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The Supreme Court of the State of Louisiana

IN RE: ROY STANLEY BONNER, II

No. 2024-B-00948

IN RE: Roy Stanley Bonner, II - Applicant Other; Disciplinary Counsel - Applicant Other; Joint Petition for Consent Discipline;

October 01, 2024

Joint petition for consent discipline accepted. See per curiam.

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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA NO. 2024-B-0948 IN RE: ROY STANLEY BONNER, II

ATTORNEY DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDING

PER CURIAM

Respondent was arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol. Prior to the filing of formal charges, respondent and the ODC submitted a joint petition for consent discipline, in which the parties stipulated that respondent violated Rule 8.4(b) (commission of a criminal act that reflects adversely on the lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer) of the Rules of Professional Conduct. Having reviewed the petition,

IT IS ORDERED that the Petition for Consent Discipline be accepted and that Roy Stanley Bonner, II, Louisiana Bar Roll number 21489, be and he hereby is suspended from the practice of law for one year and one day. It is further ordered that this suspension shall be deferred in its entirety, subject to probation for a period to coincide with the term of respondent's recovery agreement with the Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program. Any failure of respondent to comply with the terms of the agreement may be grounds for making the deferred suspension executory, or imposing additional discipline, as appropriate.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all costs and expenses in the matter are assessed against respondent in accordance with Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 10.1, with legal interest to commence thirty days from the date of finality of this court's judgment until paid.