STATE BAR OF NEVADA

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Lindsey Antee 9564 Scorpion Track Ct. Las Vegas, NV 89178

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RE: Fee Dispute No. FD20-026: Antee v. Tilman

Dear Petitioner Antee:

Our office has received a reply from the Respondent (enclosed). Your claim has been assigned to the following mediator: Akke Levin.

Mediation is an attempt by an unbiased, impartial individual to see if this dispute may be resolved by discussing with both parties their respective positions. Typically, a mediator will meet with both parties and hear their version of the situation and then excuse each of the parties alternatively to discuss the matter individually. Mediation may even be conducted by a conference telephone call, at the discretion of the mediator. Everything that is said to the mediator in this meeting is confidential. The mediator may provide an opinion on the merits of the position of both parties in an attempt to resolve the matter.

Mediation is **not** arbitration. You are not expected to formally present your evidence at the time of mediation, but you should be able to recite your position in the case and why your position should prevail. Compromise is the hallmark of mediation. The process only works if the parties come to the mediation with a desire to see if settlement is feasible.

If mediation does not result in an agreement to settle, and the responding party has consented to binding arbitration, the case will then be assigned to an appropriate arbitrator. Your mediator will not participate in the arbitration. Absent a binding arbitration agreement executed by both you and the Respondent, this mediation will serve as the only recourse available through the state bar's Fee Dispute program.

The mediator will review your file and attempt to schedule the mediation within the next twenty (20) days. If the mediator has not contacted you within twenty (20) days of receipt of this letter, you may contact her office.

Sincerely,

Cathi Britz

Client Protection Coordinator

Enclosure

cc: Regional Chair Stephanie M. Zinna via email only



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