, rule 5.134.) The payment of costs is enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: December 2, 2014


PAT McELROY
Judge of the State Bar Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

[Rules Proc. of State Bar; Rule 5.27(B); Code Civ. Proc., § 1013a(4)]

I am a Case Administrator of the State Bar Court of California. I am over the age of eighteen and not a party to the within proceeding. Pursuant to standard court practice, in the City and County of San Francisco, on December 2, 2014, I deposited a true copy of the following document(s):

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- by overnight mail at , California, addressed as follows:
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- by interoffice mail through a facility regularly maintained by the State Bar of California addressed as follows:

Donald R. Steedman, Enforcement, San Francisco

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in San Francisco, California, on December 2, 2014.


George Hus
Case Administrator
State Bar Court