

# In the United States Court of Federal Claims

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U.S. COURT OF  
FEDERAL CLAIMS

In the Matter of:

Judson Thomas Farley

No. 14-11175

## FINAL ORDER

On November 17, 2015, the State Bar Court of California (“State Bar Court”) ordered that Judson Thomas Farley be involuntarily enrolled as an inactive member of the State Bar of California, and recommended that he be disbarred from the practice of law in the State of California. *See In Re Judson Thomas Farley*, Nos. 13-O-14287, 14-O-03000 (State Bar Court of CA filed Nov. 17, 2015). The State Bar Court noted that Mr. Farley was charged with 25 counts of violations of the California Rules of Professional Conduct and the Business and Professions Code, including dishonesty, moral turpitude, failure to cooperate with the state bar in a disciplinary matter, failure to perform legal services with competence, failure to return unearned fees, and failure to maintain client funds in a trust account. *Id.* at 1, 4-8. The State Bar Court further noted that Mr. Farley failed to appear at a trial on these charges, resulting in an entry of default. *Id.* at 1. Mr. Farley was subsequently disbarred from the practice of law in the state of California by order of the California Supreme Court on May 29, 2016. At the time of his disbarment, Mr. Farley was on probation for a 2014 disciplinary infraction in which he was punished by the State Bar Court for failure to obey court orders and report judicial sanctions. *Id.* at 4.

Mr. Farley additionally failed to notify the court of his disbarment, a violation of Rule 83.2(e)(1)(B) of the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims (“RCFC”).


Pursuant to RCFC Rule 83.2(g)(6), an Order to Show Cause was issued by this court on August 29, 2016, directing Mr. Farley to show cause within thirty (30) days why the court should not impose discipline identical to that imposed by the California Supreme Court. To date, Mr. Farley has failed to respond to this order. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that Judson Thomas Farley shall be disbarred from practice before the United States Court of Federal Claims effective, *nunc pro tunc*, May 29, 2016, the date of his California disbarment. Reinstatement is not automatic. The filing of any petition for reinstatement shall be governed by RCFC 83.2(k).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of Court shall serve Mr. Farley with a copy of this order.

  
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JAMES F. MEROW  
Judge

  
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MARY ELLEN COSTER WILLIAMS  
Judge

  
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ELAINE D. KAPLAN  
Judge