

The Court of Appeals
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April 20, 2017

Mr. Jeff Davis
Executive Director
104 Marietta Street, NW • Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Ms. Paula Frederick
General Counsel
104 Marietta Street, NW • Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. Davis and Ms. Frederick:

The Court of Appeals of Georgia has directed that I submit to the State Bar of Georgia an order of our Court; Court of Appeals Order dated April 20, 2017, related to the case of *Kenneth Wilson v. Judge Michael McLaughlin et al.*

This information relates to Mr. Grady Alexander Roberts and supplements the many other submissions our Court has made to the State Bar of Georgia concerning him. If you have any questions, please call. My direct dial is: 404-651-8498.

Sincerely,



Steve E. Castlen
Clerk/Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia

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Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

ATLANTA, April 20, 2017

The Court of Appeals hereby passes the following order:

IN RE: GRADY ALEXANDER ROBERTS.

On February 15, 2017, this Court issued an order revoking attorney Grady Alexander Roberts' permission to practice law before the Court of Appeals due to his repeated failure over the past six years to comply with our rule regarding the payment of filing fees and his continuing disregard of our communications directing him to make such payments. The order directed the Clerk of the Court to remove Grady Alexander Roberts' name from the roll of attorneys permitted to practice in this Court and further directed the Clerk of the Court not to accept any future filings from Grady Alexander Roberts, except in four cases that were already pending in this Court. The future filing prohibition applied to direct appeals, applications, motions and all other filings.

Roberts has now filed an application for discretionary review in the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court docketed the case as *Kenneth Wilson v. Judge Michael McLaughlin, et al*, Case No. S17D1206, and issued an Order on March 28, 2017 transferring the application to this Court after finding no basis for the exercise of Supreme Court jurisdiction. However, as this Court informed Roberts in our February 15, 2017 Order, he is no longer permitted to practice in this Court and the Clerk of Court is no longer permitted to accept future filing from Roberts. This includes filing by Roberts that have been transferred to this Court. As such, the Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** not to docket the case being transferred from the Supreme Court to this Court.

The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the party represented by Roberts in the case within five (5) days of the entry of this Order. Roberts is also **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this order to the party he represents in the above-listed case within five (5) days of the entry of this Order. The

Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the State Bar of Georgia.



Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

Clerk's Office, Atlanta, April 20, 2017

*I certify that the above is a true extract from
the minutes of the Court of Appeals of Georgia.*

*Witness my signature and the seal of said court
hereto affixed the day and year last above written.*

Stephen E. Castles

_____, Clerk.

Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

ATLANTA, February 15, 2017

The Court of Appeals hereby passes the following order:

IN RE: GRADY ALEXANDER ROBERTS.

Pursuant to OCGA § 5-6-4 and Court of Appeals Rule 5, filing fees are \$300 in civil cases and accrue upon the docketing of a direct appeal in this Court. Filing fees “shall be paid no later than the . . . filing of the appellant’s brief in direct appeals.” Court of Appeals Rule 5; see also OCGA § 5-6-4 (a).¹

Attorney Grady Alexander Roberts has filed numerous direct appeals to this Court. In each case, the Court has notified Roberts by email or letter of his obligation to pay the \$300 filing fee and of the deadline for making the payment. Each email or letter has included the following language: “If you are an attorney and the cost is not paid by the date above, your name shall be removed from the roll of attorneys who are permitted to practice in the Court of Appeals of Georgia and that fact will be communicated to the State Bar of Georgia.” Since 2011, Roberts has failed to pay the filing fees in 81 direct appeals, and he presently owes the State of Georgia \$24,300. This Court has submitted annual bills to Roberts itemizing these past due amounts. A copy of the most recent bill, mailed to Roberts on January 27, 2017, is attached to this Order. To date, Roberts has not paid this bill.

Court of Appeals Rule 7 (d) provides that “[r]epeated violations of this Court’s rules or orders may result in the revocation of the violator’s admission to practice before the Court of Appeals.”¹ Based on Roberts’s repeated failure over the past six

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years to comply with our rule regarding the payment of filing fees and his continuing disregard of our communications directing him to make such payments, we hereby exercise our authority under Rule 7 (d). Grady Alexander Roberts's permission to practice law before the Court of Appeals is hereby **REVOKED**. The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to remove Grady Alexander Roberts's name from the roll of attorneys permitted to practice in this Court. The Clerk is **FURTHER DIRECTED** not to accept any future filings from Grady Alexander Roberts, except in the three cases discussed below. This prohibition applies to direct appeals, applications, motions, and all other filings.

Roberts is currently representing litigants in three direct appeals (Case Nos. A17A0456, A17A0732, and A17A0791) and one discretionary application (Case No. A17D0285) pending in this Court. Roberts will be permitted to continue his representation in those cases only. The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the parties represented by Roberts in the above-listed cases within five days of the entry of this Order. Roberts is also **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the parties he represents in those cases within five days of the entry of this Order.

The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the State Bar of Georgia.



Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

Clerk's Office, Atlanta, 02/15/2017

I certify that the above is a true extract from the minutes of the Court of Appeals of Georgia.

Witness my signature and the seal of said court hereto affixed the day and year last above written.

Stephen E. Carlton Clerk.

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STEPHEN E. CASTLEN
CLERK AND COURT ADMINISTRATOR

(404) 656-3450

April 20, 2017

Mr. Kenneth M. Wilson
3329 Vintage Circle
Smyrna, Georgia 30080

RE: Kenneth Wilson v. Judge Michael McLaughlin, et al.

Dear Mr. Wilson:

The appeal of the above case was transferred to our Court from the Supreme Court of Georgia. We are unable to docket this case as your attorney, Mr. Grady Roberts, has been removed from the roll of attorneys permitted to practice in our Court. We are returning your documents to you as our Court has ordered that your case not be docketed with Mr. Roberts serving as the appellate attorney. Please see the attached order.

Sincerely,


Steve E. Castlen
Clerk/Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia

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Court of Appeals Order Prohibiting Docketing Application.

Supreme Court transfer order in case S17D1206, dated March 28, 2017.

Court of Appeals Order removing Mr. Grady Roberts from the Court roll, dated February 15, 2017.

The Court of Appeals
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STEVE E. CASTLEN
CLERK AND COURT ADMINISTRATOR

(404) 656-3450

January 27, 2017

Mr. Grady Alexander Roberts
Roberts Law, LLC
5243 Royal Woods Parkway
Suite 120
Tucker, Georgia 30084

Dear Mr. Roberts:

The Court of Appeals of Georgia has not yet received the \$24,300.00 in filing fees for the attached cases. You were previously sent cost due letters. The filing costs are now overdue.

I am required by law to make every reasonable effort to collect monies owed to the State of Georgia. In that regard, send, within ten (10) days of the date of this letter, your check or money order in the amount of \$24,300.00 as required by OCGA §5-6-4 and Rule 5 of this Court.

If the monies owed to this Court are not received, your name will be removed from the roll of attorneys who are permitted to practice in this Court and that fact shall be communicated to the State Bar of Georgia.

Attorneys registered with the Court's EFAST system may remit a credit card payment by logging into EFAST and using the "Pay Case Filing Fees" link on the EFAST main menu.

If you feel the payment has been previously made, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Steve E. Castlen
Clerk/Court Administrator
Court of Appeals of Georgia

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Grady Roberts cases as appellant attorney where he owes filing fees. Cases since February, 2011.

81 Civil Cases

81 x \$300 = \$24,300.

caseNumber	appellant	docketDate	type
A11A1124	SCOTT & SONS HOLDINGS, LLC	2/18/2011	NT
A11A1125	SCOTT & SONS HOLDINGS, LLC	2/18/2011	NT
A13A1236	ANTHONY T. FARRAR	2/25/2013	NT
A13A1635	JOYCE H. NOTTINGHAM	4/12/2013	NT
A13A2258	G. D. EVANS & ASSOCIATES, LLC ET AL.	7/25/2013	NT
A14A0162	FORTIS CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC ET AL.	9/18/2013	NT
A14A0163	FORTIS CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC ET AL.	9/18/2013	NT
A14A0336	SPHINX GROUP, LLC ET AL.	10/7/2013	NT
A14A0475	REGINALD SMITH ET AL.	11/12/2013	NT
A14A0470	SPHINX GROUP, INC. ET AL.	11/5/2013	NT
A14A0471	DANNY, LLC ET AL.	11/5/2013	NT
A14A0494	SOUTHSIDE GREENSPACE INITIATIVE, LLC ET AL.	11/13/2013	NT
A14A0495	SCOTT AND SONS HOLDINGS, LLC	11/13/2013	NT
A14A0500	ROBERT SEASE	11/13/2013	NT
A14A0612	JAMES HALL	11/27/2013	NT
A14A0904	ANN MCPHIE	1/10/2014	NT
A14A0921	TAMMY DOE	1/14/2014	NT
A14A1051	CONNIE'S FLOWERS AND CREATIVE EVENTS, LLC ET AL.	2/14/2014	NT
A14A1056	CONNIE'S FLOWERS AND CREATIVE EVENTS, LLC ET AL.	2/14/2014	NT
A14A1054	JAI AGENCY, LLC ET AL.	2/14/2014	NT
A14A1053	JAI AGENCY, LLC ET AL.	2/14/2014	NT
A14A1086	JESSE R. WALKER ET AL.	2/19/2014	NT
A14A1087	JESSE R. WALKER ET AL.	2/19/2014	NT
A14A1204	DIANE T. WILLIAMS	3/5/2014	NT
A14A1229	CARMEN STEPHENS	3/7/2014	NT
A14A1456	ALISHIA BRISTOW SMITH	4/10/2014	NT
A14A1471	WILLIE C. WALTON, II	4/11/2014	NT
A14A1700	NKN ENTERPRISES, LLC ET AL	5/15/2014	NT
A14A1810	DONYALE TURNER	6/2/2014	NT
A14A1995	JESSE R. WALKER ET AL.	6/27/2014	NT
A14A2109	JOHN CLARK ET AL.	7/16/2014	NT
A14A2123	TINA WHITE	7/21/2014	NT
A14A2127	FAMILY PRACTICE OF ATLANTA, LLC	7/21/2014	NT
A14A2315	SERGE CHARLES	8/14/2014	NT
A15A0251	ALISHIA BRISTOW SMITH	9/23/2014	NT
A15A0252	ALISHIA BRISTOW SMITH	9/23/2014	NT

A15A0292	PHILLIP SIMS	9/26/2014 NT
A15A0400	MARILYN V. GEE	10/10/2014 NT
A15A0554	WIN-WIN INVESTMENT NETWORK, LLC	10/30/2014 NT
A15A0614	ERIC JONES	11/7/2014 NT
A15A0649	JOSEPH LATHAN CORNICK	11/21/2014 NT
A15A0669	BENJIE M. LOUISON	11/25/2014 NT
A15A0733	NASSER HEAVY EQUIPMENT, INC. ET AL.	12/8/2014 NT
A15A0923	CHERYL J. MITCHELL	1/13/2015 NT
A15A0948	ANTIONETTE EVANS	1/22/2015 NT
A15A0965	JEAN PATRICIA HILTON A/K/A JEAN PATRICIA ENSTROM	1/26/2015 NT
A15A0984	DELBERT WARNER ET AL.	1/27/2015 NT
A15A0983	WILLIAM K. BROUGHTON	1/27/2015 NT
A15A0979	LISA MORGAN	1/27/2015 NT
A15A0994	BERTHA JACKSON	1/28/2015 NT
A15A1051	WILLIAM K, BROUGHTON ET AL.	2/9/2015 NT
A15A1112	ROBERT SEASE	2/17/2015 NT
A15A1118	JANET HILL	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1119	INGRID A. ELLISON	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1120	INGRID A. ELLISON	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1121	PHILLIP SIMS	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1126	TYSHA WILLIAMS	2/19/2015 NT
A15A1150	RODNEY K. THOMPSON	2/20/2015 NT
A15A1270	JEROME W. SCOTT ET AL.	3/5/2015 NT
A15A1288	JOHN CLARK ET AL.	3/9/2015 NT
A15A1403	ALVIN JAMES	3/18/2015 NT
A15A1767	JOHN SMITH ET AL.	5/13/2015 NT
A15A1772	DAVIS KEVIN BASSIL ET AL.	5/14/2015 NT
A15A1798	JAMES SMITH, JR. ET AL.	5/18/2015 NT
A15A1833	DORIS ROSS	5/22/2015 NT
A15A1897	B & B MOVERS ET AL.	6/4/2015 NT
A15A2143	IN RE: GRADY A. ROBERTS, III ET AL.	7/15/2015 NT
A16A0706	ERIC JONES	12/16/2015 NT
A16A0866	HELENA BRUNDIDGE	1/26/2016 NT
A16A1492	KELVIN DAVIS	4/20/2016 NT
A16A1514	VINCIA BLAISE	4/21/2016 NT
A16A1641	CARMEN STEPHENS	5/6/2016 NT
A16A1642	CARMEN STEPHENS	5/6/2016 NT
A16A1647	ANTHONY ROSS, JR.	5/6/2016 NT
A16A1720	BETTY BENDOLPH ET AL.	5/16/2016 NT
A16A2150	SONDIAL PROPERTIES LLC ET AL.	7/25/2016 NT
A16A2151	SONDIAL PROPERTIES LLC ET AL.	7/25/2016 NT

A17A0150	BRYAN BOWDEN ET AL.	8/19/2016 NT
A17A0368	FAMILY PRACTICE OF ATLANTA MEDICAL GROUP	9/23/2016 NT
A17A0522	ELSIE BRIDGES	10/24/2016 NT
A17A0612	PAUL PENN, JR.	11/8/2016 NT

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Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

Clerk's Office, Atlanta, 02/15/2017

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Stephen E. Carlton, Clerk.

Court of Appeals of Georgia

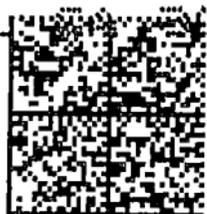
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Lola Diamond - 2 Letters to the state Bar.

From: Steve Castlen
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Subject: 2 Letters to the state Bar.

Attn: Ms. Paula Frederick
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State Bar of Georgia
Attn: Mr. Jonathan Hewett
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104 Marietta St. NW, Suite 100
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Dear __,

The judges of the Court of Appeals of Georgia voted in Banc to approve the attached order and directed that I send the order to the State Bar of Georgia. I believe the order is self explanatory. However, if you wish to discuss, please call.

Steve

Stephen E. Castlen
Clerk/Administrator
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Randale Bankston
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Case Number	A17A0456								
Assigned Judge:	C. J. Sara L. Doyle	Assigned Division:	2	Short Number:	97-018	Assignment Type:	System		
Panel:	P. J. M. Yvette Miller, C. J. Sara L. Doyle, J. Clyde L. Reese					Opinion Status:	ND		
Docket Date:	10/07/2016	Term:	December 2017	Docket Calendar:	0217	Status:	P	Notes:	Yes

Party Name	RANDALE BANKSTON					
Party Type	Appellant					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	686854	John Strauss	ATTORNEY AT LAW	P. O. BOX 1103 COVINGTON, GA 30015	(770) 787-5020	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Party Name	RES-GA TWELVE, LLC					
Party Type	Appellee					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	737020	Kevin Ward	SCHULTEN WARD & TURNER	260 PEACHTREE STREET SUITE 2700 ATLANTA, GA 30303	(404) 688-6800	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	737030	Lemuel Ward	CITY OF ATLANTA LAW DEPARTMENT	SUITE 4100 68 MITCHELL STREET, S.W. ATLANTA, GA 30303	(404) 330-6471	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	537110	KEVIN BURDETT	Schulten Ward Turner & Weiss, LLP	260 Peachtree Street, N.W. Suite 2700 Atlanta, GA 30303	(404) 688-6800	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	133100	Tyler Keenan	SCHULTEN WARD & TURNER LLP	260 PEACHTREE STREET NW SUITE 2700 ATLANTA, GA 30303	(404) 419-2944	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Party Name	ROGER BANKSTON ET AL.					
Party Type	Other					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	609540	Grady Roberts	Roberts Law, LLC	5243 Royal Woods Pkwy Suite 120 Tucker, GA 30084	(404) 794-7000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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Case Number	A17A0732			
Assigned Judge: J. Tilman E. Self	Assigned Division: 4	Short Number: 90-022	Assignment Type: System	
Panel: P. J. Stephen Louis A. Dillard, J. Tilman E. Self, J. William M. Ray	Opinion Status: ND			
Docket Date: 11/29/2016	Term: April 2017	Docket Calendar: 0417	Status: P	Notes: No

Party Name	CYNTHIA LAIN					
Party Type	Appellant					

	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	705135	Cynthia Lain	ATTORNEY AT LAW	470 E. PACES FERRY ROAD ATLANTA, GA 30305	(770) 881-7263	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	609540	Grady Roberts	Roberts Law, LLC	5243 Royal Woods Pkwy Suite 120 Tucker, GA 30084	(404) 794-7000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Party Name	THE STATE					
Party Type	Appellee					

	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	035561	Scott Ballard	DISTRICT ATTORNEY	132 E. SOLOMON STREET P.O. BOX 1551 GRIFFIN, GA 30224		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	176056	Benjamin Coker	DISTRICT ATTORNEY	305 SOUTH HIGHTOWER STREET P.O. BOX 871 THOMASTON, GA 30286	(706) 647-4042	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	461810	Alisha Thompson	ATTORNEY AT LAW	160 Compton Drive Fayetteville, GA 30215	(404) 309-0556	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	253440	BRITTANY FALLIN	UPSON COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE	POST OFFICE BOX 871 THOMASTON, GA 30286	(706) 975-6360	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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Case Number	A17A0791				
Assigned Judge:	J. Charles J. Bethel	Assigned Division:	5	Short Number:	15-033
Assignment Type:	System				
Panel:	P. J. Christopher J. McFadden, J. Elizabeth L. Branch, J. Charles J. Bethel			Opinion Status:	ND
Docket Date:	12/07/2016	Term:	April 2017	Docket Calendar:	0417
Status:	P				
Notes:	No				

Party Name	JULIET KILBY					
Party Type	Appellant					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	609540	Grady Roberts	Roberts Law, LLC	5243 Royal Woods Pkwy Suite 120 Tucker, GA 30084	(404) 794-7000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Party Name	WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. et al					
Party Type	Appellee					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	370267	Dylan Howard	BAKER, DONSELSON, BEARMAN CALDWELL & BERKOWITZ, LLP	3414 PEACHTREE ROAD, N.E. SUITE 1600, MONARCH PLAZA ATLANTA, GA 30326	(404) 589-3406	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	940480	Daniel Moore	BAKER, DONELSON, BEARMAN	3414 PEACHTREE ROAD N. E. ATLANTA, GA 30326	(404) 577-6000	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Party Name	MCCALLA RAYMER, LLC					
Party Type	Appellee					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	147895	Jonathan Kasper	MCCALLA RAYMER PIERCE, LLC	1544 OLD ALABAMA ROAD ROSWELL, GA 30076	(678) 281-3935	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
View	313040	Steven Flynn	MCCALLA RAYMER PIERCE, LLC	1544 Old Alabama Rd Roswell, GA 30076	(678) 281-6440	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Party Name	JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.					
Party Type	Other					
	Bar ID	Name	Firm/GDC#	Address	Phone	E-Filer
View	323785	Brian Hansen	KUTAK ROCK LLP	Suite 2750 303 PEACHTREE STREET NE	(404) 222-4600	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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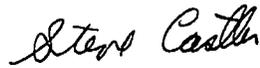
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State Bar of Georgia
Attn: Ms. Paula Frederick, General Counsel
104 Marietta Street, N.W. • Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Ms. Frederick:

The judges of the Court of Appeals of Georgia voted en Banc to approve the attached order and directed that I send the order to the State Bar of Georgia. I believe the order is self-explanatory. However, if you wish to discuss, please call.

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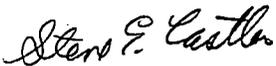
John Strauss, Esq.
Post Office Box 1103
Covington, Georgia 30015

RE: A17A0456. Randale Bankston v. RES-GA Twelve, LLC

Dear Mr. Strauss:

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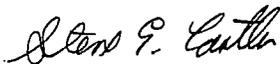
Mr. Randale Bankston
4150 Lower Roswell Road
Covington, Georgia 30014

RE: A17A0456. Randale Bankston v. RES-GA Twelve, LLC

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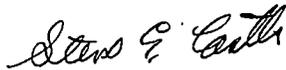
Cynthia Lain, Esq.
470 East Paces Ferry Road
Atlanta, Georgia 30305

RE: A17A0732. In the Interest of: C.W. a Child

Dear Ms. Lain::

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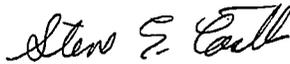
Ms. Juliet D. Kilby
1545 Loch Lomond Trail
Atlanta, Georgia 30331

RE: A17A0791. Juliet Kilby v. Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., et al.

Dear Ms. Kilby:

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State Bar of Georgia
ATTN: Mr. Jonathan Hewett
Senior Assistant General Counsel
104 Marietta Street, N.W. • Suite 100
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. Hewett:

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Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

ATLANTA, February 15, 2017

The Court of Appeals hereby passes the following order:

IN RE: GRADY ALEXANDER ROBERTS.

Pursuant to OCGA § 5-6-4 and Court of Appeals Rule 5, filing fees are \$300 in civil cases and accrue upon the docketing of a direct appeal in this Court. Filing fees “shall be paid no later than the . . . filing of the appellant’s brief in direct appeals.” Court of Appeals Rule 5; see also OCGA § 5-6-4 (a).¹

Attorney Grady Alexander Roberts has filed numerous direct appeals to this Court. In each case, the Court has notified Roberts by email or letter of his obligation to pay the \$300 filing fee and of the deadline for making the payment. Each email or letter has included the following language: “If you are an attorney and the cost is not paid by the date above, your name shall be removed from the roll of attorneys who are permitted to practice in the Court of Appeals of Georgia and that fact will be communicated to the State Bar of Georgia.” Since 2011, Roberts has failed to pay the filing fees in 81 direct appeals, and he presently owes the State of Georgia \$24,300. This Court has submitted annual bills to Roberts itemizing these past due amounts. A copy of the most recent bill, mailed to Roberts on January 27, 2017, is attached to this Order. To date, Roberts has not paid this bill.

Court of Appeals Rule 7 (d) provides that “[r]epeated violations of this Court’s rules or orders may result in the revocation of the violator’s admission to practice before the Court of Appeals.”¹ Based on Roberts’s repeated failure over the past six

¹ There are several exceptions to this requirement, none of which apply here.

¹ See also Court of Appeals Rule 7 (a) (recognizing this Court’s “inherent power to maintain control over proceedings conducted before it”).

years to comply with our rule regarding the payment of filing fees and his continuing disregard of our communications directing him to make such payments, we hereby exercise our authority under Rule 7 (d). Grady Alexander Roberts's permission to practice law before the Court of Appeals is hereby **REVOKED**. The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to remove Grady Alexander Roberts's name from the roll of attorneys permitted to practice in this Court. The Clerk is **FURTHER DIRECTED** not to accept any future filings from Grady Alexander Roberts, except in the three cases discussed below. This prohibition applies to direct appeals, applications, motions, and all other filings.

Roberts is currently representing litigants in three direct appeals (Case Nos. A17A0456, A17A0732, and A17A0791) and one discretionary application (Case No. A17D0285) pending in this Court. Roberts will be permitted to continue his representation in those cases only. The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the parties represented by Roberts in the above-listed cases within five days of the entry of this Order. Roberts is also **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the parties he represents in those cases within five days of the entry of this Order.

The Clerk of the Court is **DIRECTED** to forward a copy of this Order to the State Bar of Georgia.



Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia

Clerk's Office, Atlanta, 02/15/2017

I certify that the above is a true extract from the minutes of the Court of Appeals of Georgia.

Witness my signature and the seal of said court hereto affixed the day and year last above written.

Stephen E. Carlton, Clerk.

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January 27, 2017

Mr. Grady Alexander Roberts
Roberts Law, LLC
5243 Royal Woods Parkway
Suite 120
Tucker, Georgia 30084

Dear Mr. Roberts:

The Court of Appeals of Georgia has not yet received the \$24,300.00 in filing fees for the attached cases. You were previously sent cost due letters. The filing costs are now overdue.

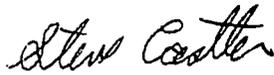
I am required by law to make every reasonable effort to collect monies owed to the State of Georgia. In that regard, send, within ten (10) days of the date of this letter, your check or money order in the amount of \$24,300.00 as required by OCGA §5-6-4 and Rule 5 of this Court.

If the monies owed to this Court are not received, your name will be removed from the roll of attorneys who are permitted to practice in this Court and that fact shall be communicated to the State Bar of Georgia.

Attorneys registered with the Court's EFAST system may remit a credit card payment by logging into EFAST and using the "Pay Case Filing Fees" link on the EFAST main menu.

If you feel the payment has been previously made, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Steve E. Castlen
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Grady Roberts cases as appellant attorney where he owes filing fees. Cases since February, 2011.

81 Civil Cases

81 x \$300 = \$24,300.

caseNumber	appellant	docketDate	type
A11A1124	SCOTT & SONS HOLDINGS, LLC	2/18/2011	NT
A11A1125	SCOTT & SONS HOLDINGS, LLC	2/18/2011	NT
A13A1236	ANTHONY T. FARRAR	2/25/2013	NT
A13A1635	JOYCE H. NOTTINGHAM	4/12/2013	NT
A13A2258	G. D. EVANS & ASSOCIATES, LLC ET AL.	7/25/2013	NT
A14A0162	FORTIS CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC ET AL.	9/18/2013	NT
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A14A0336	SPHINX GROUP, LLC ET AL.	10/7/2013	NT
A14A0475	REGINALD SMITH ET AL.	11/12/2013	NT
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A14A0471	DANNY, LLC ET AL.	11/5/2013	NT
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A14A0495	SCOTT AND SONS HOLDINGS, LLC	11/13/2013	NT
A14A0500	ROBERT SEASE	11/13/2013	NT
A14A0612	JAMES HALL	11/27/2013	NT
A14A0904	ANN MCPHIE	1/10/2014	NT
A14A0921	TAMMY DOE	1/14/2014	NT
A14A1051	CONNIE'S FLOWERS AND CREATIVE EVENTS, LLC ET AL.	2/14/2014	NT
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A14A1054	JAI AGENCY, LLC ET AL.	2/14/2014	NT
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A14A1086	JESSE R. WALKER ET AL.	2/19/2014	NT
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A14A1204	DIANE T. WILLIAMS	3/5/2014	NT
A14A1229	CARMEN STEPHENS	3/7/2014	NT
A14A1456	ALISHIA BRISTOW SMITH	4/10/2014	NT
A14A1471	WILLIE C. WALTON, II	4/11/2014	NT
A14A1700	NKN ENTERPRISES, LLC ET AL	5/15/2014	NT
A14A1810	DONYALE TURNER	6/2/2014	NT
A14A1995	JESSE R. WALKER ET AL.	6/27/2014	NT
A14A2109	JOHN CLARK ET AL.	7/16/2014	NT
A14A2123	TINA WHITE	7/21/2014	NT
A14A2127	FAMILY PRACTICE OF ATLANTA, LLC	7/21/2014	NT
A14A2315	SERGE CHARLES	8/14/2014	NT
A15A0251	ALISHIA BRISTOW SMITH	9/23/2014	NT
A15A0252	ALISHIA BRISTOW SMITH	9/23/2014	NT

A15A0292	PHILLIP SIMS	9/26/2014 NT
A15A0400	MARILYN V. GEE	10/10/2014 NT
A15A0554	WIN-WIN INVESTMENT NETWORK, LLC	10/30/2014 NT
A15A0614	ERIC JONES	11/7/2014 NT
A15A0649	JOSEPH LATHAN CORNICK	11/21/2014 NT
A15A0669	BENJIE M. LOUISON	11/25/2014 NT
A15A0733	NASSER HEAVY EQUIPMENT, INC. ET AL.	12/8/2014 NT
A15A0923	CHERYL J. MITCHELL	1/13/2015 NT
A15A0948	ANTIONETTE EVANS	1/22/2015 NT
A15A0965	JEAN PATRICIA HILTON A/K/A JEAN PATRICIA ENSTROM	1/26/2015 NT
A15A0984	DELBERT WARNER ET AL.	1/27/2015 NT
A15A0983	WILLIAM K. BROUGHTON	1/27/2015 NT
A15A0979	LISA MORGAN	1/27/2015 NT
A15A0994	BERTHA JACKSON	1/28/2015 NT
A15A1051	WILLIAM K, BROUGHTON ET AL.	2/9/2015 NT
A15A1112	ROBERT SEASE	2/17/2015 NT
A15A1118	JANET HILL	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1119	INGRID A. ELLISON	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1120	INGRID A. ELLISON	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1121	PHILLIP SIMS	2/18/2015 NT
A15A1126	TYSHA WILLIAMS	2/19/2015 NT
A15A1150	RODNEY K. THOMPSON	2/20/2015 NT
A15A1270	JEROME W. SCOTT ET AL.	3/5/2015 NT
A15A1288	JOHN CLARK ET AL.	3/9/2015 NT
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A15A1767	JOHN SMITH ET AL.	5/13/2015 NT
A15A1772	DAVIS KEVIN BASSIL ET AL.	5/14/2015 NT
A15A1798	JAMES SMITH, JR. ET AL.	5/18/2015 NT
A15A1833	DORIS ROSS	5/22/2015 NT
A15A1897	B & B MOVERS ET AL.	6/4/2015 NT
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A16A0866	HELENA BRUNDIDGE	1/26/2016 NT
A16A1492	KELVIN DAVIS	4/20/2016 NT
A16A1514	VINCIA BLAISE	4/21/2016 NT
A16A1641	CARMEN STEPHENS	5/6/2016 NT
A16A1642	CARMEN STEPHENS	5/6/2016 NT
A16A1647	ANTHONY ROSS, JR.	5/6/2016 NT
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A17A0522	ELSIE BRIDGES	10/24/2016 NT
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