

**People v. Jeffrey Allan Lane. 15PDJ031. July 14, 2015.**

The Presiding Disciplinary Judge approved the parties' conditional admission of misconduct and disbarred Jeffrey Allan Lane (Attorney Registration Number 11356) from the practice of law, effective July 14, 2015.

On February 28, 2014, Respondent engaged in conduct constituting a substantial step toward commission of unlawful sexual contact when he unlawfully and knowingly attempted to subject a person whom he believed to be a child to sexual contact to which that person did not consent.

On February 23, 2015, Respondent entered a plea of guilty in Arapahoe County to Added Count 5 – Sexual Contact – No Consent-Attempt, a class two misdemeanor, C.R.S. section 18-3-404(1)(a); C.R.S. section 18-2-101, and Added Count 6 – Sexual Exploitation/Child/Sell-Publish, a class three felony, C.R.S. section 18-6-403(3)(b).

C.R.S. section 18-6-403(3)(b) provides: “A person commits sexual exploitation of a child if, for any purpose, he or she knowingly: . . . Prepares, arranges for, publishes, including but not limited to publishing through digital or electronic means, produces, promotes, makes, sells, finances, offers, exhibits, advertises, deals in, or distributes, including but not limited to distributing through digital or electronic means, any sexually exploitative material.”

C.R.S. section 18-3-404(1)(a) states: “Any actor who knowingly subjects a victim to any sexual contact commits unlawful sexual contact if . . . The actor knows that the victim does not consent.” C.R.S. section 18-2-101(1) sets forth the elements of criminal attempt.

Respondent was sentenced to ninety days jail (served as in-home detention) and five years of intensive supervised probation for sex offenders.

Respondent's conduct violated Colo. RPC 8.4(b) (a lawyer shall not commit a criminal act that reflects adversely on the lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer in other respects).