

STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA HEARING DEPARTMENT 845 S. Figueroa Street, 3 rd Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017-2515	FOR CLERK'S USE ONLY: FILED OCT 27, 2015 <i>Y/C</i> STATE BAR COURT CLERK'S OFFICE LOS ANGELES
In the Matter of: KRISHNA HANEY, Member No. 229652, A Member of the State Bar	Case No: 14-H-04076-DFM ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO EXTEND TIME AND FOR RECONSIDERATION

On September 3, 2015, this court issued an order denying Respondent's September 1, 2015 motion to set aside her default in the captioned matter. That denial was based, in large part, on (1) Respondent's delay in seeking to have her default set aside after admittedly having knowledge of it by at least mid-June 2015; and (2) the failure of Respondent's motion to provide either a verified response from Respondent to the NDC, as absolutely required by the rules of this court, or a declaration from Respondent regarding the reasons for her failure to appear at an earlier time in the proceeding. At the time that Respondent's motion was filed, she was being represented by an outside attorney.

On October 8, 2015, Respondent, now acting in pro per, filed motions for an extension of time to file a request for reconsideration and a motion for reconsideration.

On October 20, 2015, the State Bar filed an opposition to the motions.

Good cause appearing under the applicable rules, Respondent's motions are granted. The instant motions were accompanied by a declaration from Respondent, a verified response to the NDC, and extensive documents supporting Respondent's contention that she was not personally responsible for the procedural deficiencies of her earlier motion and that she was unaware of the pendency of this matter until mid-June 2015. While the State Bar may be correct in criticizing Respondent for failing to keep her official membership address current, such a failure does not preclude this court from exercising its discretion to set aside a previously entered default, where good cause otherwise exists to do so. Such is the case here.

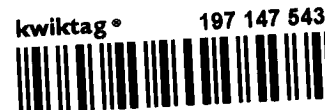
Respondent's default is hereby set aside and Respondent is ordered restored to active status, effective immediately on the filing of this order.

This matter is currently scheduled to be heard on October 28, 2015, at 9:30 a.m. At the time that the matter is called at that time by the court, the hearing will be continued to a future date to be determined at that time. Respondent may appear telephonically at the October 28, 2015, hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 26, 2015


 DONALD F. MILES
 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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- by electronic mail, to Shane Morrison, Deputy Trial Counsel, at shane.morrison@calbar.ca.gov; and Krishna Haney, Respondent at krishnahaney@gmail.com. No error was reported by the computer I used.

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

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed in Los Angeles, California, on October 27, 2015.



Tammy Cleaver
Case Administrator
State Bar Court