Colorado Supreme Court
101 West Colfax Avenue, Suite 800
Denver, CO 80202

Original Proceeding in Unauthorized Practice of Law,
12UPL032

Petitioner:

The People of the State of Colorado,

V.

Respondent:

Robert Black.

ORDER OF COURT

Upon consideration of the Stipulation, Agreement and Affidavit Consenting to an Order of Injunction filed in the above cause, and now being sufficiently advised in the premises,

IT IS ORDERED that Respondent, ROBERT BLACK, shall be, and the same hereby is, ENJOINED from engaging in the Unauthorized Practice of Law in the State of Colorado.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent, ROBERT BLACK is assessed costs of \$117.75. Said costs to be paid to the Office of Attorney Regulation Counsel, within (30) days of the date of this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this court WAIVES any fines in this matter pursuant to C.R.C.P. 236(a).

BY THE COURT, NOVEMBER 9, 2012.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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VS.

Respondent: ROBERT BLACK

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Case Number: 12SA268

STIPULATION, AGREEMENT AND AFFIDAVIT CONSENTING TO AN ORDER OF INJUNCTION

On this _____ day of _____ 2012, Kim E. Ikeler,

Assistant Regulation Counsel, and Robert Black, the Respondent, who is represented in this matter by Charles Elliott, Esq., enter into the following stipulation, agreement, and affidavit consenting to an order of injunction ("stipulation") and submit the same to the Colorado Supreme Court for a finding and order of injunction pursuant to C.R.C.P. 229-237.

- 1. The Respondent resides at 1128 S. Marshall St., #315, Lakewood, CO 80232. The Respondent is not licensed to practice law in the State of Colorado or any state.
- 2. The Respondent enters into this stipulation freely and voluntarily. No promises have been made concerning future consideration, punishment, or lenience in the above-referenced matter. It is the Respondent's personal decision, and the Respondent affirms there has been no coercion or other intimidating acts by any person or agency concerning this matter.
- 3. The Respondent is familiar with the rules of the Colorado Supreme Court regarding the unauthorized practice of law. The Respondent acknowledges the right to a full and complete evidentiary hearing on the above-referenced petition for injunction. At any such hearing, the Respondent would have the right to be

represented by counsel, present evidence, call witnesses, and cross-examine the witnesses presented by the Petitioner. At any such formal hearing, the Petitioner would have the burden of proof and would be required to prove the charges contained in the petition for injunction by a preponderance of the evidence. Nonetheless having full knowledge of the right to such a formal hearing, the Respondent waives that right.

- 4. The Respondent understands that the practice of law in Colorado includes, but is not limited to, the following:
 - a. providing advice to any other individual on the legal effect of any proposed action in a legal matter; or assisting that individual in making decisions that require legal judgment and a knowledge of the law that is greater than the average citizen;
 - b. providing advice to any other individual as to various legal remedies available to that individual and the possible legal courses of action for that individual;
 - c. acting in a representative capacity on behalf of any other individual in matters that affect that individual's legal rights and duties;
 - d. selecting or preparing any legal document for any other individual, other than solely as a typist; and, without limiting the above, explaining to that individual or any other individual the legal significance of such document;

- e. holding oneself out as an attorney, lawyer, "esquire", immigration consultant, or legal consultant, either directly or impliedly;
- f. holding oneself out to others in a manner that another individual would place some reliance on the Respondent to handle that individual's legal matters;
- g. advertising oneself as an immigration consultant, or being able to select and prepare immigration paperwork on behalf of others (without U.S.B.I.A. accreditation);
- h. making an appearance or speaking on behalf of another individual in negotiations, settlement conferences, mediations, hearings, trials, oral arguments or other legal proceedings unless specifically allowed by the rules that apply to such appearance in such legal proceeding;
- i. serving as a conduit or intermediary on behalf of any other individual for the obtaining or relaying of any legal counsel;
- j. conducting the business of management of a law practice to the extent that the exercise of legal judgment on behalf of another occurs; and
- k. soliciting or accepting any fees for legal services.
- 5. The Respondent and the Petitioner stipulate to the following facts and conclusions:
- a. In November 2011, Brandon Vance was charged with assault and disturbing the peace. *People v. Brandon Vance,* Denver County Court, Case No. 11GS324453 (the "assault case"). The

assault case was assigned to Judge Raymond Satter. Mr. Vance's trial was set for May 3, 2012.

- b. Mr. Vance's attorney, Arthur Folsom, died in March 2012. On the trial date, Respondent appeared in court with Mr. Vance. Respondent told Judge Satter on the record in open court that he was representing Mr. Vance. Respondent claimed to be an attorney, and provided an attorney number: 41136.
- c. The trial was continued until May 18, 2012. Judge Satter checked attorney number 41136. It belongs to an attorney named Thomas Blackburn.
- d. On that date, Respondent again appeared before Judge Satter. The Judge called the case. Respondent stood along with Mr. Vance. Respondent was then contacted by Denver Police and an investigator from the Office of Attorney Regulation Counsel.
- e. By appearing in court on behalf of Mr. Vance in his assault case, Respondent engaged in the unauthorized practice of law.
- 6. The Respondent has read and studied the petition for injunction and is familiar with the allegations therein, and a true

and correct copy of the petition for injunction is attached to this stipulation as Exhibit A.

7. Pursuant to C.R.C.P. 251.32, the Respondent agrees to pay the costs and administrative costs in the sum of \$117.75 incurred in conjunction with this matter within one month after the acceptance of the stipulation by the Colorado Supreme Court.

8. The parties request that the Court waive a fine.

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RECOMMENDATION FOR AND CONSENT TO ORDER OF INJUNCTION

Based on the foregoing, the parties hereto recommend that an order be entered enjoining the Respondent from the unauthorized practice of law, requiring that the Respondent pay costs in the amount of \$117.75, and waiving a fine.

Robert Black, the Respondent; Charles Elliott, his counsel, and Kim E. Ikeler, attorney for Petitioner, acknowledge by signing this document that they have read and reviewed the above.

Robert Black, Respondent c/o Charles Elliott, Esq. 1801 Broadway, Ste. 1100 Denver, CO 80202

STATE OF COLORADO)
CITY &) ss.
COUNTY OF DENVER)

10-11-2015

Notary Public

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NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO

My Comm. Expires October 11, 2015

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