

HEARING DEPARTMENT – LOS ANGELES

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In the Matter of **PADRIK SYMBIO RYAN Former Member No. 256997** A Former Member of the State Bar.

Case Nos.: **12-C-17849-RAP** (13-N-13869) [S216103]

ORDER RE DISCIPLINARY COSTS

On June 3, 2014, petitioner **Padrik Symbio Ryan** sought an extension of time to comply with the order assessing disciplinary costs in State Bar Court case no. 12-C-17849, et al. (motion to extend). Petitioner's motion was based on financial hardship. On June 9, 2014, the Office of the Chief Trial Counsel of the State Bar of California (State Bar) filed an opposition to the motion to extend. The State Bar's opposition was based, in part, on its assertion that this court lacks jurisdiction to entertain the motion to extend.

Business and Professions Code section 6086.10, subdivision (a), provides that any Supreme Court order imposing discipline or accepting a resignation with disciplinary charges pending must include a direction that the member will pay costs. A member, however, may be granted relief from this order or an extension of time to pay these costs upon grounds of hardship, special circumstances, or other good cause. (Bus. & Prof. Code, section 6086.10, subd. (c).) Business and Professions section 6086.10 uses the word "member" and does not differentiate between suspended members and resigned/disbarred members.



The Review Department touched on this issue in *In the Matter of MacKenzie* (Review Dept. 2007) 5 Cal. State Bar Ct. Rptr. 56. In *MacKenzie*, the Review Department determined that the strict procedural language of former rule 662(c) of the Rules of Procedure of the State Bar of California did not divest the court of jurisdiction to extend the time for payment or to grant relief from payment for a reinstatement petitioner, as provided in Business and Professions Code sections 6086.10 and 6140.7. (*Id.* at p. 61.) Accordingly, this court has jurisdiction to hear the motion to extend.

After a careful review of the motion and response, the court **GRANTS** the motion to extend, good cause having been shown. Accordingly, the time to pay costs is extended, with costs to be paid in equal amounts for membership billing years 2015 and 2016. The court further orders that, if petitioner 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 Business and Professions Code 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 remains enforceable both as provided in Business and Professions Code section 6140.7 and as a money judgment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 23, 2014

RICHARD A. PLATEL Judge of the State Bar Court

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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

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TIMOTHY BYER, Enforcement, Los Angeles

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in Los Angeles, California, on June 23, 2014. Johnnie Lee Smith Case Administrato State Bar Court